

County Councillor Annual Report 2021/22

This report summarises the activities of the following member of the County Council during 2021/22

Name of Councillor Tony Gillard

Division Represented Whitwick

Electoral Division activities

Main Activities and the impact during the past year:

Speeding traffic remains a serious issue in the Whitwick Division. Highways maintenance, Severe weather conditions (snow) affecting village roads, Planning matters, Environment issues, Street lighting and fighting crime, Grass cutting and weed spraying, Constituents enquiries. I have been working with the County and the Police to improve all the above.

Community Leadership Role

I have used my MHF to improve aspects of my Division by listening to what residents and Parish Councils have requested. Having street lighting switched on all night to help residents feel safer, Helping local businesses obtain grant funding from LCC. Improving the winter gritting programme. Supporting Whitwick Parish Council with their VAS scheme.

Engagement with the Council, other statutory bodies and public utility companies (Water, Gas etc) about services in the area

I have been working with Seven Trent whilst they have been carrying out extensive improvements. Liaising with MQP Whitwick quarry and residents following their re opening of the quarry. Working with NWLDC on County matters to help and assist them with matters related to LCC.

Priorities for the immediate future are:

Reducing speeding traffic. Environmental issues planting more trees. To improve Street lighting and timings. Highways pedestrian safety, Improve services such as education Bus services and gritting of our roads during severe weather conditions.

Council Activities

County Council Committees You Served On

Past DCRB (vice chairman) to date I am chairman of the Highways and Transport overview and scrutiny committee.

Local Committee/Outside Bodies

Whitwick quarry liaison committee. Whitwick parish council

Other Bodies

NWLDC member
Whitwick Parish Council Member

Other Matters

Briefing Note

It is a great privilege to represent and serve the residents of my Division and the residents of Leicestershire .

Communications

I communicate with residents on social media advertising in community magazines, visiting local pubs clubs shops and businesses as well as social gatherings such as charity events picnic in the park and walking in my division.

Signed by Councillor:- Tony Gillard

Date:- 21st June 2022