

THEBERTON AND EASTBRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE THEBERTON AND EASTBRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT JUBILEE HALL, THEBERTON ON WEDNESDAY 8TH NOVEMBER 2023 AT 7:00 PM

1. Attendance and apologies

Attendees:

Cllr. Stephen Brett – Chair
Cllr. Hilary Ward – Vice Chair
Cllr. Bob Flindall
Cllr. Hazel Collins
Cllr. Daryl Ash
Cllr. Paul Collins
Cllr. Steven Morphey
Cllr. Nat Bacon

Apologies for absence:

County Cllr. Richard Smith – apologised
District Cllr. Tom Daly
District Cllr. Katie Graham
District Cllr. Sarah Whitelock
Cllr. Graham Ward - apologised

Members of the public:

No members of the public.

In attendance:

Honor Houlding - Clerk/RFO

2. To receive declarations of interest and to consider requests for dispensations

None.

3. Public Forum

- a) Members of the public may address the Council on any agenda item.

No members of the public present.

- b) To receive a report from the County Councillor.

County Cllr. Richard Smith apologised in advance of the meeting for being unable to attend Theberton and Eastbridge Parish Council meeting due to attending a local Remembrance Service.

- c) To receive reports from the District Councillors.

Due to Cllr. Tom Daly not being present at the meeting the Clerk agreed to request and circulate the District Councillor's Report once received.

ACTION: Clerk to request November report from the District Councillors.

4. Minutes and Matters Arising

- a) To approve as accurate the minutes of the meeting on 16th October 2023.

It was proposed by Cllr. Hilary Ward and seconded by Cllr. Paul Collins and agreed that the minutes of the meeting held on 16th October 2023 to be signed as a true record. All in favour.

b) Matters arising.

None.

5. Energy Projects

a) To receive an update from Cllr. Paul Collins.

The Council noted the latest Energy Report which is attached as **Appendix I**.

Cllr. Paul Collins reported sending a response on behalf of The Council to the LionLink consultation in line with Theberton and Eastbridge Council's statement, previously submitted by the Council which queried the decision of Southwold as a cabling route and Walberswick as a landing site for the project.

Cllr. Stephen Brett noted that he was aware that the scientific interests found at sea may have led to LionLink having issues with finding a suitable landing point for all their planned cabling sites with reference to the fact that there does not appear to be enough space at Southwold and are therefore now considering Aldeburgh as the landing point for LionLink.

Cllr. Paul Collins continued to note the judicial review which he attended in person. He believes that the case was well measured by the three judges however we must now wait for their final decision.

With regards to the coastal mitigation plan, Cllr. Paul Collins confirmed that the DCO19 for hard coastal defences has now been submitted. However, unlike regular planning applications there are no reviewers and he also mentioned that the maps that have been submitted are being questioned over their accuracy due to further coastal erosion along the coast at Sizewell.

At the recent 'Meet the Regulator' meeting, Cllr. Paul Collins reported that the Environment Agency's Project Manager for Sizewell C, Steven Barlow was unable to attend.

The Council referred to the work taking place on Lover's Lane, South of Valley Road within the Sizewell C Wood Management Zone. It was noted that the work taking place is considered to be temporary and reversible which is the reason why the work is allowed to occur ahead of the final financial decision for the Sizewell C Project.

b) National Grid Electricity Transmission plc (NGET) statutory consultation on the proposed Sea Link project - 24 October 2023 and running until 23:59 on 18 December 2023.

Cllr. Paul Collins agreed to produce a report for the Statutory Consultation on the proposed National Grid SeaLink project. The SeaLink project's preferred converter station site is on the route from Leiston Road B1119 to Saxmundham. The site is believed to be one of the highest points in East Suffolk. The National Grid schedule to build a 26 meter by 100 meter converter station 6 hectare plot. Cllr. Nat Bacon informed the Council that due to this being a National Grid Statutory consultation that the land will be procured through compulsory purchase at agricultural land sale prices, not industrial land sale prices which are a considerably lower market price.

c) To receive report from Cllr. Daryl Ash and Cllr. Hazel Collins from Energy Networking Event held on 4th November.

