COUNTY COUNCIL – 21ST JULY 2020

CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

SERVICE DEVELOPMENT

Chairman's Commendation

The Chairman announced the start of a scheme for this Council to formally recognise the efforts of individuals, community and voluntary groups and businesses for the additional support they have provided across Cambridgeshire since the national pandemic was recognised.

The scheme which has the support of all Group leaders gives all of our elected members the opportunity to put forward suggestions of people in their own Divisions whose efforts are worthy of receiving an official Chairman's Commendation. Further details of the scheme and how Members can nominate individuals or businesses for it will be sent to all Members this week.

MESSAGES

<u>Armed Forces Week 22 – 27 June</u>

The Chairman was delighted to be able to mark Armed Forces Week by showing his appreciation via video to the men and women who are serving, or have severed in the military, many of whom are amongst our own staff. Armed Forces Week is a chance to show support for currently serving troops, including reservists, as well as veterans, cadets and their families.

Cambridgeshire County Council is among the signatories to The Armed Forces Covenant, a commitment from public and private organisations to support the active and retired Armed Forces community.