

COME AND MEET “ELLIOT” THE DRAGON PATCHER

On TUESDAY 6TH AUGUST AT 9AM

IN THE MEMORIAL HALL CAR PARK



Cllr Rob Humby, Executive Member for Economy Transport and Environment and Deputy Leader of Hampshire County Council in the cab of a Dragon Patcher

Cllr Wooles of Sparsholt Parish Council recently won a competition to choose a name for the new Dragon Patcher. On Tuesday 6th August at 9am, Hampshire Highways are bringing their new vehicle to Sparsholt to be named **Elliot** and to demonstrate his skills.

Please come and meet Elliott. You'll be in good company, we are also expecting Cllr Rob Humby, Executive Member for Economy Transport and Environment and Deputy Leader of Hampshire County Council, County Councillor Jan Warwick, City Councillors Patrick Cunningham and Caroline Horrill and members of Sparsholt Parish Council to join us

The Dragon Patcher is quick and efficient: it can repair a defect five times faster than traditional methods and is effective in all weathers as its 'flame' is able to heat and dry a frozen or wet road surface before repairing it. The whole operation, which is done by one person working from the cabin, takes just a few minutes, and the road is ready for traffic immediately afterwards.

Hampshire County Council has invested in two Dragon Patchers for exclusive use on Hampshire roads, as part of its commitment to ensuring Hampshire's extensive road network is well maintained.