Cllr. Hazel Collins and Cllr. Daryl Ash summarised their report and experience of attending the Energy Networking Event held on 4th November. Various presentations from Greater Net Zero Hub and Groundwork East provided advice for small scale communities, businesses, and households on how to audit your home and business for energy efficiency and how to access funding for improving energy efficiency. A Local panel of active energy efficient groups from around East Suffolk also provided networking ideas. Transition Woodbridge, a community led group who arrange community engagement events with regards to recycling, litter picking, promoting the benefits of shopping locally and have a community tree warden scheme in place were introduced the Council.

Cllr. Stephen Brett noted that we have had a Parish Tree Warden in the past. The Tree Warden role does not have to be occupied by a member of the Parish Council.

ACTION: Cllr. Robert Flindall to add Tree Warden Scheme to the Strategic Objectives Document for future discussion.

The Chair. Stephen Brett thanked Cllr. Hazel Collins and Cllr. Daryl Ash for attending the meeting and collating ideas for Theberton and Eastbridge Parish Council.

d) Support of Zero Hour Climate and Ecology Bill.

The Clerk summarised the Support of Zero Hour Climate and Ecology Bill email sent to the Councillors on the 19th of October.

Cllr. Stephen Brett stated that he agrees with the principal of the Nation becoming Net Zero as quickly as possible, however with all the intended Energy infrastructure planned to take place in East Suffolk, as a region we are very aware of the implications and are being heavily impacted with the changes required for the country to achieve their 2030 Net Zero deadline.

The Council held a vote as to whether we would like to join the 168 other councils which already support the Zero Hour Climate and Ecology Bill. The majority vote of the Council did not wish to support the bill at this time however they felt they did not have enough information to respond.

ACTION: Councillors to read the Zero Hour Climate and Ecology Bill and reply to the Clerk with their individual responses if they wish for the agreement of Theberton and Eastbridge Parish Council supporting the bill to be revisited.

6. Planning

a) Discussion of planning topics.

Cllr. Robert Flindall noted the response written on behalf of the Council with regards to planning application DC/23/3712/FUL was submitted in three parts due to the written statement being too long for East Suffolk Planning website requirements. He continued that the full response was submitted to East Suffolk via email requesting further historical information from East Suffolk to draw up a complete response to the application. Cllr. Robert Flindall continued to note that other residents had also commented on the planned application.

ACTION: Clerk to write to East Suffolk Council with regards to the further information requested by Theberton and Eastbridge Parish Council to make a full response to the above application.

7. Clerk/Councillors' Reports

a) Theberton and Eastbridge Parish Maintenance Volunteer Scheme and Strategic Objectives.

Cllr. Robert Flindall summarised the updated draft of the Theberton and Eastbridge Parish Strategic Objectives. The Council agreed that a Strategic Objectives working group should be assembled to continue working on the project. Cllr. Robert Flindall, Cllr, Paul Collins, Cllr. Hazel Collins, Cllr. Stephen Brett and the Clerk arranged to meet on the 27th of November at 18.00 to discuss further actions with regards to improving the Parish Strategic Objectives.

[ACTION: Strategic Objectives Focus Group meet – 27th November at 18.00.](#)

[ACTION: Clerk to review the Strategic Objectives and make suggestions for separating the tasks into categories and intended deadline dates.](#)

b) Platinum Heritage Trail.

The Council expressed their frustrations with regards to the delay of the Platinum Heritage Trail. It was agreed that a focus group meeting on 29th November should take place and the local historian should be invited to continue the plans for the project.

[ACTION: Platinum Heritage Trail Focus Group meet – 29th November at 18.00.](#)

[ACTION: Cllr. Stephen Brett to speak with local resident and invite her to the focus group on 29th November.](#)

c) Community Council.

Cllr. Hilary Ward summarised the report from the Community Council meeting.

A children's Halloween party took place where 27 children, attended. Tickets were sold at £3 per ticket. Due to the success of the party with local children and attendees from the wider area, the Community Council are planning a children's Christmas party and Santa's Grotto for December. Sadly, the annual firework event was cancelled due to the wet weather however the firework display may be rescheduled for New Year as a celebration for the community. The Christmas bizarre is scheduled to take place on the 9th and 10th December.

