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**REPORT TO KIMPTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING:
WEDNESDAY 28 SEPTEMBER 2022**

On Patrol with Hertfordshire Constabulary

During the Summer it was a real privilege to go out on patrol with officers of the St Albans Intervention Team responding to a variety of 999 calls on the Friday Night Late Shift. The experience was not only exciting but incredibly insightful into both the reality and challenges of Frontline Policing. Very early on it was clear to see how dedicated the officers I was accompanying were to protecting the public, upholding the Rule of Law and making a genuine difference in our community.

Welcoming Residents to the Houses of Parliament

It was great to welcome Kimpton Residents alongside Bim Afolami MP for a tour of the Houses of Parliament. Residents had the opportunity to see Parliament, hear about some of its history and question Bim about their local and national priorities. If any resident wishes to join a future tour I encourage them to sign up using this link: <https://www.bimafolami.co.uk/parliament-tours>

Attending Proclamation Ceremony at County Hall

I was truly honoured to attend the Proclamation Ceremony on the Accession of His Majesty King Charles III at County Hall on Sunday 11 September along with the Lord Lieutenant, High Sheriff, Members and Officers of Local Authorities across the County amongst many others.

Calling In Planning Application

I have called in Planning Application 22/00982/FP due to concerns over inappropriate development in the Green Belt. It is my view that it would be in the Public Interest for this application to be determined by the Planning Committee.

Attending Hertfordshire Constabulary Surgery in Kimpton

It was fantastic to speak with PC Pugsley and PCSO Burrows at the Hertfordshire Constabulary Surgery on Friday 23 September and encouraging to see lots of residents using the opportunity to raise concerns directly with our local Neighbourhood Policing Team. I'm delighted to report that another Surgery will be held on Friday 25 November from 10:30 until 12:00 in the Dacre Rooms, Kimpton.

Submitting a Response to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England

As the Parish Council is aware the Local Government Boundary Commission for England is currently looking at proposals for a new pattern of electoral wards for North Hertfordshire. I can confirm that I submitted a response to the Commission during the Public Consultation expressing support for the submission made by the Parish Council.



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