

To Parish Councillors, members of the public and press.

Members are hereby summoned and notice is given that a Meeting of the **Parish Council** will be held in the **Newington Room at Newington Village Hall** on **Tuesday 31 October 2023** at **7pm**, when it is proposed to transact the following business:

1. COUNCILLOR VACANCY

To receive an update and to co-opt new Member

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive and accept apologies for absence

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are invited to declare disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests in items on the agenda as required by the Newington Parish Council Code of Conduct for Members and by the Localism Act 2011.

(i)The nature as well as the existence of any such interest must be declared. After declaring a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest, the Member must leave the meeting and not take part in the discussion or vote. This applies even if there is provision for public speaking.

4. MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 26 SEPTEMBER 2023

i. To consider the minutes of the meetings and if in order sign as a true record

ii. Matters arising from the minutes

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

This is a concessionary short session and will be limited to fifteen minutes. Three minutes per person will be allowed initially and only if time permits will further comments be heard.

6. VISITORS

i. Borough Councillors

ii. County Councillor

7. PLANNING

i. To receive an update

ii. Ref: 23/504502/FULL

Address: Woodland Farm High Oak Hill Iwade Road Newington, Kent ME9 7HY

Proposal: Erection of a permanent agricultural dwelling with associated parking (Resubmission 21/504388/FULL).

8. AMENITIES COMMITTEE

i. To receive the minutes of the meeting of the Amenities Committee held on 24 October 2023 and consider the recommendations

ii. To consider quotations for repairs to Pavilion roof

- iii. To consider quotation for signage at Recreation Ground
- iv. To consider options for removal of spoil at the Cemetery

9. SWALE BOROUGH COUNCIL LAND

To receive an update

10. VILLAGE VOICE AND MEDIA

To receive an update

11. FINANCE

- i. Cheque list: to consider invoices for payment
- ii. Finance report
- iii. External auditor's report
- iv. To consider donation to Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal for poppy wreath
- v. Any other finance matter received by 31 October 2023

12. SPEEDWATCH

To receive an update

13. REPORTS FROM MEMBERS

To receive reports from Members on KALC; Village Hall, School Governor; Meetings.

14. CORRESPONDENCE

15. ANY OTHER BUSINESS— This for information only and no decision can be made on items raised.

Wendy Licence

Clerk to Newington Parish Council

Date: 26 October 2023

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