A new Hall Management Officer has been elected to help take care of the Village Hall and the attached Caretaker's property and changes to the Community Council trustees are still under way.

The Community Council had noted that the Village Hall Broadband had not been working however this was not reported and the broadband is working today on the day of the Parish Council Meeting.

[ACTION: Clerk to print notice for the broadband router stating to report any issues to the Parish Clerk.](#)

d) Newsletter and Website Update.

The Council discussed the first edition of the newly recommenced Theberton and Eastbridge Community Newsletter in November which was noted to be a great success and the councillors were impressed with the content. The Council voted that they would like the newsletter to continue after the two month planned trial throughout 2024.

However, it was mentioned that some resident had not received the newsletter and that perhaps an online or emailed version of the newsletter would be better suited for some residents. A discussion was held with regards to Data Protection and it was decided that a copy of the newsletter should be available on the Parish website.

[ACTION: Clerk to request electronic copy of the monthly newsletter to display on website.](#)

[ACTION: Cllr. Hilary Ward to request an updated quote from Leiston Press for continuing the Newsletter after the 2 month trial.](#)

[REMINDER: 25th November next Newsletter reporting deadline.](#)

The Clerk reported that she had met with the Chairman of the Community Council to discuss possible improvements to the Parish Council website. The Community Council would like to improve the events advertising and include a calendar for booking the Village Hall directly via the website. The Parish Council website is hosted by One Suffolk who have estimated the costs for these improvements to be between £600 and £1,000 however the Community Council Chair and Clerk have scheduled a call with One Suffolk on the 21st of November to discuss ideas and to receive a more detailed quote.

The Parish Council's consensus that they are happy to share the website with the Community Council however the cost of improvements should be discussed and shared proportionately between the Community Council and Parish Council.

e) Police Crime Report.

The Council noted the latest report which is attached as **Appendix II**.

There were no crimes to report in Theberton and Eastbridge Parish in the month of September 2023.

f) Speed Indicator Device.

The Council noted the latest report which is attached as **Appendix III**.

The average speed recorded by the Speed Indicator Device is below 30mph during the day and the 85th percentile is under 40mph. The average speed increases during Sizewell C Events such as the routine outage and that at 5am the volume of traffic is low but average speed is higher than at other times in the day.

Cllr Paul Collins added that he has included two additional graphs this month. Interestingly, the graphs show that a greater amount of traffic is recorded leaving Leiston and Sizewell via the B1122 than there is entering the village towards Leiston and Sizewell. The Council could not see any reason for this finding.

g) Theberton Playing Field.

The Council noted the recent ROSPA Playsafety inspection report.

Cllr. Hilary Ward summarised some of the items shown on the report and advisories made.

The Basketball Post which was recently addressed by members of the Council is shown to be leaking.

Also, the pallets which were reported as a potential danger belong to the Community Council and were placed at the site temporarily for use at the firework event which was unable to take place.

Cllr. Nat Bacon agreed to visit Theberton Playing Field and review how the advisory points should be addressed ahead of the December meeting. He also noted that the timber required to fix the damaged tractor equipment has not yet arrived and he is still looking for a solution for fixing the tractor's mud guard.

ACTION: Cllr. Nat Bacon to visit Theberton Playing Field and assess improvements.

ACTION: Cllr. Hilary Ward to request the Community Council to remove the temporary pallets.

h) Village Noticeboards refurbishments.

Cllr. Stephen Brett reported that the carpenter he had approached to commence the refurbishments had declined due to the job being too small to be worthwhile for him to complete. However, a resident has since offered to fix the

Eastbridge noticeboard which is showing signs of damp. The resident may consider working on the Theberton noticeboards in due course.

i) The Village Hall Broadband Funding.

The Clerk confirmed a formal letter had been sent to the Chair of the Community Council approaching the funding gap and whether the Community Council would share the cost of continuing the service for the community.

