## District councillor's report, February 2012

## 1. Hartismere Hospital

Hartismere Hospital first phase is almost finished, the hand over from the developers to the NHS will be 16<sup>th</sup> March 2012. Needless to say we are all delighted that after so many people have fought to save services on the site, we are nearing completion.

There will be a grand opening in May/June once the building is fully in use.

## 2. Better Broadband for Suffolk

This campaign is aimed at bringing superfast broadband to Suffolk. In recent weeks the EADT has joined the campaign recognising the benefits to businesses and residents alike. To demonstrate Suffolk's need and desire to improve access to broadband, a new survey has been launched. As part of the questionnaire, you'll be asked what your current internet speeds are and what speeds you'd be interested in getting.

Completing the survey doesn't involve making a firm commitment, but it will help to show the level of demand and likely take up of superfast broadband services in Suffolk and make the county an attractive place for potential providers to invest in.

The link is here: <a href="http://www.suffolk.gov.uk/broadband">http://www.suffolk.gov.uk/broadband</a>

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