

Dorset County Council May 2014 Report

Reporting highways issues

There are 2 ways to report highway problems to DCC

1) Phone 01305 221000 (Dorset Direct) - they will complete a "confirm enquiry" form on your behalf

2) Visit <https://www.dorsetforyou.com/travel-dorset/roads-and-driving/report-a-road-problem>

This brings up a page offering 6 options for reporting highway defects and requesting updates , clicking on one of the 2 main boxes will bring up the "confirm enquiry form" to be completed - this is all fairly self explanatory step by step stuff. Once you have entered a problem you will receive emails as to progress if you want.

I have a complete screen print out of this but it is too large to put in the magazine. Please ask your Parish Clerk if you need a copy.

Minerals Plan

Many of you objected to some of the sites put forward for the mineral plan and almost as many objected to the way the consultation was conducted. The original consultation was over the XMAS period and there were no notices placed at or near the proposed sites. The Officers have agreed to avoid consultation over a holiday period and to consider placing site notices at the affected places with information on them as to how constituents can submit any comments they may have.

Surgery

Surgeries are held on the first Saturday of every month. These are held at the communal Lounge in Turberville Court in Bere Regis from 09.30 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. I am now also holding a surgery at Wool in Knowlewood Knapp communal lounge at 11.30. If you have any questions or queries related to the business of Dorset County Council please come along. If anyone wants to contact me and cannot get to the surgery my email address is peterwharf@hotmail.com.

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