The Parish Council discussed the misconception that the Parish Council required the broadband for their monthly meetings. The Council confirmed that no members of the Council were actively using the broadband at the present time of the meeting. It was believed that The Parish Council initiated the Village Hall broadband as a grant made funding possible to provide the service and that it would be an asset to the Hall and residents of the community.

ACTION: Clerk to follow up negotiations with the Community Council Chairman after the next Community Council meeting.

j) To confirm the planned Parish Council 2024 monthly meeting dates.

The Council noted the Parish Council Meeting dates and voted all in favour.

k) To review costs for maintenance of parish assets including tractor oil, diesel and strimming equipment.

Cllr. Stephen Brett confirmed that he is yet to receive the price for the intended improvements and upkeep to Parish equipment. The Council voted that they agreed the items were necessary and essential to the running of the Parish. All in favour.

l) To review costs of annual defibrillator support with Community Heartbeat.

The Clerk summarised correspondence received from Community Heartbeat with regards to the renewal of our Annual Support for upkeep of our two Parish defibrillators. Community Heartbeat have quoted £135 + VAT per defibrillator per year to supply necessary maintenance and upkeep to the devices. The consensus of the Council was that the Annual support was necessary however perhaps looking at competitors we may be able to source a cheaper solution.

It was also mentioned that training of how and when to use the defibrillators would be beneficial for the Parish and community.

ACTION: Clerk to assess competitors and report back to the Council.

ACTION: Clerk to enquire over in person defibrillator training for the Parish Councillors and community.

m) Outstanding Actions List.

Due to time constraints, it was agreed any outstanding Actions to be circulated by the Clerk after the meeting.

ACTION: Clerk to circulate previous month's unaddressed actions.

8. Parish Matters

a) Daffodil and Parish Planting.

Cllr. Hilary Ward kindly collected the daffodil and wildflower bulbs.

Due to the wildflower bulbs being very expensive, Cllr. Hilary Ward instead purchased a more cost effective option of 120 Snowdrops and 124 Bluebell Bulbs for the total cost of £55 + VAT.

It was proposed by Cllr. Stephen Brett and seconded by Cllr. Paul Collins for the Parish to reimburse Cllr. Hilary Ward for the additional bulbs as per October's meeting. All in Favour.

The Council agreed that the Snowdrops and Bluebells should be planted equally between the two villages and would suit being planted on the embankment next to Eastbridge Cemetery entrance and at the Theberton Village Sign or at Snowdrop Island, near Flash Corner.

Members of the Council volunteered to plant the bulbs however it was noted that the Parish did not own the correct equipment to do so and that Bulb Planters should be purchased by the Parish Council. When the planting takes place, all volunteers will be offered PPE equipment.

ACTION: Clerk to add purchase of two bulb planters to December's agenda.

ACTION: Cllr. Hilary ward to divide bulbs between Theberton and Eastbridge to be planted and arrange volunteer planting group.

9. Finance

a) To note the latest financial position.

was proposed by Cllr. Hilary and seconded by Cllr. Robert Flindall and it was agreed that the latest financial position to be a true record. All in favour.

b) To authorise the following payments:

Details	Payee	Amount	Power
Clerk's Salary	Honor Houlding	£301.67	LGA 1972 s.112
Newsletter	Leiston Press	£22.00	LGA 1972 s.111
Clerk Expenses	Envelopes	£1.99	LGA 1972 s.111
Clerk Expenses	6 x 1 st Class Stamps	£7.50	LGA 1972 s.111
Clerk's Expenses	Poppy Wreaths	£43.97	LGA 1972 s.138b
Theberton Playing Field Inspection	ROSPA – Playsafety Limited	£302.40	OSA 1906 s.9
<i>Newsletter</i>	<i>Leiston Press</i>	<i>£22.00</i>	<i>LGA 1972 s.111</i>

It was proposed by Cllr. Hilary and seconded by Cllr. Daryl and agreed the authorisation of the payments listed above with exception of the duplicated Newsletter Payment marked in italics above. All in favour.

c) To approve the bank reconciliation for Quarter 2 2022-2023.

It was proposed by Cllr. Stephen Brett and seconded by Cllr. Paul Collins and agreed that the latest banking reconciliation to be a true record. All in favour.

d) To note the budgeted versus actual half year report.

