

SEPTEMBER 2012

Filey 'Town Crier'

FILEY TOWN COUNCIL



Former Filey Police Station



An exciting new opportunity has arisen and been presented to the Town Council. North Yorkshire Police have been working in partnership with Filey Town Council and the council are now pleased to announce that the former Police Station in Murray Street, Filey has been offered to the Town Council (subject to contract) for community use. Due to confidential negotiations taking place between both parties it has not been possible for this information to have been released until now.

It is envisaged that this building of historical importance on the high street could incorporate new Council Offices, a more accessible and user friendly home for the Crimlisk Fisher Archive, a large multi-functional room for a variety of purposes, meeting rooms, rooms available for community use and a small short stay town centre car park. However nothing has been decided at this stage until the Council has consulted with members of the public and any other interested parties and agencies on what services you would like to see in Filey which could be considered as part of this exciting project to benefit the local community. This project supports some of the priorities which have been highlighted in the Filey Town Plan 2010 – 2015.

As a Quality Town Council members are proactively seeking ways in which we can provide more local services on our doorstep for our local community. Filey Town Councillors would like to see our Town Council located in the heart of the town to better serve its community and to improve accessibility and accountability to you, our electorate. If supported by the community the Town Council will endeavour to relocate to the former Filey Police Station without incurring any additional costs to council tax payers and will explore ways in which the facility can financially sustain itself.

As part of the 21 day consultation period the Town Council would now like to receive your suggestions and ideas by 12 October 2012 to gain public opinion prior to the Town Council taking this project forward.

Please write to us with your views either by email on mail@fileytowncouncil.co.uk or write to the Town Clerk at Filey Town Council, Council Offices, 52A Queen Street, Filey YO14 9HE or alternatively complete the questionnaire which is currently being delivered to each household and is also available on our website www.fileytowncouncil.co.uk

We value your input into Filey Town Council acquiring the former Filey Police Station building as a community asset to be used by local people.

Think carefully

If you do not want to use it, then we will lose it!



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CONSULTATION QUESTIONNAIRE

FORMER FILEY POLICE STATION BUILDING

Murray Street, Filey

Do you agree that this building should be used for community use? Yes/No

What services would you like to see in the former Police Station?

Council Offices Yes/No

Crimlisk Fisher Archive Yes/No

Large Function Room Yes/No
e.g. used for large meetings, functions, weddings etc

Meeting Rooms for community use Yes/No

Rooms for community use Yes/No

Short Stay Town Centre Car Park Yes/No

Other suggestions for the use of the former Filey Police Station building.

(please continue on a separate page if necessary)

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Name.....

Address

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Tel No

Email

Please return this form to
The Town Clerk,
Filey Town Council, Council Offices, 52A, Queen Street, Filey YO14 9HE
by no later than 12 October 2012.