

## Meeting of Clerk with Ines Scillitoe, Highways Devon County Council

April meeting    Venue: In and around the Village/Fulford Road

Date: 14/04/2026    Time: 10:30 – 11:30    Weather: Cold, dry and sunny

### Points raised: -

1. Grit bins revisited! – The Clerk had gained some quotes and wanted to confirm size that was needed. Ines thinks the situation may have changed again and she may be able to order them and claim the money back from DCC. The Clerk will email Cllr Keeling to say that Ines is taking this forward. Some grit bins have instructions in them, and some do not. Instructions to put in the grit bins are being reprinted. The Clerk has bought 2 trowels to trial in the bins. These will be passed to Cllrs for their comments. **Action Clerk/ Ines**
2. Briton Street verge where lorries drive over the gully - The Lengthsman prepared the area in March in readiness for the Verge markers from Ines. Ines will chase up the contractors.  
**Action Ines**
3. Berry Lane drains –Ines confirmed that Highways will still maintain the drains, even though the road has been unadopted. They are on the list to be cleared and jetted. **Action Ines**
4. **Proposed footpath B3212** – Ines thinks it would be best to organise a site visit of all concerned. She will speak to a colleague in DCC (MD) who deals with this and will inform the Clerk of dates/times. **Action Ines**
5. Ines had already confirmed that she will attend the evening session of the **Annual Parish Meeting on the 30<sup>th</sup> April**. The Council is grateful for her giving up her time to do this.
6. We drove the other half of Fulford Rd and reported the potholes that fitted the criteria.

Lynne Ogden Clerk to Dunsford Parish Council April 2026

**It is important to keep reporting any potholes that fit the criteria of a defect as these will be dealt with. The Clerk will keep advertising the link to do this.  
For flooding, please allow 24 hours after the rain has stopped, to allow for it to drain away, before reporting.**

<https://www.devon.gov.uk/roads-and-transport/report-a-problem/>