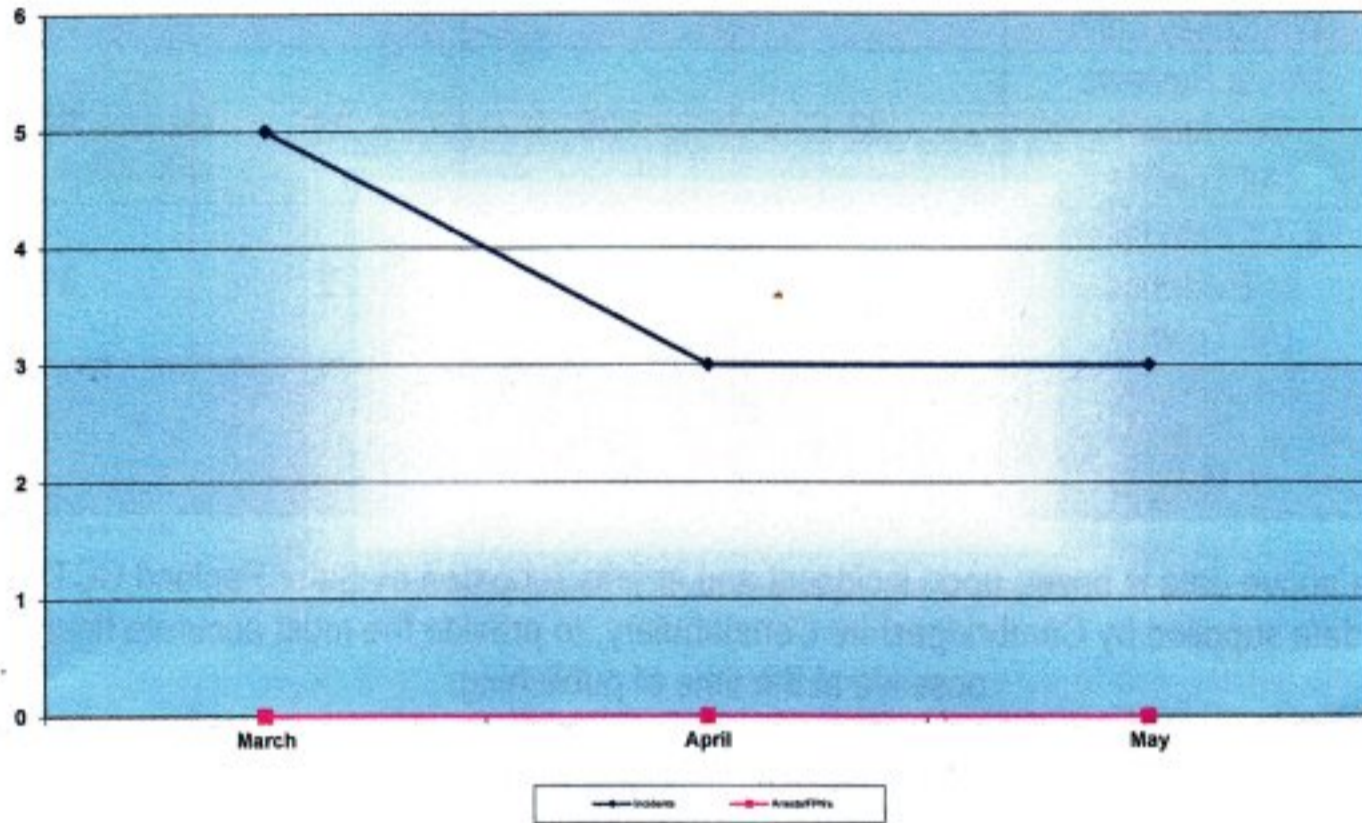
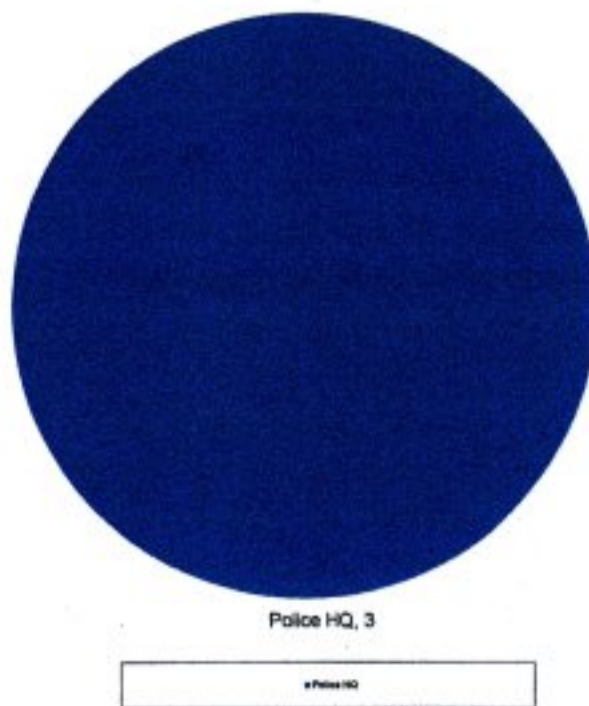


