

DOWNTON PARISH COUNCIL



25th July 2019

Dear Resident

Gulley/Drain clearing by Wiltshire Council Contractor 9 am on Wednesday 31st July 2019

I am writing on behalf of Downton Parish Council to advise you that Wiltshire Council need to do some work to clear the drains and gullies in The Borough to ensure that there is less surface water on the road when the adverse weather arrives in the autumn/winter. This work is being done in response to feedback received from some residents.

The Parish Council needs your co-operation in the parking of vehicles as the gulley tanker is the size of a refuse lorry and needs to park beside the drain in order to clean it.

Wiltshire Council's highway contractor, Ringway, will be in **The Borough** from **9 am to 11 am** next **Wednesday, 31st July 2019** to clear every highway drain on both sides of the road from The Bull Public House up to the pinch point near Tannery Bridge.

We ask residents to park on the **evening of 30th July** with this information in mind and the Council will be putting cones around as many drains as possible to ensure that they can remain as accessible as possible. It also asks that you move your vehicles **before 9 am on Wednesday 31st July** so that the tanker can clear your nearby drains.

Both Wiltshire Council and the Parish Council thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Yours sincerely

Handwritten signature of Bev Cornish.

Bev Cornish
Clerk to the Council