



### Gwithian Beach Public Toilets

CC does not have a duty to maintain toilets and has made the decision to find an alternative way to provide them.

The toilets are an important public service but we need you to consider whether you want to pay for them or whether there could be better options.

Long term the Parish Council would like to look at investing in new eco friendly facilities at Gwithian but this will take time, money and public agreement.

We do feel that as the facilities are mostly used by tourists they should not necessarily be a burden on parishioners so have added in an option to increase the Gwithian car park fee although this may only be a short term solution.

### Options

Please tick the option you would prefer:-

1. No toilets - cost to you £0\*

2. Parish Council to take over toilets - cost to you £9.66\*

3. 10% increase on car park fees to pay for toilet

Other/comments:-

**The closing date to return this questionnaire is the 9th December 2015**

**If possible please fill in this questionnaire online by visiting**

**[www.ggpc.org.uk/devolution-projects-public-questionnaire](http://www.ggpc.org.uk/devolution-projects-public-questionnaire)**

**YOU WILL FIND DROP OFF BOXES AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS WHERE YOU CAN DEPOSIT YOUR COMPLETED QUESTIONNAIRE:-**

- **CARNHELL GREEN – CARNHELL GREEN SHOP & POST OFFICE**
- **REAWLA - REAWLA STORES**
- **GWINEAR CHURCHTOWN – ROYAL STANDARD PUBLIC HOUSE**
- **CONNOR DOWNS – CONNOR DOWNS POST OFFICE**
- **GWITHIAN – RED RIVER INN PUBLIC HOUSE**

**ALTERNATIVELY YOU CAN RETURN COMPLETED QUESTIONNAIRES TO:**

**Gwinear-Gwithian Parish Council,  
Unit 3 Bosproval Business Units,  
Penhale Road, Carnhell Green,  
Camborne, Cornwall TR14 0LU.**



### **Questionnaire - New Service Delivery**

Due to budget constraints Cornwall Council has had to make decisions about what services it can provide within the community.

Most of these services were delivered differently across the County by the old District Council's and some areas enjoyed a higher level of community care.

We understand how frustrating it is when these services are not provided anymore so have put together this short leaflet to ask you, our Parishioners, how you would feel about the Parish Council taking on some or all of these services.

We have tried to give you as much information as possible but if you have any further questions or comments there is room for this too, so please take the time to look at this as it could affect everyone.

If you wish us to take on the services we will look to do this by Spring 2016.



***\*Means average cost per household per annum. This should be the maximum cost and we will endeavour to get the best price if parishioners wish us to provide the service. Average cost of Parish Council Tax for 2015/16 was £64.70 (Band D)***



### Parish Road Sign Cleaning

Although Cornwall Council (CC) do have a duty to keep road signs clean and legible, they are generally cleaned as and when CC are notified of them being dirty (usually by the Parish Council) and they are cleaned ad hoc.

We feel it would be more efficient and cost effective if the Parish Council regularly cleans the signs within the Parish. This would include all types of signs, from name places, traffic signs and historical signs such as fingerposts.

### Options

*Please tick the option you would prefer:-*

1. Keep things as they are (CC to clean ad hoc) - cost to you £0\*

2. Parish Council to clean on a regular basis - cost to you 67p\*

Other/comments:-

### Village Verge Management

CC has a duty to maintain roadside verges for road safety only. This means that they only cut grass in villages about once a year.

This leads to villages looking untidy. Most areas of our villages are maintained by homeowners, local community groups and housing associations but there are some verges which are not and they let down the rest of the village.

The areas which would be affected are highway sites such as around bus stops, junctions such as Reawla Triangle, verges around Notice Boards and leading to play areas.

### Options

*Please tick the option you would prefer:-*

1. Keep things as they are (CC to cut annually - cost to you £0\*

2. Parish Council to manage some verges on a regular basis - cost to you £1.35\*

Other/comments:-

### Village Highway Weed Control

CC has a duty to maintain the highway to a safe standard and made the decision not to continue weed spraying highway paths last year.

The Parish Council does feel this could lead to a false economy as if the weeds are not treated they could make the paths unsafe and future maintenance will increase higher than the cost of weed control.

We want our villages to look nice and feel loved so want to give you the option. Please note the Parish Council would only carry out weed control on publicly maintained roads.

### Options

*Please tick the option you would prefer:-*

1. Keep things as they are (no weed control)- cost to you £0\*

2. Parish Council to treat weeds on a regular basis - cost to you £1.18\*

Other/comments:-