WELLS TOWN COUNCIL

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CLERK'S REPORT WRITTEN FOR THE MEETING TO BE HELD **MARCH 2012** & PREPARED 24.02.12

1) Greg & and I have been working together during the past month three mornings a week. This has effectively meant that we have only been working half the usual number of hours, so there has been a certain amount of piling up of the least important work. With effect from the March meeting we will be working alternate mornings and only working together one day a week – so we will start to eat into the pile!

2) We both attended the hospital meeting and also the presentation put on by the Marine Management Organisation during the past month.

3) A temporary traffic order comes into force between 7 March and 10 March closing High Street to vehicles to lay ducting.

4) Anglian Water continues to spasmodically investigate the water leak onto the children's playground. Neither Ray, nor I are happy with the speed of their investigations and I therefore wrote the letter of complaint enclosed elsewhere. At the time of writing, I have not yet received a reply or acknowledgement. I feel that they are laying themselves open to criticism from the Press if they do not sort this out soon, since we are reading regularly of water shortages.

5) Following the e-mail from the "Big Red Bus", Greg spoke to Becky Jefcoate and the bus will be making regular visits between now and April and parking on the Maltings car park on Wednesday evenings.

6) Allen, Greg, and I will be attending a *Localism and Planning Seminar* at NNDC Cromer on Tuesday 28th February.

7) Following criticism by some members of the board of the Maltings Trustees citing a possible conflict of interest I have resigned as a trustee from that body (representing the history group). Joice and Ben Francis have similarly resigned from the Field Study Working Group.

8) At the time of writing I have received no applications for the two Councillor vacancies – if you know of any suitable candidates a "quiet word" might be appropriate.

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