

Clerk's Report to 5th November, 2015

- **Litter Bins** – Ian Smith will shortly be removing the bin outside Tower House and replacing it with a larger bin. The bin taken from Tower House will be re-located on Church Road
- **Notice Board at Rooksmoor** – Ironworks have now installed the aluminium notice board at Rooksmoor
- **Bike Tracks** - Update will be given under agenda item 2015/134
- **Funded Public Transport Consultation** – Information was posted on noticeboards to enable individuals to comment
- **Home Office Consultation on powers for Police staff and volunteers** – This was completed on behalf of the Parish Council following discussion with councillors by Cllr. Hamilton
- **Gloucestershire Highways** – Several reports have been sent to Amey regarding a faulty street light, branches across the cycle path, Japanese knotweed and a stile in need of repair off Culver Hill. The condition of the cycle path over the bridge between Paul's Rise and Bird's Crossing was also reported as the felt is again starting to lift
- **Customer survey for Amey** – A customer satisfaction survey relating to efficiency of the service was completed by the clerk on behalf of the Parish Council
- **Refuse** – Fly tipping at the top of Selsley Road was reported to SDC
- **Consultation on Polling Stations** – This was completed by the clerk on behalf of the Parish Council
- **Stroud District Council's Garden Waste Collection** – This service has now been launched, operating from February to November each year. The cost to householders is £36 annually, plus £20 for the purchase and delivery of the wheelie bin. Residents can sign up online or by telephone. The clerk will receive posters shortly
- **Sewage in the water course near Little Britain Farm** – This has been reported again to David Griffith, Principal Environmental Health Officer at SDC. It was investigated in January and it appeared that Severn Trent Water had permission from the Environment Agency to discharge sewage into the watercourse. It has recently been reported again as being a problem
- **LED street lighting** – This will be installed throughout the county from November beginning with the urban areas.

Cheques signed/to be signed since the meeting of the 3rd September, 2015

15.09.15	Glasdon – 50l litter bin	747	£103.88
15.09.15	Leopard Press – Printing Woodchester Word	005	395.00
04.10.15	Parish Online Renewal	748	£33.60
22.10.15	Ironcrafts Ltd. – Manufacture and installation of mounting frame for Rooksmoor notice board	749	£288.00
10.11.15	Clerk – Salary from 2 nd September-10 th November, laminator	750	£960.28

Planning Decisions

Consent has been granted for:

- S.15/1869/TPO – 2 Lawns Park, North Woodchester - T1 Ash – remove dead branches (safety work) T2 Ash – remove dead branches (safety work) T3 Chestnut – fell (damage to wall)

- S.15/2065/TCA – The Nook, Station Road – 3 conifer trees – removal. Damson tree – reduction and reshape. Silver fir tree – crown raise
- S.15/1792/HHOLD – Eastways, The Headlands, North Woodchester – Second storey extension
- S.15/1804/HHOLD and S.15/1807/LBC – Millbank, High Street, South Woodchester – Removal of existing outside toilet and garden store at the rear and the conversion of existing store and washroom into a granny annexe.
- S.14/1567/FUL – Convent of Poor Clares, Convent Lane – Conversion of the northern part of the hotel and associated works
- S.15/1884/LBC – The Cottage, Selsley Road – Replace existing windows and 2 x french doors
- S.15/2050/VAR – Q Park, Bath Road, Inchbrook – Application for the removal of condition 12 – restrictive B1 use from planning permission S.06/2673/FUL
- S.15/2126/HHOLD – The Nook, Station Road – Demolish single block built garage and adjacent shed and replace with two bay carport

Applications Received

- S.15/1236/FUL – Woodchester Mill, Selsley Road, North Woodchester – Planning application (B) for the retention of former piano factory for B1 use, demolition of redundant industrial buildings, erection of 6 no. dwellings and conversion of stone building to 2 no. B1 units
- S.15/1237/FUL – Woodchester Mill, Selsley Road, North Woodchester – Planning application (A) for the retention of former piano factory for B1 use, demolition of redundant industrial buildings, erection of 6 no. dwellings and conversion of stone building to 4 no. dwellings
- S.15/2234/FUL – Land at 4 Southfield Cottages, Manor Drive, Woodchester – Erection of one detached house
- S.15/2388/HHOLD – The Rise, Cow Lane – Remove existing entrance porch and creation of new door and window on northern elevation. New extension on southern elevation. New extension on eastern elevation. New porch and front door on existing property. Removal of chimney.