Fast Broadband Connectivity

Government Local Full Fibre Network Programme

Stratford-on-Avon District Council has undertaken some research in relation to what options may be available around the provision of Rural Broadband and at its Cabinet meeting on 26 November 2018 agreed to submit a BID for Government funding to the Local Full Fibre Network Programme. This fund has allocated £95 million for the UK and welcomes BIDS from Multi Authorities.

It is their intention to submit a bid on behalf of Stratford-on-Avon District Council and any Parish Council that may wish to be included. SDC would undertake the submission of the bid on our behalf.

Wilmcote Parish Council have indicated that we are interested to be included in this BID as we are aware there are some parts of the parish that experience poor broadband connectivity. To help us in formulating our contribution to this BID we are interested in your experience with your broadband connection.

Could you please send the following data by 10th February 2019 to Liz Butterworth: lizbutterworth1@btinternet.com .

1. Upload speed
2. Download speed
3. Continuity of connection i.e how often do you experience loss of broadband
4. Are you interested in having fibre optic cable run into your home even if there is a charge
5. Your address so we can gauge how the broadband connectivity varies across the parish

Your upload/download speed can be checked via the any of the following websites:

 <https://www.broadbandspeedchecker.co.uk>

[www.speedtest.btwholesale.com](http://www.speedtest.btwholesale.com)

[www.bt.com/help/home/broadband/speedtest](http://www.bt.com/help/home/broadband/speedtest)

  <https://broadbandtest.which.co.uk/>

<https://www.uswitch.com/broadband/speedtest/>