## PITSTONE PARISH COUNCIL

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF** the meeting of the Parish Council to be held in the Millennium Room of the Memorial Hall on Thursday 25 October 2018 at 7.30pm

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Signed	
Date:	19 October 2018

# AGENDA

- 1. ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES
- 2. TO NOTE DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND CONSIDER DISPENSATION REQUESTS from councillors on matters to be considered at the meeting
- 3. **TO RECEIVE QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC/PRESS –** residents' monthly opportunity to raise their questions or concerns with the parish council
- 4. TO RECEIVE REPORTS FROM COUNTY AND DISTRICT COUNCILLORS
- 5. **MINUTES** To resolve that the minutes of the parish council meetings held on 27 September 2018 be signed as a true and correct record of the meeting
- 6. **CLERK'S REPORT** to note updates to the ongoing matters, for information only
- CORRESPONDENCE to note correspondence received and to consider correspondence relating to speeding on Westfield Road

#### **Committee Reports:**

#### 8. PLANNING COMMITTEE - CLLR CRUTCHFIELD, CHAIR OF COMMITTEE:

- 8.1 To note receipt of the draft minutes of the planning committee meeting held on 18/10/18
- 8.2 To note planning appeal against refusal of householder application at 7 Church Road (application 18/00662/APP, appeal 18/00069/FTHA, planning inspectorate reference number APP/J0405/D/18/3211807)

# 9. SPORTS & LEISURE COMMITTEE & RELATED MATTERS – CLLR SAINTEY, CHAIR OF COMMITTEE

- 9.1 To note receipt of the draft minutes of the committee meeting held on 11/10/18
- 9.2 <u>Daffodils:</u> consider quotations for daffodil planting & appoint contractor
- 9.3 Pavilion Planning:
  - a) Note pre-application advice received and approve submission of full planning application
  - b) <u>Funding update</u>: note updated funding summary
- 9.4 Recreation Ground works:
  - a) <u>Trees</u>: consider/approve planting of additional mature trees
  - b) <u>Seating area</u>: consider/approve deferring consideration until after a briefing from Memorial Hall Charity
  - c) Other: note other initiatives and progress with I&PUCC
  - .5 Note hire of car parking facilities

#### 10. STAFFING COMMITTEE - CLLR BLUNT, CHAIR OF COMMITTEE

- 10.1 To note receipt of the draft minutes of the committee meeting held on 10/10/18
- 10.2 To note resolutions including Annual Review of Salary Budgets
- 10.3 To note legal increase in workplace pension contributions effective 6/4/19

#### 11. PITSTONE PARISH CHARITY COMMITTEE:

11.1 To note receipt of the draft minutes of the Parish Charity meeting held on 3/10/18

#### 12. PITSTONE RECREATION GROUND CHARITY:

- 12.1 To consider the draft submission to Charity Commission prepared by Horwood & James
- 12.2 Note permit requests for advertising on the recreation ground fence by the highway

#### Working Group Matters:

- 13. YOUTH CAFÉ:
  - 13.1 Consider/approve application for New Homes Bonus Micro-Grant towards new equipment
  - 13.2 Consider/approve any parish council contribution towards above project
- 14. **HIGHWAYS/PATHS:** 
  - 14.1 <u>Pitstone and Ivinghoe Safety Scheme</u> to approve final figures from BCC, note LAF funding and grant permission to sign order
  - 14.2 Foot/Cycle Path to Tring to note any update from Herts County Council
- 15. **PDA:** Note any update
- 16. COMMUNITY AND PUBLIC TRANSPORT:
  - 16.1 Terms of Reference: consider revised terms of reference for working party
  - 16.2 Community Bus/Transport Survey: survey under review
  - 16.3 Infrastructure Improvements: installation due for completion November
  - 16.4 Investigating bus to Tring station: note update on proposed survey
  - 16.5 Car Share Scheme: consider/approve promoting Liftshare.com car sharing scheme
  - 16.6 Community Car Scheme: note update from staffing committee

#### Other Matters:

- 17. **DEVOLVED SERVICES**: Consider any issues arising this month
- 18. BCC CONSULTATION ON EARLY HELP: determine response
- 19. BALC TRAINING: to approve attendance at 2 x BALC training courses for Cllr Mitra
- 20. MVAS MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT: to approve renewal for a further 12 months
- 21. LOCAL COUNCILS UPDATE: approve renewal of membership for further 12 months
- 22. ALLOTMENT IMPROVEMENTS:
  - 22.1 To consider/approve applying for a Big Lottery Awards for All grant
  - 22.2 To approve undertaking related procurement exercise
  - 22.3 To consider/approve any allocation of the allotment ring-fenced funds towards this project
  - 22.4 To consider/approve any allocation of the grant/donation ring-fenced funds towards this project

### **Financial Matters:**

#### 23. **GRANTS AND DONATIONS:**

- 23.1 <u>AVALC</u>: consider/approve annual donation of £25 to Aylesbury Vale Association of Local Councils
- 23.2 Royal British Legion: consider/approve any annual donation to the Poppy Appeal in lieu of fresh wreath
- 24. **VAT RETURN**: To note submission, & payment, of quarterly VAT return
- 25. **FINANCIAL POSITION AND PAYMENTS**: To approve payments in accordance with the budget and consider the receipts/reconciliation/debtor/creditor/budget monitor information for the month.
- 26. **INTERNAL CONTROLS:** Conduct all necessary internal controls
- 27. **BUDGET AND 3-YEAR PLAN:** To note second draft of 3-year budget and determine adjustments necessary

#### Reports:

- 28. Note quarterly update from Thames Valley Police
- 29. Receive feedback from Aldbury Parish Council flood matters meeting 24/10/18
- 30. Receive feedback from BALC Councillor Induction Training on 4/10/18 Cllrs Stoddart and Hawkins
- 31. Receive feedback from BALC Agenda & Minutes Training plus BALC Risk Management Training both on 23/10/18 Cllr Mitra
- 32. Note other reports, reminders, forthcoming events and agenda items for November

In accordance with the The Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014 (S.I. 2014/...) and The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements)(Meetings and Access to Information)(England) Regulations 2012 (S.I. 2012/2089) the public and press will be excluded from the following section of the meeting due to the confidential/sensitive nature of the business to be transacted.

33. Discuss options regarding any potential Phase III site enhancement at pavilion site