Cornwall Councillor report – September 2024 – Carlyon Parish Council

I hope everyone is well as we move towards September.

I took a couple weeks away from council duties in August to be with my family and it was also great to have a completely surprise birthday party for my 40th from my amazing wife Laura at Mevagissey Social Club on 17th August which took some getting over from. Thanks to everyone who came along and apologies for my karaoke!

This aside, Cornwall Council does tend to be a bit quieter during the summer period due to staff holidays, so I don't have as many updates as I normally would anyway!

The 20mph measures for urban areas, which are part of Cornwall Council's 20 is Plenty scheme are currently online and members of the public can respond to the consultation, which is live until 13 September, on the Let's Talk section of the council's website.

Virtually all of Carlyon Bay is due to drop to 20mph as part of this, although Cypress Avenue currently is not. I have had contact from a number of residents who have responded to the consultation and asked that Cypress Avenue be included in the 20mph zone, and I would support these calls if the Parish Council does.

At County Hall later this month, I will be back in the deep end, having seconded my councillor colleague from Looe Armand Toms's motion to ask that South West Water is made a full consultee on planning applications. With our aging waste water infrastructure and the constants demands to build more houses, it is imperative that this aspect of planning is tightened up and I am pleased to second this motion that asks to do just that.

As ever, should anyone need to get in touch about anything, please do let me know via cllr.james.mustoe@cornwall.gov.uk or on 07885 277670