

PARRETT AND AXE PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting of PARRETT AND AXE PARISH COUNCIL **The Village Hall, Chedington**

on Thursday 9th November 2017 at 7.30pm

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PUBLIC SESSION

Members are reminded that Council has a general duty to consider the following matters in the exercise of any of its functions: Equal Opportunities (race, gender, sexual orientation, marital status and any disability), Crime and Disorder, Health and Safety and Human Rights.

1. APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies for absence (and record approval if appropriate).
To receive any Declarations of Interest. To consider Grant of Dispensations.

2. MINUTES

To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 14th September 2017 (copy attached)

3. REPORTS FROM COUNTY AND DISTRICT COUNCILLORS

4. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES AND RAISED BY MEMBERS

- a) **Matters arising from minutes** – Chairman/Clerk to give update.
- Highway issues
 - Mosterton Pre-School (to be discussed with Budget - agenda item 7d)
 - Footway on A356 through South Perrott
 - Mobile telephone reception in South Perrott
 - Dog fouling
 - DAPTC AGM, 4 November

5. CORRESPONDENCE

1. DAPTC Chief Executive's Circular, 22 September 2017.
2. Email correspondence with Woodland Trust re. Tree Charter.
3. Email from Dorset Highways re. grit bins and dumpy bags.
4. Email from DAPTC re. motions for discussion at AGM on 4 November.
5. Email correspondence with Dorset Highways re. works on junction A356/Lecher Lane.
6. Letter from WDDC re. Budget Setting 2018/19.
7. Email from Jill Turner re. Broadband in not-spot area.
8. Email from DAPTC re. NALC guides for councillors.
9. Email from South Somerset DC re. consultation on its Local Plan.
10. Email correspondence with Oliver Letwin MP re. mobile phone reception.
11. Email from WDDC re. Beaminster Neighbourhood Area Consultation.
12. DAPTC Annual Report 2016-2017.
13. Dorset Police – Dorset Alerts since previous meeting.
14. Clerks & Councils Direct newsletter, November 2017.

6. PLANNING

- a) **Applications handled since last meeting:** None.
- b) **Decisions notified by WDDC since last meeting:** None.
- c) **New applications to be considered:** None.
- d) **Tree Applications:**
WD/CA/17/00410, Lee Holme, South Perrott. 1 x Cherry reduce branch by 30%, 1 x Crab Apple reduce by 30%. PC comments – no concerns.
WD/CA/17/00411, 11 Parrett Mead, South Perrott. 1 x Norway Maple – raise crown and thin by 30%. PC comments – no concerns.
- e) **Other planning issues:**
Chairman to report on any other local planning issues.

7. FINANCE

- a) **Income received:**
- | | |
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| Precept (2 nd half) | 2,231.50 |
| Local Council Tax Support Grant (2 nd half) | <u>18.50</u> |
| | 2,250.00 |
| VAT refund | 13.38 |
- b) **Payments made since the last meeting:** None
- c) **Payments to be made:**
- | | |
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| Footprintz (photocopying for newsletter) | £50.00 |
| Cllr Anthony de la Poer (reimbursement for cost of wooden posts) | £62.46 |
| Clerk's salary for October & November 2017 | £291.84 |
| Clerk's expenses | £57.98 |
- d) **Approval of Budget and Precept for 2018-2019** (copy attached).

8. MATTERS OF REPORT AND ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING

- a) Chairman
- b) Clerk
- c) Members
- d) Footpaths Officers
- e) River Warden

9. DATES OF NEXT YEAR'S MEETINGS

To agree the following dates for next year –

Thursday 11th January 2018 – Chedington
Thursday 8th March 2018 – South Perrott
Thursday 10th May 2018 (incl AGM) – Chedington
Thursday 12th July 2018 – South Perrott
Thursday 13th September 2018 – Chedington
Thursday 8th November 2018 – South Perrott