

Recommendations: To note the report

The following items of correspondence have been received since the August council meeting:

- **Downlands precinct** the council has been consulted about the state of the pavement on the south side of the Downlands precinct, where cars park obstructing pedestrians and potentially causing damage to the pipes which underlie the pavement. However, the council does not own this pavement.
- **Care when strimming** a plea has come in for contractors to take care when strimming, particularly in long grass, so as not to injure resting animals. This was prompted by discovery of a shredded metal can in the village car park, near the Hall. The parish council's mowing contractor, the Hall's mowing contractor, and Wealden District Council's contractor, have all been notified and sent assurances that they will take care.
- Friston Pond during the summer a resident reported that water levels were low and asked whether extra supplies could be pumped in. This could not be done at the time, but the Pond has since recovered.
- Endurance Life this organisation is planning an endurance event for March 2019 using some rights of way in the parish. For details (and to enter) see the website <u>www.endurancelife.com/sussex</u>
- **Parking at The Fridays** residents have reported that they are still experiencing problems with contractors from the housing development site parking outside their homes. The Chair is writing to the landowner to request help in ensuring that contractors' vehicles park considerately.

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