



County Council Report for Stuston Parish Council

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Opportunity to Comment on new Suffolk Design Guide – The Suffolk Design Guide is being updated and the Council invites members of the public to comment. The [survey](#) closes on Wednesday 31st October. It is anticipated that the Design Guide will be a material Consideration in future planning decisions across the County and will help steer developers toward good design (style, access, layout for example) at an early stage of projects. A link to the survey can be found on:

<https://www.hemingwaydesign.co.uk/suffolk-design-guide/>

Suffolk's 2019/ 2020 Budget Consultation is open - and can be accessed by visiting www.suffolk.gov.uk/budget2019 Hard copies will be available from libraries. The consultation closes at 5pm on Friday 16 November.

Suffolk Carers' Survey - Suffolk County Council, the Clinical Commissioning Groups, Health, and Suffolk Family Carers are undertaking a joint survey about home care and family carers. Answers will be used anonymous and the identity of responders protected. Complete the survey online by 22nd November using the following link: www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/FamilyCarers/ Please address any queries to Helen Robinson on 01473 260354 or by email to: family.carers@suffolk.gov.uk.

Schools Application Deadline - The deadline for applications to secure a place at a Suffolk secondary school for 2019/ 20 is 31st October 2018. For primary schools it is 15th January 2019. Secondary schools include high and upper schools and primary schools includes infant, junior and middle schools. Note that the new school transport policy offering service for new students only to the nearest suitable school will commence in September 2019. More information about the changes is available at www.suffolk.gov.uk/admissions