ADDERBURY PARISH COUNCIL

Date of Parish Council Meeting	Tuesday 27 April 2021
Agenda Item Number	Item number 9 (iv)
Author	Theresa Goss
Title of Report	Dog Waste Bin
Summary	To discuss a request for a new dog waste bin on Oxford Road/Berry Hill Road.
Recommendation	That a dog waste bin be purchased if a suitable location be can be identified. Either along the Oxford Road or at the end of Berry Hill Road near entrance to bridleway to sewage works.
Reasons for the Recommendation	To deter people from throwing either throwing dog waste bags into the hedge or putting it into residents' bins.
Impact on Budget	Dog waste bin would be circa £200, plus installation.
	Emptying is £1.27 per week (emptied once a week during the winter and twice a week during the summer)
Risks	That dog waste will continue to be put in residents' bins or thrown into the hedge.
Background	The request for a dog waste bin came from a local resident:
	I am emailing you with regards to having a dog waste bin situated at the end of the bridle path on the main oxford road. opposite Berry hill Road. The reason for this request is that I have been in contact with Cherwell District Council as my household waste bins have not been emptied recently. The reason being dog owners have been putting their dog waste into my bins when I have put them out for collection.
	As we are a farm with a rather long drive we have to take our bins to the end of our drive the night before as collection is any time after 6.30am.
	As we have all left for work by 7.30am if the collection hasn't been made the bins remain at the end of the drive until our return.
	We have also had bags thrown inside our gateway and the bridlepath hedgerow regularly has bags hanging from them. We have horses adjacent to the bridlepath so this is potentially very dangerous to them. A few years ago one of our horses chocked on a bag.
	Whilst we do everything we can to ensure the horses cannot reach the hedgerows it is an ongoing problem.

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	I believe a bin at the end of the bridle path or opposite would alleviate the problem. The council have kindly arranged for us to have lockable bins but this will not stop the dumping of the bags in the driveway.
	I do not know if a bin could be put at the end of our driveway, but the entrance belongs to Park Farm and the Bridlepath belongs to Grounds Farm.
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