

## Chairmanship report

Many thanks to ASPRA for inviting me to stand in as acting chairman a roll I left many years ago, I see many changes specially in communications to members.

The cost of operating the association has grown with rises in printing, and hall hire, sponsorship of projects for the good of the community etc therefore in order to keep up with costs I propose that we round up the annual subscriptions to £5 which will also ease collections of any cash payments, this proposition will need to be seconded and carried at the AGM. Following a recent reduction in membership I also propose that we prioritise renewals, recruiting lapsed and finding new members.

Please be vigilant regarding new council planning proposals, the extension of local controlled parking zone and the consultation regarding a 20 mph zone locally.

I think it's important that we all reply to any consultations from the council otherwise the views of a minority will prevail.

I look forward to seeing you all at the AGM Steve White