

**Date:** 6<sup>th</sup> March 2025

**Title:** Report Item 16 – Correspondence Report

**By:** Fiona Chalk (Parish Clerk)

**Purpose:** To receive an update on correspondence received

**Recommendations:** To consider the report and agree any actions arising from  
The correspondence received

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The following correspondence has been received:

**Consultation by Transport for South-East on their [Transport Strategy](#)**

A draft response has been proposed and is attached for consideration and approval.

**Exeat Bridge Proposal – ESCC**

An Exeat Bridge FAQs is attached for perusal. The Chair, in consultation with the Vice-Chair and Highways Lead, has sent a letter in response ahead of ESCC meeting on 4<sup>th</sup> March, copying to various stakeholders and media outlets.

**Recreation facilities**

A number of emails have been received from both parents and teenagers on the state of the tennis/basketball area, raising concerns about the poor state of equipment and the area in general. A few suggestions have been proposed:

- Replacement bench (in hand)
- Replacement of 2 x basketball nets – 1 is too small and the other broken
- Placement of a bin for rubbish (often drink/sweet wrappers)
- Placement of a coat rail on the tennis court fence to hang jackets, tennis racket covers, etc on

A rough estimate of costs for the above works is:



2 x basketball nets    £300

1 x Rubbish bin + fixings      £300



1 x rust resistant coat rack      £20



**Total = £620 + vat**