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Mayor's Report January 2024

Volunteers

Further meetings have taken place regarding the development of the volunteer initiative. We have 37 volunteers now 'on the list' with a further 24 'interested'. We got further publicity from the BBC which ran a segment about the initiative on Spotlight.

With regard to volunteers, we have received a request from Morval and Widegates to try to find more volunteers to operate the Community Speed Watch initiative.

Town Clerk six monthly probationary period review

The Mayor and Deputy Mayor held a six-monthly review meeting with the Town Clerk following her initial employment. Proposals will be put to the Staffing Committee at the meeting on the 30th January.

Meeting regarding Tourism in Looe

A meeting was held with SECTA to discuss tourism in Looe and forthcoming changes in tourism legislation. The development of a marketing and communications strategy for the town will become an increasing priority.

Meeting with Looe Lions

A meeting was held with representatives from Looe Lions and other interested parties to discuss the purchase of an ambulance for Ukraine from the people of Looe. An opportunity came up to purchase an ambulance via a loan from the Lions. A plan for a programme of activity will now take place to raise funds to repay this loan with a view to sending the ambulance over to Ukraine in April/May.