

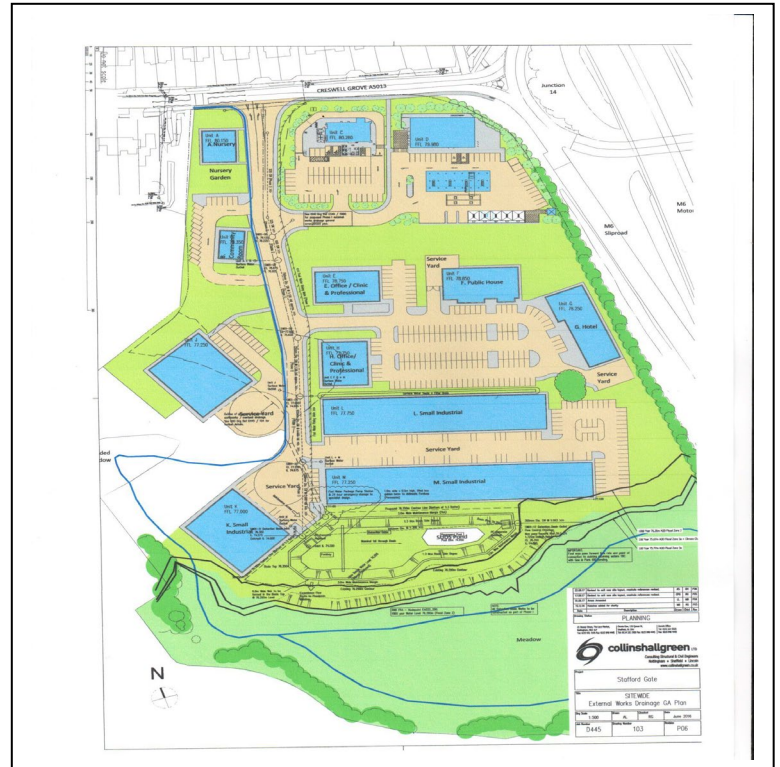
# The Creswell Chronicles

*Keeping You In Touch With Creswell Parish Council*

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*We would like  
to wish  
everyone in  
Creswell a very  
Happy  
Christmas and  
blessings for  
the New Year.*



## Wait continues for Creswell Grove & Marston Grange Development Plans

The two major planning applications in the Parish, the application on Creswell Grove (pictured above) and the application next to Marston Grange for up to 700 dwellings and other facilities, are still to be decided by Stafford Borough Council. We understand that both decisions are delayed in order that more information can be supplied to the Council and some statutory bodies.

The Parish Council have replied to both applications and have raised local concerns about the lack of information sent to some residents. Local residents have also been making their feelings known to the local authorities.

We have been told that both applications should be coming close to a decision soon.



## Tributes Paid To Parish Stalwart

Tributes have been paid to Peter McNamara, who served the residents of Creswell so well over many years. Peter passed away earlier this year and is very much missed by the community.

For many years, Peter led the Neighbourhood Watch in the village, keeping everyone informed and encouraging new initiatives. He was involved in many aspects of life in the Parish and of Stafford as a whole and we owe him a great debt.

Parish Council Chairman, Cllr. Maria Redfern, commented: "Peter has always been one of those people who was always there, always helping or wanting to know how he could help. He will be sorely missed but his contribution to our community will live on."

## New Proposal for Storage Unit on Redhill

A planning application has been submitted for the erection of a new self-storage facility and office accommodation with associated car parking and external works on the Redhill Business Park.

The application, submitted by local company 'Storage Boost', would see a four story building erected at the entrance to the business park, just off the A34 Stone Road.

The Parish Council have responded, citing concerns about visual, light and noise disturbance for local residents at Marston Grange and Redhill. Concerns have also been raised about the amount of jobs that will be created in a self-storage facility. The Redhill business park was established on the basis of job creation.

Any residents who would like to make their own representations about this application should cite planning number 17/27327/FUL. More information is available on the Borough Council's Planning Portal at <https://www12.staffordbc.gov.uk/online-applications>.

## The End of the Chronicle

This will be the last edition of 'The Creswell Chronicles'. Our Parish newsletter has had this traditional name for a good number of years, but it has been felt recently that all Parish Council communication should, as the slogan goes, "do exactly what it says on the tin". From next year, our Parish newsletter will be known as the 'Creswell Parish Council News'.

## Fly Tipping

We have had some instances of fly tipping recently. If you see any, please, if you can, take pictures of anything that may be useful, such as addresses or company details etc., that may help identify the culprits. If you see anyone fly tipping, please try to take down vehicle details. Please pass any information onto the Parish Clerk, who can in turn pass it onto the appropriate officers at the Borough Council. However, please don't start rooting through the waste. You don't know what could be in there.

**To find out more, go to: [www.creswellparishcouncil.co.uk](http://www.creswellparishcouncil.co.uk)**

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