

Llanfair Waterdine Parish Council Report (March 17)

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Topic:	UPDATE ON BROADBAND
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In October 2016 the Parish Council held an open meeting to give as much information as possible about the rollout of broadband in the Parish . Chris Taylor head of connecting Shropshire was the main speaker and he suggested that further information would become available at the end of February 2017 .

I am now able to report the latest information we have been able to get from Chis Taylor .

It has transpired that some work in Llanfair will take place under the current Phase 2 programme .

The work involves the installation of a copper cabinet (FTTC) at the Vedw turn which is expected to give significant benefit to properties in the Village as far as St Marys Church, and also benefit properties at Black Hall .

Other work under phase 2 will enhance speeds around Graig Cottage and Graig wood Cottages (FTTC))

Both of these pieces of work are scheduled for the 2nd /3rd quarter of 2017.

Other properties notably Teme Cottage ,Nantiago and Coach House have already benefited from the Welsh contract (FTTP).

The Area to the west of Llanfair Village is served by the Beguildy exchange. This was put out to tender as part of Phase 2 (b). There are no further details on a provider at the moment, but I was able to find out that Shropshire Council is considering a solution that has been offered .As soon as information comes available it will be published

Shropshire Council has also recently been successful in a bid for LEP money to provide grants of up to £25,000 to SME businesses unfortunately Farms are unable to apply, but other businesses may well be eligible, and should make contact directly with Chris Taylor to get the necessary information .

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