



Bertie Harrison- Rushton

Annual Report 2022

Submitted as the Member for the Bosworth

As I finish my second year as your County Councillor, I'd like to thank all the local community groups and residents across the division who have got in contact with me. It is a real delight being able to represent the electoral division of Bosworth at Leicestershire County Council.

Please find below some of the highlights from the past 12 months

If you ever have any matters you would like to discuss, please feel free to email me at;

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Members Highways Fund:

- For the second year running, the Members Highways Fund was open, which gave members £25,000 spending on highways and environmental improvements to their division.
- A number of schemes are still being delivered, such as Heritage Signs in Sutton Cheney and VAS in Nailstone.
- However, some schemes have been delivered such as the installation of twelve kissing gates, in addition to the three installed last year.
- This now means it is possible to walk from the The Square in Market Bosworth, across Silk Hill and through Carlton to Shackerstone station without climbing a full stile.



Carlton Parish Councillor Mick Viner thanking County Councillor Bertie Harrison-Rushton

Council Activities:

- Over the past year, I have served on the following committees:
 - Full Council
 - Employment Committee
 - Environment and Climate Change
- Each committee has completed important work, with the employment committee looking into ways of working for the Council staff, and Environment and Climate Change monitoring the Councils environmental performance and delivery against our manifesto commitment of 'One Tree for Every Person in Leicestershire'
- Next year I will be serving on the following committees:
 - Full Council
 - Employment Committee
 - Combined Fire Authority
- Outside of council, I continue to collaborate actively with all 12 Parish Councils across the division.
- In the past 12 months, I have ensured all councils receive a monthly report on County Council news and business, excluding December and August due to Christmas and Summer breaks.
- In the coming year, I also plan to deliver a 'Councillor's Newsletter' within the division to keep residents updated on my activities.

Other Activities:

As your County Council I continue to:

- Support residents to ensure we have well-maintained roads that are safely managed
- Do as much as possible to keep bus routes open, and if closing, provide residents and local groups with information so they can still access transportation or find updates
- Work with officers on the maintenance and operation of Market Bosworth County Park
- Support and take part in community events such as Market Bosworth Park Run, Remembrance Sunday Parades and community events.

