

Councillor Report for St. Mawgan-in-Pydar

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Area Report

St. Mawgan

- Sun Haven parks application for extension (PA25/04001) decision expected next month (September).
- Request to review speed limit outside of Sun Haven Park (currently 60Mph). Will work with Parish Council on this and other speed related issues.
- A new committee for Airport matters has been approved by Cornwall Council. Named "Community Stakeholder Committee", this committee will be attended by Phil Mason (CC Strategic Director, Sustainable Growth) and myself. A working structure with all local stakeholders needs to be established with PC and TC.

Cornwall General Report

Here are several recent developments.

Transport

- New bus fares from 3 August 2025. Parish and Town Councils advised on 25/7.

Council Meetings and Motions

- On July 22, 2025, Cornwall Council held a Full Council meeting where a significant motion was passed, calling for Cornwall to be recognized as the UK's fifth nation alongside England, Scotland, Wales, and Northern Ireland. This motion, proposed by Cllr Dick Cole and supported by Council Leader Cllr Leigh Frost, emphasized Cornwall's distinct national identity and sought a devolution settlement to reflect this status. The council planned to write to Prime Minister Sir Keir Starmer and Deputy Prime Minister Angela Rayner to build support for this recognition.
- The meeting also discussed various topics, including devolution, abandoned boats, hydrotherapy, and plastic flying rings, indicating a broad agenda addressing local issues.

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Environmental Advocacy

- On July 23, 2025, Cllr Leigh Frost called for an urgent meeting with the new Chief Executive of South West Water to address water quality and pollution issues in Cornwall's rivers and seas, highlighting the council's focus on environmental concerns.

Health Service Communication

- On July 25, 2025, the council informed residents about industrial action by resident doctors, set to continue until July 30, advising them to attend scheduled appointments unless otherwise notified and to use NHS 111 for medical advice.