It was proposed by Cllr. Stephen Brett and seconded by Cllr. Paul Collins and agreed that the budget versus actual half year report to be a true record. All in favour.

Cllr. Nat Bacon brought the attention of the sinking fund to the Council's attention and recalled an agreement to pay funds into the earmarked reserved on a yearly basis as a statutory condition however the Council was uncertain of the exact details of this condition.

ACTION: Clerk agreed to speak with the previous clerk with regards to sinking fund conditions and report back to the council at next month's meeting.

ACTION: Clerk to ensure the sinking fund condition is taking into consideration during 2024-2025 precept report.

d) To note the VAT return from 1st January 2022 to 30th September 2023.

The Clerk apologised for not yet having this completed in time for the November meeting and that further training with regards to finance matters would be beneficial. The Council agreed to support the Clerk with any training that may be required.

ACTION: Clerk to complete VAT return and add to December's agenda.

e) The removal of Sharon Smith as signatory on the Parish Council accounts.

It was proposed by Cllr. Stephen Brett and seconded by Cllr. Hilary Ward and agreed that the previous Clerk, Sharon Smith should be removed as signatory from the Theberton and Eastbridge Parish Council Barclays accounts.

ACTION: Cllr. Stephen Brett agreed to speak with Sharon Smith and inform her of the decision.

11. Correspondence

To review the correspondence received between 11th October 2024 and 3rd November 2023 and take action as appropriate.

The Council reviewed the above dated correspondence. Specific attention was given to the D Day 80th anniversary celebrations. The Council showed interest in taking part in the lighting of beacons and to discuss further at next month's meeting. No further actions to correspondence required.

ACTION: Clerk to recirculate the email with regards to the D Day 80th birthday lighting of beacons celebration to the Council and add to December's agenda.

12. Questions to the Chair/Items for the Next Agenda

It was mentioned that residents in Eastbridge had noticed vehicles parking on the Eastbridge Village Sign Triangle of grass. It was noted that due to the first 1 meter of grass belonging to Suffolk Highways there is very little space that belongs to Theberton and Eastbridge Parish Council and therefore little that can be done to prevent parking on the triangle.

ACTION: Clerk to add parking on Eastbridge Village sign Triangle prevention on to December's agenda.

The Council noted the B1122 working group intended to be hosted by Sizewell C Richard Knight and Zoe Botten on 15th November and confirmed the Council would be represented by Cllr. Paul Collins, Cllr Stephen Brett and Cllr. Nat Bacon.

13. Next Meeting

To agree the date and time of the next meeting of the Council which is scheduled for Wednesday 13th December 2023 at 7:00 pm at the Jubilee Hall.

Honor Houlding

Parish Clerk

3rd November 2023

Meeting ended at 9.42pm

Appendix I – Cllr. Paul Collins November Energy Report

1 TEAGS – Stop Sizewell C

The Judicial Review Appeal was heard on 1st and 2nd November in front of Sir Keith Lindblom (Senior President of Tribunals), Lady Justice Andrews and Lord Justice Lewis. The one and a half day hearing started at 2:00pm on 1st November and concluded at 4:30pm on 2nd November in the Royal Courts of Justice.

The hearing, once again, was a “rolled-up hearing” against two of the original grounds, both concerning the provision of a 2Ml/day potable water supply, associated statutory habitats regulations assessments and consequential cumulative impacts.

During the hearing all of the arguments of the full Judicial Review of the two grounds were heard and the court will first of all decide whether they can consider the full set of arguments by giving permission for the Judicial Review and then, assuming they do give permission, will go on to consider the various arguments presented concerning the two grounds that were allowed to be appealed.

If permission is not granted, that is the end of the attempts to take the Secretary of State to Judicial Review over his granting permission for the Development Consent Order. Assuming the permission is granted, should grounds not be found with merit, then an appeal to the Supreme Court is possible, if either or both of the grounds were found to be with merit, the court will then provide a “remedy” that the Secretary of State and/or EDF would have to comply with in order to resolve the failure to comply with the law when approving the DCO.