Whittlesey Town Council CCTV update May 2019

Number of Incidents and Arrests for Whittlesey From March - May



Incidents by Call Source for Whittlesey for May



Data Chart of Performance Figures for previous three months

	March	April	May	Total
Total Incidents Recorded (Whittlesey only)	5	3	3	11
Arrests / Fixed Penalty Notices (Whittlesey only)	0	0	0	0
Media Reviews Conducted (All Towns)	23	25	19	67
CCTV data taken as Evidence (All Towns)	13	9	9	31
CCTV Patrols Completed (All Towns)	316	306	289	911

The above data is based upon incidents and arrests recorded by Safer Fenland CCTV and data supplied by Cambridgeshire Constabulary, to provide the most accurate figures possible at the time of publishing.

Incident Highlights for May

Incident 1

10th May 2019 at 09:10hrs, Police Control requests observations on a domestic premise linked to domestic violence. The CCTV team conducts observations on the premise whilst police attend. Police attend and all is in order.

Incident 2

25th May 2019 at 21:00hrs, Police Control requests observations for an elderly female on a mobility scooter who is stuck within the tennis courts at the Manor Leisure centre. The CCTV team conducts observations whilst Police attend. The female is assisted by police so no further assistance is required.



Whittlesey Town Council Update

July 2019

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Street Pride and Community Groups

June has been a busy month for Whittlesey Street Pride. The start of the month saw the group begin their planting of their floral projects as well as maintenance to the Plough at Coates.

With the unpredictable weather however one of the groups litter picks was rained off but the other held during glorious sunshine attracted 12 volunteers and the group welcomed a new member.

On Thursday 13th June, an open evening was held for community groups and organisations to hear about the Changing Views Grant Fund which is available for improvements to derelict and vacant buildings and sites. The funds are available to voluntary community groups who are keen to improve the visual appearance of empty buildings or vacant sites - this could be achieved by the implementation of a number of simple measures e.g. decoration, hoarding, grounds maintenance. 7 community groups attended with a number of suitable projects being identified. An application has been received by the Whittlesey Mud Walls group.

