

May 2025 - Borough Councillors Report

There is a new approach to grassland management for TBC. The council will no longer cut Highways verges on behalf of GCC. They will be responsible for maintaining their own land through various contractors. No mow May is to be encouraged in some areas to help with the biodiversity agenda. If you haven't seen the e mail, I will send it.

Highgrove House has written to a number of professionals re the continued issues they are experiencing at their treatment unit. It was suggested that Abbeycare coordinate the meeting. Has anyone heard anything more? The Community Safety and antisocial behaviour officer, Karl Simpson, would like to be involved.

Nick Bryant who was previously the Associate Director of Planning, has just been promoted into a new position as Director of Growth. The SLP will be part of his remit, alongside development management, policy and building control services, and Community Infrastructure Levy

New Major is to be elected tomorrow night. It is to be Kashan Pervais. Thanks must go to Philip Workman, the outgoing Major who will be a hard act to follow

Full Council to take place on Wednesday, so not a lot of updates at this stage in the month

JKS 12/5/2025