

## NETTLETON PARISH COUNCIL

### SNOW AND GRITTING ARRANGEMENTS FOR 22/23

NPC HAVE PREPARED A SNOW RESPONSE PLAN WHICH HAS BEEN APPROVED BY WC. **THIS WILL BE ACTIVATED BY THE EMERGENCY SNOW COMMITTEE (ESC) ONCE THE WC EMERGENCY WEATHER TEAM ISSUE A SNOW WARNING**

THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR SNOW CLEARANCE AND GRITTING ARE SUMMARISED BELOW

#### SNOW CLEARING

- A local farmer has kindly agreed to clear roads and is entered into a contract with WC who will bear all the cost of providing the tractor mounted snow plough, wages etc.
- Attached plan shows the roads that will be cleared in blue once the Snow Response Plan is activated
- *Please note that Drifton Hill to west of West Kington is prone to drifting and quickly becomes impassable. Furthermore, South Gloucestershire Council do not keep the Tormarton/Marshfield Road clear or grit. Therefore, is important that NPC maintain a clear access to the B4039, which WC do keep clear, through the parish at all times*

#### MEDICAL EMERGENCIES

It could arise that an ambulance can't gain access to one of the villages and a resident need to go to hospital/doctor's surgery/dentist etc urgently, or people like carers need to get into the villages.

The following residents have kindly agreed to be on hand to offer transport in 4-wheel drive vehicles and to having their contact details published:

**Nettleton** - Bob Prior - 07974948861/Darren Lutton 07747803228

**W Kington** - Eddie Ackerman 07723076274/Kevin Phillips 07768 644013

**Burton** - Jenny Minney 07796247349/ Jill Brack 07935024981

#### GRITTING BY WILTSHIRE COUNCIL

- WC on normal precautionary measure (P1) grit A420 and B4039.
- In extended cold weather the Fosse Way is gritted (P2).
- Should there be severe prolonged cold weather then community routes are triggered, see attached.

#### GRIT BINS

- Following a survey by NPC, requested grit bins are filled prior to the Winter.
- Every effort will be made by WC to fulfil requests to refill them during the Winter. Residents are encouraged to make a request via the My Wilts app, website or call 0300 456 0105, where you will be given a reference and sent updates.
- If a grit bin is damaged, please report via the My Wilts app, website or call 0300 456 0105
- The salt may only be used on the highway and not on private driveways or property. As a guide, salt should be applied at the rate of 1 tablespoon per 1m<sup>2</sup>

If refilling is necessary and you are unable to raise a request via my Wilts please email Councillor Lisa Dafforn [lisamdafforn@icloud.com](mailto:lisamdafforn@icloud.com)

#### PRIVATE GRIT BINS

- WC are unable to provide additional bins to residents

#### EMERGENCY SNOW COMMITTEE (ESC)

**Councillors** Dafforn (Lead) 07834453408 Minney 07796247349

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## **DISCLAIMER**

This Council does not operate a snow wardens scheme as neither Wiltshire Council nor the Parish Council's insurers are currently able to offer personal accident insurance for people clearing and gritting roads and the filling of grit bins from reserves

## **FURTHER INFORMATION AND QUERIES**

Please contact Councillor Lisa Dafforn

Distribution NPC website; Notice boards