District Councillors report June 2022

**Written report Cllr Mrs Rita Heseltine, member for Perton Lakeside**

Since the last Parish Council meeting I have attended the following:

14.06.2022: Wellbeing Select Committee

We received a report/presentation from Peter Axon, the Interim CEO Staffordshire and Stoke 0n Trent with regards to the Integrated Care System (ICS) and the Integrated Care Board (ICB). Also, it’s very gratifying to report that the mobile breast screening unit based at Codsall is being very well attended.

15.06.2022: Myself and Councillor Penny Allen met with Debi Round from the District Council to discuss/present the names which we were proposing for the new development and the roads therein. We had a very interesting/informative session – it’s a very involved and quite complex process with liaison between various organisations being required before any decisions/proposals can be finalised.

16.06.2022: Community Safety Partnership

 Member Training – Code of Conduct

19.06.2022: Civic Sunday. The new Chairman of the District Council (Cllr. Matt Ewart) held his Civic Service at St. Nicholas Church, Codsall followed by the Civic luncheon at Wergs Golf Club. It was a very pleasant and well attended event. The Chairman’s chosen charity this year is Cancer Research UK and Macmillan Cancer Support.

20.06.2022: Armed Forces Day

21.06.2022: CLT with the Leader

 Informal Cabinet

 Planning Committee

22.06.2022: Member Briefing – West Midlands Interchange and the M54/M6 Link Road.

27.06.2022: Bi-weekly Lead Member Briefing

 Virtual High Street Webinair

28.06.2022: CLT with the Leader

 Informal Cabinet

 Full Council

30.06. 2022: Health & Safety Steering Group

Unfortunately, I was unable to attend the Localities Forum due to a previous commitment.

05.07.2022: CLT with the Leader

 Cabinet

 Informal Cabinet

As the majority of you will be aware, there are ongoing problems with City Fibre with regards to how they are leaving the paths and gutters once they have completed any works. I raised these issues with the appropriate department and despite statements that these issues would be addressed, very little happened. I am now in almost daily contact with the manager of the scheme. Apparently, an inspection team has been sent out so I am waiting for more information so “watch this space”!

**Verbal report from Cllr AA Bourke member for Perton East**

Some interesting meetings on Code of Conduct, the Midlands Interchange and the locality Forum.

Local schools have attended meetings on climate change, this is getting them involved in the community. There was some difficulty getting some schools engaged but perhaps a meeting in Perton would enable more schools to engage.

More complaints about the state of Perton which doesn’t look like its going to be sorted anytime soon.

**Verbal report from Cllr Nigel Caine member for Perton Lakeside**

Still reporting potholes and street lights.

Good to see bus lane usage is going down.

Tettenhall Horse Sanctuary, a planning application should have been submitted but nothing received.

No enforcement or application for the Pizza business at Bradshaws has been received.

Hoping barrier at car park and ancillary work is completed soon. To also request some signage.