

Coronavirus (COVID-19) update from Cllr Gareth Roberts 16 April 2020

Cllr Gareth Roberts: Hello, over the last few weeks attentions have quite rightly been focused on the most vulnerable in our society, particularly the shielded, the vulnerable and the isolated to make sure that they are being protected during the COVID-19, coronavirus pandemic. However, we must not lose sight of the fact that there are other people in the borough that need our help. Those who are feeling the financial squeeze more than ever as result of perhaps job losses, furloughing or general financial hardship. We must make sure that these people are also protected. You can do your bit, if you can, by making a donation to your local food bank. Most major supermarkets will have a food bank donation box near the tills, or you can go onto the website which is going to come up after this message to find out how you can donate directly to your local food bank. Please do during this particularly troubled time remember that there are those who are having it really tough at the moment. So, if you can, please do help. Thank you.

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