## **County Councillor Report**



## Parish Councils, July 2024

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**Election Moratorium and Meetings** – The moratorium has now ended. Suffolk County Council's first full council meeting under the new national administration is on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July. The Health Scrutiny Committee meets on 17<sup>th</sup> July and will consider Dentistry, Sexual Heath and Contraception Services for young people, and proposals for some Suffolk residents to use the new orthopaedic centre in Colchester to open later this year. The next meeting of the main Scrutiny Committee is in September when it will consider performance of Milestone under the new Highways Contract.

**National Grid Pylons Consultation Update** - There is still time to respond to the consultation which has been extended until Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July, refer to: <a href="nationalgrid.com/norwich-to-tilbury">nationalgrid.com/norwich-to-tilbury</a> Note that on 21<sup>st</sup> May SCC Cabinet passed a resolution asking Government and National Grid to pause the process to allow full evaluation of options to overhead pylons.

Revised dates for National Grid's webinars are below, register for them via Project website.

Date and Time	Topic
Wednesday 10 July 2024: 6pm-7pm	Section A and B South Norfolk and Mid Suffolk
Thursday 18 July 2024: 6pm-7pm	Project Overview Two

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