



CARLTON IN LINDRICK PARISH COUNCIL

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This month (November) will see improvements made to the Burial Ground alongside the A60 Highway near to the Church. Access will be made better through the provision of a perimeter pathway around the site covering the grassed areas which are unsuitable in wet weather conditions. In addition, vehicular access surfaces will be improved so that the whole area is much better for those visiting the site.

The Council has also finalised the purchase of land in Hundred Acre Lane for development as a new burial ground for the Parish. Land availability at the Church is becoming exhausted and plans will be put in place shortly for development work to commence on the Hundred Acre Lane site.

You will be aware that continuing "austerity" measures bring difficulties to District & County Councils in maintaining current service levels. To counteract some of the problems, this Parish endeavours to work in cooperation with principal authorities in order to support "joint" working arrangements which help to minimize any adverse effect on rural communities.

The provision of Youth Services, the production of the Neighbourhood Plan, the provision of environmental services along with the community accommodation at the Civic Centre are good examples of joint working arrangements which are supported by your Local Council for the benefit of the Parish Community.

At a time when the budget provision for the year 2017/18 is under consideration residents can be assured that services will be maintained within the present level of Council Tax requirement and that an increase in the Parish Tax is not envisaged for 2017/18.

Can I once again remind residents that Parish Council meetings are held at 7pm on the second Tuesday of each month (except August when we don't meet) at the Civic Centre and your attendance is very much welcomed.

Finally, the festive season approaches once again and can I on behalf of the Parish Council wish you and your families a Very Happy Christmas and a Peaceful New Year.

PC Goulding
Clerk