CROMER TOWN COUNCIL

PRESS RELEASE

CCTV

At a special meeting of Cromer Town Council held on 09 December 2013 the Mayor, Deputy Mayor and Clerk reported on recent meetings held with representatives from Fakenham, North Walsham, Sheringham and Wells to discuss the offer from NNDC to hand over the CCTV to the towns. It was noted that Wells Town Council has already decided not to progress this. Members were asked to consider a proposal to invest £500 towards an independent report into CCTV. It was noted that the current CCTV system in Cromer costs £39,000pa to run. It was also noted that the camera in North Lodge Park could be retained as a stand-alone camera.

Members raised concern in respect of the cost of taking on the CCTV system especially at a time when finances are tight and other projects are also underway. It was noted that some of the cameras are old and spare parts are no longer available should the cameras fail.

Following discussion it was reluctantly agreed that the cost of pursuing CCTV is too great and Cromer Town Council will not proceed to fund £500 towards the independent report.

Town Clerk

11 December 2013

NORTH LODGE, OVERSTRAND ROAD, CROMER, NORFOLK, NR27 0AH
Tel: 01263 512254 Website: www.cromertown.org
Email: clerk@cromertown.org admin@cromertown.org