

Correspondence from the Town Forum

Dear All,

As you may be aware, Liskeard Town Forum members recently suggested a project to explore the regeneration of the Water Fountain on the Parade. As you know, this fountain is a prominent feature in a popular location for events in the town.

One suggestion has been to reintroduce flowing water, which could be used to refill water bottles. This would have a benefit for walkers and cyclists.

I am writing to ask if LTC and the facilities team would have any objection in the town forum promoting the Water Fountain and exploring its regeneration with members from the forum. At this moment no costing is available, and no physical action would be undertaken without permission from LTC and the Facilities team.

The forum would be glad of any information LTC has on the fountain, especially if the water pipes have been confirmed as lead free, and what work can be undertaken to perhaps clean up the exterior stone work.

Some forum members are also enthusiastic to consider additional stand up water fountains to be used as refill points at other locations around the town. Similar fountains have been installed at Bude, as mentioned in this story: <http://www.bude-today.co.uk/article.cfm?id=110383&headline=Refill%20point%20officially%20launched§ionIs=news&searchyear=2018>.

Locations that could be considered around Liskeard are, Westbourne Gardens and the Railway station? As the on-going costs of any water fountains could impact LTC, we would like this project noted for consideration and any comments would be welcome.