

Community Resilience Report March 2021

Community Collaboration Activity

Our Prompt Action Fund, awarded to the Parish Council in March 2020, has remained predominantly untouched throughout the Pandemic. Interventions to support our community have largely been funded via goodwill and donations. In February this year we were, therefore, able to use remaining funds to purchase and distribute Community Shop gift vouchers to 40 worthy recipients within the Parish.

The Clerk has received a huge amount of positive feedback that confirms our gesture landed well.

Damaged Flood Gate

A village resident raised a concern regarding damage to the flood gate in Russell Close.

The Environment Agency has confirmed their team will repair the gate.

Community Emergency Resilience Plan

The final version East Budleigh with Bicton Parish Council Emergency Resilience Plan is now available, and has been added to the centrally held Emergency Services Resilience Plans folder as a reference point should need arise.

Highway Warning Signs

In February 2020 Council purchased 8 heavy duty 'FLOOD' warning signs from an Emergency Resilience grant.

We have now identified further need for traffic warning signs, initially to warn of pedestrians in road whilst bulb planting along the verges takes place in Yettington.

The Clerk has cost details for the purchase of 2 traffic bollards and 3 pairs of signs to provide a flexible solution where short term warning signage is needed.