




CLERK'S INFORMATION SHEET FOR  
BRILLEY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING ON 10 JULY 2018

4.1 Your team: PC Dean Wall, PCSO 6440 Steph Annette

 **101** to talk to your local SNT or report a crime.  
 kw.snt@westmercia.pnn.police.uk  
 www.westmercia.police.uk

 /  @NHfdShireCops

Kington Safer Neighbourhood Team:

PCSO Steph Annette, mob. 07773 043483, email stephanie.annette@westmercia.pnn.police.uk

OR RING DIRECT ON 101 ext. 4535. Only call 999 in an emergency, when a crime is in progress or life is in danger

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On behalf of your local County Councillor Clive Skelton

Roger Phillips

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**JULY UPDATE – CASTLE WARD**

Dear Residents,

HEREFORDSHIRE MEANS BUSINESS -- Edward Bulmer Natural Paints

Set in the traditional farm buildings of the Court of Noke just off the Rhyse lane, Edward Bulmer an interior designer for 30 years, frustrated by the quality of paints in this county set up his own paint manufacturing company five years ago. Today with wife Emma they employ 12 people in the marketing and processing of their organic paints in the 19<sup>th</sup> century set of farm buildings.

Importing a base product, they mix and create over 70 stunning colours to the highest environmental standards. Virtually all our paints in this country are plastic based with strong odour issues frequently causing headaches. Edward's paints are carbon neutral, use no harmful solvents or acrylics and declare all their ingredients. Edward says "mixing my own paint colours using traditional materials I soon realised how different and superior they are to dull modern equivalents".

Originally, he developed his paints to help in the restoring of historic homes, but with an ever increasing awareness of harmful modern production processes there is a growing interest in natural paints and the quality finish they give. The business is another example of an expanding company in our parishes which mellows into our countryside but provided valuable employment. For more details go to

<https://www.edwardbulmerpaint.co.uk>

**Capital investment recommendations to be considered by Full Council in July**

The Council meeting in July will discuss £12.827m for investment in local developments over the coming year. This is in addition to the £92.4m already identified in January for 2018/19. In local government finances revenue and capital budgets are separate but with any borrowing costs for the capital programme being met in the revenue account. Frequently capital projects are totally financed by the Government or need to be match funded by local councils.

The funds have been identified following a review of the capital programme - the money the council expects to spend on key projects over the coming year/s. Of the additional £12.8m considered for 2018/19, £6.7m is from increased grants and external funding.

Most notably, recommendation was given for the following additional investment:

£931,455 for pothole repair following the harsh winter weather (giving a total allocation of £1.253m in 2018/19) £3.5m (£2m of which is a short-term loan) to support the development of a Cyber Security Centre by University of Wolverhampton to be based at Hereford Enterprise Zone, providing accommodation space for up to 20 cyber businesses, specialist research, training and educational facilities for businesses and organisations. The centre, which is due to be completed in 2020, would help the growth of a wide network of cyber-based businesses and institutions attracting national and international business investment.

£1.116m additional funding for Hereford Enterprise Zone 'Shell Store' refurbishment (£294k of which is from external contributions), to create a centre for research, start-up and scale-up engineering and technology businesses and, through the NMiTE University, provide space for students to interface with businesses.

In addition, £1.5m was recommended to support the conversion of Hillside rehabilitation centre to provide a nursing home facility for older people with complex mental health needs (such as dementia) in response to rising demand for this type of care. Work to look at the feasibility of converting Hillside for this purpose is in the very early stages, and so the funds identified are only indicative at this time.

Planning

If you want to discuss a planning matter please contact [Adam.Lewis@herefordshire.gov.uk](mailto:Adam.Lewis@herefordshire.gov.uk) or for a planning enforcement concern [mttansley@herefordshire.gov.uk](mailto:mttansley@herefordshire.gov.uk)

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- 6.1 Work in May and June – drainage general maintenance C1073, 90614, 90612, 90614, C1072; road sign cleaning and cutting back of vegetation; cutting visibility splays; removal storm debris/litter 90603-90604.
12. Correspondence – received as follows:
- From Herefordshire Council (HC) – Advertising events on WISH website – forwarded to Village Hall
  - From Balfour Beatty – Notes from parish briefing
  - From Department of Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy – Free access to aerial photography
  - From HC – Armistice and Armed Forces Programme grants
  - From Seafarers UK – Request to fly Red Ensign on 3 September, Merchant Navy Day
  - From HC – Invitation to budget briefing
  - From Hereford & Worcester Fire & Rescue Authority – Letter re Judicial Review application against former Home Secretary's decision
  - From West Mercia Police – survey for Police and Crime Commissioner
  - From Clerks and Councils Direct – July update

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