

Happisburgh and Walcott Parish Council

Dear Sir/Madam

We are writing on behalf of Happisburgh and Walcott Parish Council in Norfolk. We have recently received a letter from local MP Mr Norman Lamb who asked to look into this matter at a Parish Council Meeting.

This item was discussed at the meeting of 31st January 2005 and was agreed by all Councillors present that we DO NOT wish to see our public telephone boxes removed as they are used very regularly especially during the tourist season.

In our area many mobile phone networks are unavailable and network coverage is very poor, so tourists need to have the telephone boxes in place for use.

In fact BT are in the process of laying cables in a new site for a public telephone box in the village of Happisburgh and therefore cannot see the point in then removing it. The telephone box in Walcott is situated at the local store and again is used very regularly by visitors to the area.

Please therefore, could you pass on these comments to the relevant persons. We will then hope to receive any comments from them or yourselves and keep our telephone boxes in this area.

Yours faithfully

Parish Clerk
01 February 2005