The Parish Council met with Sizewell C (SZC) in April and May when SZC explained that the average speed cameras will be installed at either end of the village on the B1125 in May and will be activated in June. They also said that the entrance to the village on the Reckford Road will be moved south to be closer to the lay-by with the glass recycling bins and that the speed limit on the road to Middleton will be reduced to 50mph. The other traffic calming measures within the village (narrowing the road around the Crown with the island by the church entrance, the double yellow lines, and the road-narrowing "build-out" by the playing field entrance) will be installed in October following official consultations for the Traffic Regulation Orders. At the same time, the road into Blythburgh by the water tower will be blocked-off – this should also deter traffic taking the shortcut to the B1122 via Westleton. Please see the Parish Council website for more information from the 7 May SCZ Northern Transport Forum.

The Planning Inspectorate (PI) has invited organisations and individuals to register as *interested parties* to allow participation in the PI Examination of the Sea Link cabling and converter station project. The Parish Council will register and recommends that residents also register as the additional traffic and construction works required for the Sea Link project will impact our area already suffering from the SZC works. The more individuals who register as interested parties to oppose the project, the harder it is for the Planning Inspectorate to approve it. **The deadline to register is 23 June**. You can find information and guidance, and subscribe to receive Planning Inspectorate updates at the Sea Link page on the National Planning Inspectorate website (project EN020026) and on the Energy projects page of the Parish Council website.

Planning for a picnic/fete for villagers on Sunday 6 July (12-4pm) is underway. We hope you will join us for an afternoon of music, food and drink and games.

The Parish Council is seeking to appoint a Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer. Please contact Ian Haines on <a href="mailto:clerk@westletonparishcouncil.gov.uk">clerk@westletonparishcouncil.gov.uk</a> if you would like to see the job description and apply.

The next Parish Council Surgery will be on June 30, 10-30-11.30 in the Village Hall Foyer. The surgery is an opportunity for residents to raise concerns/ask questions to the Parish Council.

Andrew Turner Chair, Westleton Parish Council