Environmental Health

Whittlesey and surrounding villages Performance Report : June 2019	
Food Safety Inspection Plan:	
Number of food safety interventions completed	3
Number of Food Safety Warning Letters/ Notices sent	0
Number of Food Safety Advice letters sent	3
Food Hygiene Rating Scheme	
Number of Food Safety Premises whose score went UP	3
Number of Food Safety Premises whose score went DOWN	0
Number of Food Safety Premises whose score STAYED THE SAME	0
Requests for Service	
Total number of Requests for Service received in 2019 /20	112
Number of Requests for Service received in June 2019	52
Number responded to within 5 working days	52

Streetscene

Performance	
Total time out and about on patrol in the local community:	56hrs
Number of cleansing inspections carried out:	15
Percentage of cleansing inspections found to be of a suitable standard:	100%

Green Dog Walkers

While out on our dog patrols at the Manor, we continue to receive good feedback from users of the open space about the dog bag dispenser. Members of the Green Dog Walkers have advised that they have seen a reduction in dog fouling. They are continuing with their organised community walks and pick up any fouling they see and build a rapport with other dog walkers to talk about the campaign. We are pleased that this continues to be a friendly approach to tackling dog fouling and there has been no confrontation. The amount of bags being used in the dispenser has been steady suggesting that people are not abusing it or emptying it all out in one go.

Additional patrols have been carried out in all open spaces, the Memorial Garden, The Bower, St Mary's Church Yard and The Walk. We have also visited Feldale Lakes, Coates, as it has become a busier location for dog walkers. All signs here have been refreshed and the lakes river bailiff has our details to report any issues.

Tidy Fenland - Fly tipping and Duty of Care

The total number of fly tipping instances recorded for the month of June 2019 was **112**. Broken down into Towns and Villages, is as follows:

- March 6
- Chatteris 7
- **Whittlesey 17**
- Villages 32
- Wisbech 50
- Total **112**

Fly tipping cases for the Whittlesey area Breakdown by Villages is:

Eastrea	0
Coates	0
Turves	3
Benwick	1
Ponders Bridge	0

Officers attended 9 fly tipped sites to search for evidence these include household waste Fly tipped at West Delph. Unfortunately no evidence was found but a service requests were raised to remove the waste as soon as possible to avoid attracting further Fly tipping.

Kingdom Enforcement actions this month

- 35 FPNs have been issued by Kingdom during June.
- 24 of these were in Wisbech, **6 in Whittlesey**, 4 in March and 1 in Chatteris.
- 29 were for smoking related litter offences, 3 for food related, 1 for a betting slip, 1 for spitting and 1 for not having a dog on a lead.

Abandoned Vehicles

- 8 vehicles have been reported and investigated as abandoned in whittlesey. All were removed by persons unknown when issued with a Notice.
- Officers have also responded to 2 nuisance vehicle reports, including Caravan left in the St. Marys Car park. We have been able to establish who the owner was and speak with him to get it removed.
- Street Scene is also talking to residents in south Green Coates regarding 2 vehicles parking on the open space.

Street Scene Actions

- Additional patrols have been carried out to monitor the Kings Dyke Layby
- We are patrolling the Council owned moorings for boats overstaying.
- 6 x Fly posters have been removed from the town.

Planning Enforcement

Performance	
Service Requests received in June 2019	7
Total number of Service Requests in 2019-20	12
Cases Closed this month	1 (11 in year to date)
Notices Served	0

With regard to the case that was closed, it was found that no breach of planning control had taken place.

Open Spaces

Excellent growing weather has seen the first impact of the areas of sustainable planting with an array of purple coloured plants coming to the fore (orange and yellow to follow). Occasional extra watering has taken place where required and nearly all plants have taken to their new environment. Any gaps will be tackled at the earliest opportunity.

The Water Tower play area has been well used since opening and the missing bin replaced. Planters have been delivered to the cemetery and the Manor field, so well used by the popular new Park Run group, has been well-maintained. Remedial work to the perimeter wall at St Mary's Church continues.

Elsewhere the cemetery has been cut on time and to the required standard. It would be accurate to say that some areas in town have occasionally been missed by the contractor but public and FDC vigilance has meant that follow up remedial work has taken place more quickly than previously.

With the contractors on schedule for the season thus far it will enable additional works to be carried out promptly and a number of orders for additional work have been placed that will commence in July including the laying of more cremation slabs and a site tidy up around the leisure centre.