

Review of the Parish Council's gas supplier

The Parish Council are currently on a fixed term contract with British Gas for their gas supply. This expires on 6th July 2013.

In March Officers received a renewal letter from British Gas offering a further one year contract at the following costs:

Standing charge	0.000 p/day
Contract unit charge	6.09 p/kWh

If the Parish Council did not want to renew the contract in July a termination letter needed to be sent by 7th April 2013.

The Clerk looked into other contracts through uSwitchforBusiness.com and found cheaper rates. Therefore notice was served on British Gas that the Parish Council would not be renewing their contract.

The Clerk again contacted uSwitchforBusiness.com on 7th June and their current rates are as follows:

CNG Standard Gas business tariff – 1 year contract
Day unit rate: 4.651p per kWh
Standing charge: None

CNG Standard Gas business tariff – 2 year contract
Day unit rate: 4.685p per kWh
Standing charge: None

E.ON Standard Gas business tariff – 3 year contract (before 2% c/c discount)
Day unit rate: 4.45p per kWh
Standing charge: £34.61 per quarter / equivalent to 37.93p per day

A quote has also been requested from LSI Utility Brokers but their figures will not be received until 24th June. They will be circulated at the meeting.