

**Extracts from the 2019 St Dogmaels Community Council Toilet Survey reports**  
**Poppit Toilets only**

**1. Actual costs for year 2018**

	Rates	Electric	Water	Cesspit	Responsive	Cleaning/materials/ consumables	Total	Overheads	Overall Total
<b>Poppit Sands</b>	436.9		225	10128	750	350	11889.9	4648	16537.9

PCC could not account for missing service charges.

The questionnaire did not cover the financial implications of renovating the toilet block at Poppit

# Analysis of Residents/Business Questionnaires

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## 1. Overview of Analysis

150 questionnaires were returned by 17/11/2019 and form the basis of this analysis.

Of which :

- 127 Indicated they were Full time residents.
- 4 Indicated they were full time residents but also were 2<sup>nd</sup> Home owners
- 17 indicated they were 2<sup>nd</sup> home owners only
- 1 Indicated they were non-resident business owners (Non Precept payers and therefore excluded from the “additional Precept payment analysis”)
- 1 questionnaire was received which was clearly from a non-resident and thus excluded from the entire process.

NB Some 2<sup>nd</sup> home owners and Full time residents included in the above also declared themselves as businesses, giving a total of 12 Business responses for selected questions.

NB Not all 2<sup>nd</sup> Home owners stated they were businesses



### **3. Poppit Sands Toilets**

#### **3.1 Use of Toilets**

- 134 indicated they used the toilets
- 14 indicated they didn't use the toilets
- 1 didn't know whether they used them

Of the 134 who used them they used them on average 27.2 times in the past 12 months.

#### **3.2 Willing to Pay additional Pay Precept of £22.16 (2019 estimate) or not?**

- 75 said they would be willing to pay the additional amount
- 69 said they would not be willing to pay the additional amount
- 2 gave no indication either way
- 2 were void as ticked all or multiple boxes and therefore indication not established
- 1 was a business owner Non-resident (and therefore does not contribute to Precept)

#### **3.3 Business owners : Effect on Business?**

Of the 12 responses from declared Business owners

- 10 indicated closure would effect business
- 2 indicated it would not

#### **3.4 Would you still visit Poppit Sands if toilets were closed?**

- 91 indicated they would
- 36 Indicated they would not
- 22 gave no indication of didn't know?

#### **4. Second Home owner Analysis**

##### **A Total of 21 respondents declared as 2<sup>nd</sup> Home owners**

##### **Resident in Village = 4**

- Willing to Pay increased Precept for Both Toilets = 2
- Not willing to pay for either = 1
- Void Response = 1

Non indicated for one or other of the toilets

##### **Non Resident in Village = 17**

- Willing to Pay increased Precept for Both Toilets = 11
- Not willing to pay for either = 6

Non indicated for one or other of the toilets

#### **5. Residents Analysis (Excluding the 4 Second Home owners)**

##### **A Total of 127 respondents declared as Residents only**

##### **Poppit**

- Willing to pay additional Precept = 59
- Not Willing to pay additional Precept = 64
- Void Response/No Indication = 4

## Analysis of Visitor's Questionnaire Poppit Toilets

### Visitors Questionnaire Analysis for the Public Toilets at Poppit Sands

Questionnaires identified as having been completed by St Dogmaels' residents were excluded from this analysis

#### 3.1 Poppit Sands

Of the total 1372 visitors accounted for in the returned Questionnaires, there was an average of 3.6 people for each visit per party.

Number of questionnaires returned as of 30/9/2019 = 390

#### a) Gender and age analysis.

Age Group Years	Number of People	Percentage of Total	Percentage Male	Percentage Female
Under 2	28	2%	No Gender Requested	No Gender Requested
2-12	197	14%	56%	44%
12-17	127	9%	55%	45%
17-45	289	21%	42%	58%
45-64	446	33%	42%	58%
65+	285	21%	48%	52%

#### b) Visitors by Home Region.

Region	Percentage
Unknown	11%
Pembrokeshire	6%
Other UK	82%
Overseas	1%

#### c) Disabled Requirements.

28% of respondents said that they had a requirement for disabled facilities for their party

#### d) Would visit if Poppit toilets were closed?

Answer	Number	Percentage
Unsure	23	6%
Yes	87	22%
No	280	72%

#### e) Respondents answer to Toilet Charging

<u>Response</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Unsure	9	2%
Would Not Pay	33	9%
Would Pay	348	89%

Of the 390 questionnaires processed as at 30/9/2019, 345 respondents stated they would pay and indicated an amount they were willing to pay which showed an average of £0.27

#### 4. Conclusions

Whilst the survey took place over a relatively short period of time, with peak visitor numbers during the survey period expected to be within the timeframe 19/8/19 to 30/8/19, with a seasonal decline during the weeks in September, the key factor emerging from the exercise is the number of visitors who **would not return to Poppit** should the toilet blocks be closed.