



County Council Report for Walsham-le-Willows Parish Council

March 2019

County Councillor Jessica Fleming, Hartismere Division, Suffolk

Jessica.fleming@suffolk.gov.uk Tel: 07714-597980 twitter: @jesstfleming

New School Transport Policy (2019) - Children are eligible for SCC funded school travel if over 2 miles (under 8 years old) or 3 miles (aged 8 or over) walking distance from their nearest suitable school. Children already receiving SCC funded school travel in the 2018/2019 school year will continue to receive this whilst they continue to attend the same school for the same origin. Families with eligible child/ren should be notified but must opt-in **by 31st May** (2019) to receive funded transport. Details about funded school travel, including arrangements for Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND), can be found at www.suffolkonboard.com/schooltravel

Please get in touch if anyone experiences problems with school transport.

Major Infrastructure Consultations – The Cabinet at its 12th March meeting approved SCC's responses to (1) Consultation by Scottish Power Renewables on East Anglia Offshore Windfarms One (North) and onshore infrastructure including 2 major substations, and has objected to several elements of current plans. (2) EDF Energy's Sizewell C Stage 3 Public Consultation; SCC objects to several elements of current proposals including dropping the marine-led construction option, and elements of the rail and road-led options. The Council also has commented that the cumulative effects of several major projects in East Suffolk need improved coordination at national level. Refer to Agenda Item 6 in the cabinet report for further details:

<https://committeeminutes.suffolk.gov.uk/Committee.aspx?Refinablestring10=The%20Cabinet>



Mid Suffolk District Council Report for Walsham-le Willows Parish Council

March 2019

Draft Local Plan – A ‘Regulation 18’ Draft is scheduled for agreement by MSDC at the mid June 2019 full council meeting. Public consultation will follow.

Developers’ Contributions Database - Mid Suffolk and Babergh’s [Exacom database](http://pfm.exacom.co.uk/midsuffolkbabergh/index.php) – gives the public access to developer CIL and S106 contributions towards infrastructure back to 1974. The database is the first of its kind in the country -

<http://pfm.exacom.co.uk/midsuffolkbabergh/index.php>

Upcoming Council Decisions & Meetings:

<file:///C:/Users/flemj/AppData/Local/Microsoft/Windows/INetCache/Content.Outlook/78ZCOG54/B/MSDC%20Forthcoming%20Decisions%20List%20-MAR%202019%20-%20V96.pdf>

For agendas and minutes, please visit the [Democratic Services homepage](#).

Cllr Jessica Fleming: Jessica.fleming@midsuffolk.gov.uk

Tel: 07714-597980 Twitter: @jesstfleming