During the hearings there were a few memorable quotes and phrases;

- “In a worst case scenario Kwasi Kwarteng's decision to grant Sizewell C development consent without identifying or assessing its essential potable water supply could result in a brand new £30 billion+ 'gleaming power station' on Suffolk's Heritage Coast which may never be able to operate.” – one of the justices.
- “You cannot pour concrete on the back of an NPS” – that is a National Policy Statement, in this case EN1 (Energy) and EN6 (Nuclear Power) - from our barrister, David Wolfe KC

At the end of the hearing, Sir Keith Lindblom stated, “You have given us a lot to think about.”

Considerable ground clearance works are continuing both in the Goose Hill area and now in the area north of Sizewell B up to the Northern Mound and into the area of the SSSI that will be lost to the power station platform. Further ground clearance works are now in progress between Eastlands Industrial Estate and Lovers Lane as well as the Northeastern boundary of the Aldhurst Farm, “Wild Aldhurst”, site where a Water Management Zone and the Bridleway 19 diversion will be created.

EDF have submitted an application for [Discharge of Requirement 19](#) (Design of the Hard and Soft Coastal Defence - DC/23/4124/DRR). ESC has until 18th December to decide on acceptance or otherwise. EDF have agreed that DoR 12 [DC/23/2660/DRR](#) - Coastal Processes Monitoring and Mitigation Plan (CPMMP) decision can be extended to the same date.

As well as a Design Document with a variety of details about the defences there are also some additional plans that were requested during the DCO examination but never provided. In particular about the design of the southernmost end of the HCDF where a structure called the “Roundhead” is situated. I am preparing a response to this Discharge of Requirements request and will circulate the draft before our December meeting. I am preparing it in conjunction with Minsmere Levels Stakeholders Group and Stop Sizewell C.

A significant amount of coastal erosion continues to be in evidence across what will be the Sizewell C frontage. The beach levels have been lowered significantly with considerable loss of shingle and as a result high tides are eroding the existing sacrificial dune as shown below.



2 Energy Projects Cumulative Impact Group and Anglia Energy Planning Alliance

A response from Minister Andrew Bowie's office to the letter from over 30 local councils, has been received. It was circulated by Honor prior to today's meeting but was not directly from the minister and it was felt to be somewhat cursory and inappropriate in tone and content. AEPA will continue to press for the promised visit and meeting.

3 T&E Parish Council

A meeting with EDF and SCC on EDF's plans for the B1122 through Theberton and other SZC related road plans in the Parish is set for 15th November.

4 Scottish Power DCO Examination

The appeal by SASES is now set to be heard in December. A decision is awaited on SEAS JR hearing.

5 LionLink (formerly EuroLink) and Nautilus – National Grid Ventures

I responded on behalf of the Parish to the LionLink additional non-statutory consultation, regarding the Walberswick landfall and Southwold cable route changes.

As there were no changes to the proposals that impacted the Parish, I resent our original response, noting that issues we had raised regarding the original proposals for these two sites had now been addressed but that our other concerns in the rest of the original response were still valid.

The NGV LionLink expectation is for statutory consultations starting in 2024 with a DCO application in 2025 and decision in 2026.

No further information on the status of Nautilus. The website continues to speculate about a possible move of connection point to the Isle of Grain in Kent.

6 Hydrogen East/Capital Hydrogen

No further updates are available at this time.

