



**SANDOWN TOWN COUNCIL**

# Press Release

## **COUNCIL CONSIDERS CONVENIENCES CHOICE**

Sandown Town Council are taking forward the re-provision of Public Toilets, at Eastern Gardens and St Johns Road, following the receipt of 6 expressions of interest from potential providers.

Mayor Gary Young said 'As residents know, we had hoped to have new Toilets in Sandown this year, but the pandemic interrupted our plans, and we are now in a place to be able to seek specific proposals for both sites, as well as further engage the local community with the projects'.

Deputy Mayor Paul Brading added 'Initial consultation prioritised these 2 sites, as well as highlighting the possibility of charging and increasing accessibility, factors that we have built into the specification'.

The Town Council have also included Covid compliant requirements, as well as ensuring future proofing, and are also asking residents to help prioritise other factors that were identified in earlier consultations.

Cllr Young concluded 'We have set up a working party to take forward the communities priorities, and hope to arrange a Town Council meeting in December to decide on one or both major capital projects for the Town in 2021'.

The consultation, together with one on the Steven Jenkins Playground, are on the Town Councils website.

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