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Community Benefit Money Bids

Public Presentation Event

Saturday 12th May 2018 at the St Erme Community Centre

There will be an open afternoon from 1.00pm to 4.00pm with a 'Presentation of the Bids' at 2.00pm

We have asked the organisations to give a short presentation on their bids for the Community Benefits monies about their proposed project and how it will benefit the community.

There are four bids in total which have applied and are continuing through to the next stage.

We have invited all the organisations in the village to have a stand to promote their club / group during the afternoon.

Refreshments and cakes will be available to purchase.

There is a total of £11,300 available from the Tregassow Solar Farm development for the benefit of the community.

Following this event we will be sending a 'Consultation Survey' to every household in the parish to prioritise the communities preferred project.

Depending on the results of the survey one or more project/s could be successful.

Please look out for the 'Consultation Survey' during May

Please support this event this is <u>YOUR</u> Parish Have <u>YOUR</u> Say

New Parish Website



Our new website is now up and running please take a look at

www.stermeparishcouncil.org.uk

Where you will find lots of information about the Parish Council, the services we provide and general information about the parish.

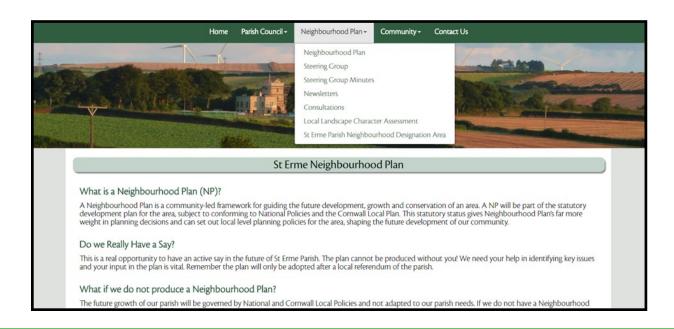
Council minutes, agendas, finances, policies and procedures. Information on current planning applications, Public Rights of Way etc.

There is a 'Community' page with contacts and details of local organisations, an Events Diary, and the history of the Parish.



The St Erme Neighbourhood Plan has its own section with

information about the development of the plan, consultations and their results, minutes of Steering Group meetings, copies of their Newsletters and the St Erme Local Landscape Character Assessment.



St Erme Neighbourhood Plan

The first draft of the plan is nearing completion, it will be looked over by Cornwall Council then checked to see is a Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) will be required before the Pre-Submission Consultation takes place.

The Pre-Submission consultation will be the next chance for you as a community and the statutory consultees to comment on the draft plan.

As stated on the previous page there is a new website, please take a look at the Neighbourhood Plan section which gives you all the information on the plan so far, including results of consultation events/questionnaires/surveys and minutes of Steering Group meetings.

St Erme Neighbourhood Plan

A Neighbourhood Plan (NP) is a community led framework for guiding the future development, growth and conservation of an area. A NP will form part of the statutory development plan for the area, subject to conforming to national policies, the Cornwall Local Strategic Policies, an independent examination and gaining support through a referendum of residents. The plan will be adopted as a formal planning policy by Cornwall Council.

A NP cannot be produced without consultation and must be locally driven, it needs local residents to help identify key issues and their input into the plan is vital. The St Erme Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group therefore has carried out a number of consultations over the last couple of years to gauge the opinion from parishioners and businesses on areas/issues in the community.

The consultations have been carried out in various forms such as surveys, Questionnaires consultation events, and stands at the local community annual fun day etc. Parishioners were also kept up to date through public meetings.

These have been well advertised through local noticeboards, leaflet drops, the Village Voice which is a local village magazine, NP Newsletters, the council's website, the NP Facebook page and through contacting local organisations, schools and known businesses in the area.



Consultations and their results are shown below:

PLEASE LOOK OUT FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

Annual Parish Meeting

On the 20th March 2018 we held our annual parish meeting where members of the community can have a say on issues within the parish.

About 14 members of the public and councillors attended the meeting where PC James Hosking and PCSO Eagles (Devon & Cornwall Police) gave an update on community policing and answered questions from the members of the public.

The St Erme Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group were in attendance and Michael Edwards (Steering Group Member) gave a very detailed update on the plan so far and what to look out for next.

The chairman Cllr Trethewey launched the Community Bid Monies and updated on the next stages and forthcoming consultation.

The St Erme WI were present who made and served some lovely savouries, cakes and refreshments.

We would like to thank everyone who attended and had an input into the evening.

Car Parking



We are regularly notified of inconsiderate parking in the village and this was discussed again at our recent Annual Parish meeting.

One of the main concerns is cars being parked on the Emergency Access through Killigrew Gardens, this is classed as a footpath and not a road. It is therefore illegal to park at this location. Further action will be taken on this issue. Please do not park at this location it is for 'Emergency Vehicles' only.

Other examples of inconsiderate parking are blocking or parking too close to garages and driveways, parking on grass verges or pavements or on junctions.

Please also remember that inconsiderate parking can also effect the emergency services attending incidents which could be life threatening. This could effect any one of us.

PLEASE THINK BEFORE YOU PARK

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Meetings

Members of the public are welcome to attend any meetings and are given 15 minutes during public participation to discuss any items on the agenda. Meetings are usually held on the first Tuesday of the month at the St Erme Community Centre.

Occasionally there may be extra meetings when required due to planning application deadlines or any urgent business that may arise and the venues of meetings may be different, please check on the agenda.

The agendas of all meetings are displayed in the notice boards three clear days before and commence at 7.30pm unless otherwise stated.

The next meetings of the council are as follows:

Tuesday 8th May 2018 (Parish Meeting) Tuesday 5th June 2018 Tuesday 3rd July 2018