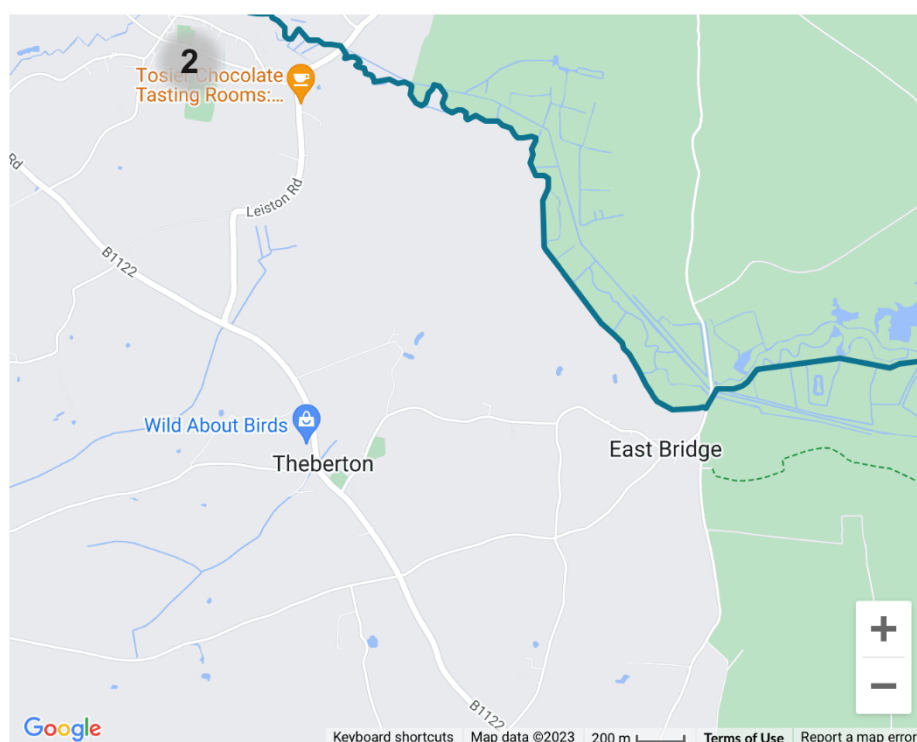
7 Sea Link Interconnector – National Grid Electricity Transmission

The first statutory consultation started on 23rd October and ends 18th December. I will prepare a response for the December Parish Council meeting.

8 EDF SZC B1122 planning meeting

No further meetings are currently planned.

Appendix II – Police Crime Report - September 2023



All Crimes (128)

September 2023

[View crime definitions](#)

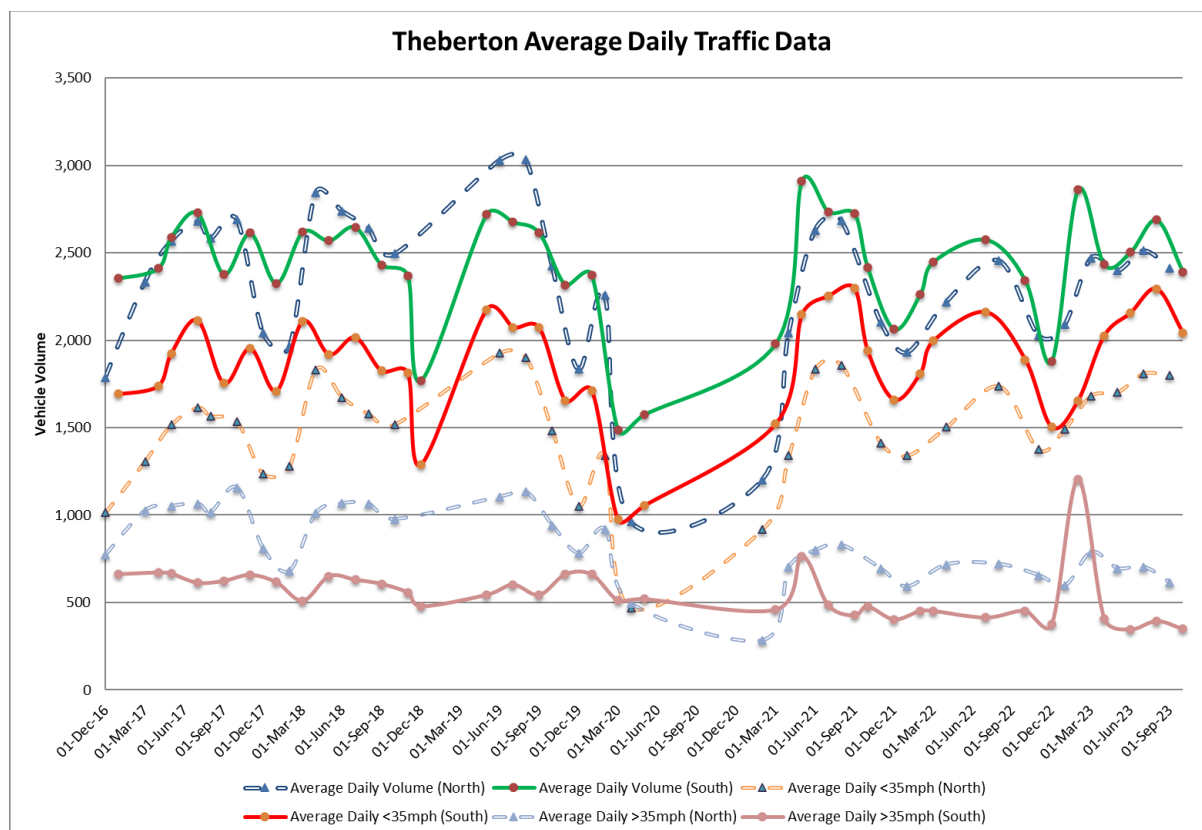
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Theberton Speed Indicator Device Report 8th November 2023

