

# Press Release

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## **GENERAL SERVICES COMMITTEE**

The States of Alderney General Services Committee held its monthly meeting on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June. The full minutes will be published as soon as possible but the following matters are worthy of note.

### **Refurbishment of Harbour Showers & Toilets**

The Committee agreed in principle to investigate the refurbishment of the Harbour Showers and Toilets situated on the Commercial Quay, to include provision of disabled facilities and an ATM. Membership of the Project Board has been established in order to oversee the project, and the first stage is to seek expressions of interest from architects. It is envisaged that the work will commence during the winter months ready for the 2015 season.

### **Disability Access in Town area**

Following the recommendations from the access group, the Committee agreed to proposals to improve disability access from the key health care facilities of the Connaught Care Home and new Doctors Surgery, and Victoria St, to enable those members of the community with reduced mobility to access communal areas in town. Tenders will be sought for the first phase which involves improving the alleyway access from Le Val Car Park to Victoria Street.

### **Water Board – Distribution Improvements**

It was noted that works to connect private properties in the Venelles des Gaudions area to a UPVC water pipe in the road will reduce the risk of leakage and improve water quality. This work, along with recent work in Marais Square and the Trigale, means that much of the town mains water supply is now in modern pipework rather than the old German pipework.

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<sup>1</sup> The members of the General Services Committee are:

Chris Rowley  
(Chairman)  
Raymond Berry  
Steve Roberts  
Ian Tugby

Chris Rowley – Chairman, General Services Committee