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Dear Anne-Marie Trevelyan

It is nearly five months since you wrote to the CEO of South Tyneside Council on my behalf about the Boat Shelter on Tyne Slipway being built without, in the Council's own words, planning permission.

It is also six weeks since I sent an email to your Office Manager asking if Mr Swales had replied. However I have had no response.

It would appear, if he has not written to you yet, that I can only assume he is condoning the irregular planning practises of his staff. The residents did raise a Petition with 300 signatories about this.

It would also appear that the Council are trying to hide the fact that the shelter has been built too high by accepting an application to extend it, as well as adding another shelter and extending the office block to the boatyard.

It also confirms my suspicions that the Planning Office are unable to provide the CEO with any dated and approved plans that show that the shelter has not been built 3m higher than planned.

However, to get to the point, you wrote:

"Mr Dawson maintains that the shelter is not appropriately located and is clearly concerned that planning conditions are being ignored and are not being enforced by the Council." and "I would be grateful to receive your views on this matter, so that I can report back to my constituent"

Are you able to report yet?

yours sincerely

Michael Dawson