The speed indicator device has been operational for seventy-one ~20-day periods since 20th December 2016. It is placed at one end of the village or other at ~30-day intervals.

Traffic volumes in the period since March 2021 are back to normal and the long-term averages for those exceeding 35mph is now **35.8%** from north and **23.1%** from south.

The **85th percentile speed*** is **39.9mph** from North and **37.5mph** from South when they enter the village. These averages are over the whole period from December 2016.



SID Start Date	18-Aug-22	21-Oct-22	20-Nov-22	20-Dec-22	19-Jan-23	18-Feb-23	20-Mar-23	15-Apr-23	19-May-23	17-Jun-23	18-Jul-23	17-Aug-23	22-Sep-23	16-Oct-23
Average Daily Volume (North)	2,456		2,030		2,089		2,470		2,434		2,513		2,414	2,392
Average Daily Volume (South)		2,342		1,879		2,860		2,434		2,504		2,688		2,392
Total Vehicles (North)	49,122		40,605		39,686		46,937		45,543		47,740		45,863	47,830
Total Vehicles (South)		44,493		35,702		54,345		46,245		42,564		51,079		47,830
Total Vehicles <35mph (North)	34,741		27,495		28,371		31,971		32,329		34,371		34,203	40,856
Total Vehicles <35mph (South)		35,882		28,589		31,428		38,483		36,660		43,580		40,856
Total Vehicles >35mph (North)	14,381		13,110		11,315		14,966		13,214		13,369		11,660	6,974
Total Vehicles >35mph (South)		8,611		7,113		22,917		7,762		5,904		7,499		6,974
Average Daily <35mph (North)	1,737		1,375		1,493		1,682		1,702		1,809		1,800	2,043
Average Daily <35mph (South)		1,888		1,505		1,654		2,025		2,157		2,294		2,043
Average Daily >35mph (North)	719		655		596		788		695		704		614	349
Average Daily >35mph (South)		453		374		1,206		409		347		395		349
85th percentile speed North (mph)	38.7		39.2		38.4		38.9		38.6		38.3		38.0	34.9
85th percentile speed South (mph)		36.7		36.9		35.9		35.8		34.8		34.9		34.9
% <35mph (North)	70.7%		67.7%		71.5%		68.1%		71.0%		72.0%		74.6%	85.4%
% <35mph (South)		80.6%		80.1%		57.8%		83.2%		86.1%		85.3%		85.4%
% >35mph (North)	29.3%		32.3%		28.5%		31.9%		29.0%		28.0%		25.4%	14.6%
% >35mph (South)		19.4%		19.9%		42.2%		16.8%		13.9%		14.7%		14.6%

*The 85th Percentile is indicative of the speed that the majority of road users are travelling at.

Two additional graphs are given below showing hourly average speeds through the village over the last three weeks and also average volumes through the village.

During the main day from 8:00 to 17:00 the average speeds are just below 30mph although the average 85% speeds are just below 35mph.

Interestingly, the evening peak volume is significantly higher than the morning.

