

Ashbourne Allotment Association Mr J Scott, Secretary 51 St John Street Ashbourne DE6 3GP Please ask for: Direct Dial No My Ref. E-mail Carolyn Lucas 01629 761233 Estates/South/A00508 carolyn.lucas@derbyshiredales.gov.uk

10 November 2020

Dear Mr Scott,

Council Resolution to 'Protect Derbyshire Wildlife'

We are writing to inform you of an important resolution passed at a Council meeting on the 8^{th} October 2020. In response to a motion that was raised by Councillor Claire Raw for discussion it was decided –

- 1. That the culling of badgers on all land owned by Derbyshire Dales District Council be banned.
- 2. That the District Council support the protection of Derbyshire Wildlife and seek support from DWT to install clear signage designating protected areas on Council land and information to the public on the Council's website about where to report any unlawful killing of badgers.
- 3. That the Council acknowledge and thank the volunteers in Derbyshire Dales working to protect Livestock though the vaccination programme.

As an occupier of Council land at Ashbourne we would like to draw your attention to the first point and the first line of the second point. At this stage I am not sure whether Derbyshire Wildlife Trust will be in contact with you about the installation of signage.

If you would like further details of the decision and discussion it can be obtained on the Council's website at <u>https://www.derbyshiredales.gov.uk/images/1 - 2020-10-</u> <u>08 Council.pdf</u> or view the meeting on you tube at <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NmxYUuz3huY&feature=youtu.be</u>

Yours sincerely,

aralyn hucas

CAROLYN LUCAS MRICS SENIOR ESTATES SURVEYOR

Paul Wilson, MCD, Dip TP, Dip Mgmt, MRTPI Chief Executive Town Hall, Bank Road, MATLOCK, Derbyshire DE4 3NN For general enquiries telephone 01629 761100 or visit <u>www.derbyshiredales.gov.uk</u>

Information communicated to the District Council may be disclosed to the public under the Freedom of Information Act 2000