## MEETING REPORT FOR RINGWOULD WITH KINGSDOWN PARISH COUNCIL ON MONDAY 09.01.23

Firstly, we both hope that you all enjoyed an enjoyable rest during the Christmas break and would like to wish you all a very Happy New Year.

The council was closed from 23<sup>rd</sup> December until 3<sup>rd</sup> January so there is very little to report other than the following:

## HOUSING SURVEY

Dover District Council is launching a district-wide housing needs survey and is asking all residents to take part.

This is the first time the council has directly consulted with residents in this way. This survey will ask residents, and members of their households, about their current and future housing requirements.

The results will help the council shape its 2023-2028 Affordable Housing Strategy, which is designed to ensure the affordable homes which are required for local people are delivered, either by DDC or by other registered providers, such as housing associations.

The survey will be open for public response from Tuesday, January 10, to Tuesday, March 7.

More information can be found on the DDC website <u>www.dover.gov.uk/housing-needs-survey</u>

## LOCAL ISSUES

## 1.15 North Rd

Still awaiting a decision. I have sent a chaser to the enforcement officer, the Head of Planning, and the Heritage Officer to ascertain what is going on with this case and why there are delays. There will certainly be more information at February's meeting.