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20 September 2021

Mr S Hawkins

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Dear Mr Hawkins,

**Iken Waste Investigation/Reconstruction of the River Walls**

On behalf of Iken Parish Council, I write to express concern that we are approaching yet another winter and a fourth year of the waste investigation without any evident course of action bar the commissioning of another time-consuming report at great expense.

I urge you to consider the effects of this delay on our residents, many of whom have written individually. Iken Parish Council adds its voice to the many calling for the reconstruction of the river walls and the waste investigation to be separated so that work on the reconstruction of the river walls can begin.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully,

Jeremy Hinves

Chair

Iken Parish Council

c.c. Tim Beach, AOCP

c.c. Alison Andrews, A & O

c.c. Giles Bloomfield, EA

c.c. Jane Marson, IDB

c.c. Jane Maxim, AOET