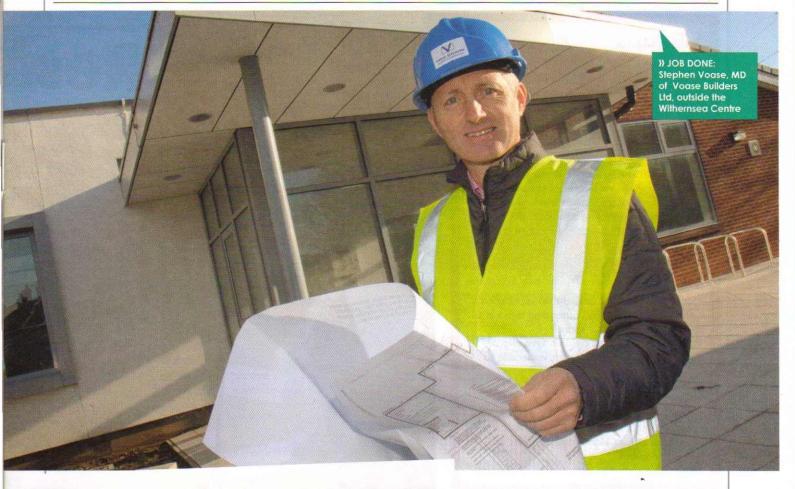
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Soon to open

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he Withernsea Centre, a £600,000 project to provide a number of council services under one roof, will officially open to the local community in the New Year.

The centre is the latest community hub being created in key towns across the East Riding as part of the council's drive to lower running costs whilst seeking to improve access to services and at the same time upgrade the building's quality for customer use and its energy efficiency.

In Withernsea, the new centre will combine the town's library and customer service centre (CSC) in one building after remodelling and refurbishment works at the Queen Street venue by local contractor,

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Voase Builders.

Councillor Richard Burton, cabinet portfolio holder for civic wellbeing and culture, said:"The council realises the value our residents place in having access to high-quality libraries and customer service provision and the extension of these facilities in Withernsea highlights this authority's commitment to providing these services both now and in the future.

"As well as providing a modern facility the library and CSC will also now be able to provide up-to-date amenities, including web access and self-service machines."

For further information about the Withernsea Centre, visit www.eastriding. gov.uk

LOCAL OPINION

Stephen Voase, MD of Voase Builders Ltd

"We were very proud to be chosen by the council to act as main contractor on this YORbuild project. The contract was completed seven weeks ahead of schedule. We had a great team of local people working with us and a total of eleven apprentices from various trades contributing to the works."