



Agenda Item 5 (additional information)

Council
25 November 2020

Title: Petition

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Portfolio Holder: Andrew Day

Public briefing note

Wards of the District directly affected: None

Contrary to the policy framework: No

Contrary to the budgetary framework: No

Key Decision: No

Included within the Forward Plan: No

Equality Impact Assessment Undertaken: No

Consultation & Community Engagement: No

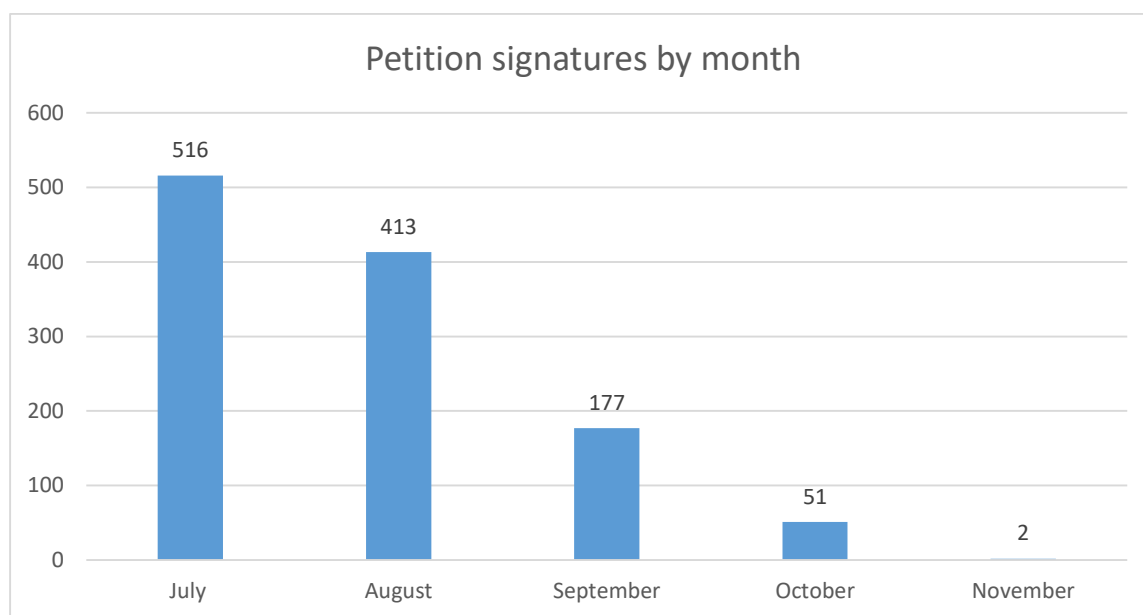
Final Decision: Yes

Officer/Councillor Approval

Officer Approval	Date	Name
Chief Executive/Deputy Chief Executive	16/11/20	Andrew Jones
Head of Service	16/11/20	Rose Winship
CMT		
Section 151 Officer	16/11/20	Mike Snow
Monitoring Officer	16/11/20	Andrew Jones
Finance		

1. Background

- 1.1 Following the submission of the Petition titled "Restore Kenilworth Lido" as set out on Item 5 of the agenda, the Chairman of the Council asked for officers to analyse the signatures and provide an over of these to Councillors as part of the agenda papers.
- 1.2 On the petition submitted, on 4 November 2020, there were 1204 signatures of which 45 were discounted by officers because they were duplicate, incomplete or blank. This provides a revised total of 1159.
- 1.3 The petition was launched in July with the first signature on 19 July. The most recent signature received was on 1 November 2020. The graph below shows the number of signatures by month.



- 1.4 From the 1159 signatures 1128 (97.3%) were from the UK. The table below provides a breakdown by country, of those signatories from outside the United Kingdom.

Non-UK country	
Spain	10
Australia	5
USA	4
New Zealand	2
Cambodia	1
Canada	1
Cyprus	1
France	1
Hong Kong	1
Isle of Man	1
Netherlands	1
Sevastapol, Crimea	1
South Africa	1
Uruguay	1

- 1.5 Table 3 below provides a breakdown of the United Kingdom signatories by being in Warwick District and outside the District.

Table 3

WDC/Non WDC	
WDC residents*	435
Non-WDC residents	724
% WDC residents	37.5%

NB: the current population of Warwick District is 142,484.

- 1.6 Table 4 below sets out the details of signatories by postcode within Warwick District.

Table 4

WDC postcode	Signatures	% of WDC signatures	% of total signatures
CV8	237	54.5%	20.4%
CV31	29	6.7%	2.5%
CV32	104	23.9%	9.0%
CV33	4	0.9%	0.3%
CV34	36	8.3%	3.1%
CV35	25	5.7%	2.2%
B94	0	0.0%	0.0%
B95	0	0.0%	0.0%

- 1.7 It should also be noted that the petition is still available so sign on line and there are now 1264 signatures on line (as at 16 November 2020) however officers had not been provided with an updated list of signatures to review the potential additional signatories.