## **SmartWater for the Parish of Sutton Maddock**

Sutton Maddock Parish Council have been looking into SmartWater as a way of helping to reduce theft in the Parish.

SmartWater is a forensic traceable liquid that can be used on possessions to give them their own unique code. This means if they are stolen and the police find them they can be traced back to their rightful owners and the criminals can be traced back to the crime.

There would be no cost to residents as the Parish Council would look at ways of funding the SmartWater, which they would purchase for £9 per household if there was enough uptake (businesses would have to purchase their SmartWater independently). There would also be SmartWater signage put up as a deterrent to thieves.

Cleobury Mortimer have used this system and we have been informed it has reduced the rate of theft greatly.

Presently, we would like to find out how much interest there is in using SmartWater as we need an 80% uptake from all residents in the Parish to pursue the matter further.

Please have a look at the SmartWater website for more information www.smartwater.com

If you would be interested in using SmartWater please return the slip below to the person who delivers your newsletter or drop it off at Brockton Grange. Alternatively, you can contact the Parish Clerk, Samantha Young on 01952 730216 or email <a href="mailto:clerk3smpc@outlook.com">clerk3smpc@outlook.com</a> by 1<sup>st</sup> September 2017.

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