

ASHWICK PARISH COUNCIL

To all Members of Ashwick Parish Council

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of Ashwick Parish Council for the purpose of transacting the following business

Kate Egan Parish Clerk to the Council

Agenda for the Meeting of ASHWICK PARISH COUNCIL

To be held at Ashwick & Oakhill Village Hall on Wednesday 13th April 2022 at 7.30pm

1. **Welcome by the Chairman**
2. **Apologies for absence**
3. **Absent**
4. **Declarations of Interest and dispensations**
 - (a) To receive declaration of interest from Councillors on items on the agenda
 - (b) To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests
 - (c) To grant any requests for dispensation as appropriate
5. **Public session**
6. **County and District Councillor Reports**
7. **To confirm the minutes of the previous meetings held on 9th March 2022, previously circulated**
8. **Matters arising from the minutes but not on the agenda**
9. **Planning Applications – If other planning applications are received between the date of this notice and the date of the meeting, they may be considered.**
 - (a) **2022/0307/TPO** M329 Tree A: Ash Trees – Fell. Tree B: Ash Die Back – Fell. Coombe End, Binegar Lane, Gurney Slade **Update** The recommendation was to leave the decision to the tree officer.
 - (b) **2022/0432/HSE** New vehicular access with associated parking and turning. 20 Kingscombe, Gurney Slade
 - (c) **2022/0523/TCA** T1 – Silver Birch – Crown lift to 3.5m. T2 – English Oak – Crown lift to 3.5m. T3 – Beech – Crown lift to 3.5m, crown reduction to 4m. Pondsmead Surgery, Bath Road, Oakhill **Update** The recommendation was to leave the decision to the tree officer.
 - (d) **2022/0593/FUL** Erection of stable block, stone and creation of track from existing access, land at 364750 148150. Nettlebridge Hill, Bath Road, Oakhill
 - (e) New Premises Licence Application for a premises licence for Mendip Golf Club Ltd, Mendip Golf Club, Golf Links Lane, Ashwick.
 - (f) Proposed Diversion of public footpath SM 1/60 in the parish of Ashwick.
10. **Planning Applications – Responses to be noted from Mendip District Council and others.**

11. To Be Resolved/Discussed

- (a) Discussion on the cost of purchasing a tree to celebrate the Platinum Jubilee and whether the Village Hall Committee have agreed to the tree being planted in the Playing Fields
- (b) Discussion on the installation of a new bus stop at Nettlebridge, this has been requested again by a resident.

12. Clerks Report

- (a) A response was received from Somerset County Council as to the inconsiderate parking in the layby on the A367 Bath Road outside Withy Cottages. Somerset County Council have no powers to stop or prosecute the drivers of vehicles parking in this manner. Any vehicle which is taxed and insured, is able to pass or park on the public highway.

13. Reports

- (a) Village Hall

14. Finance

Bank Balance as at 31st March 2022

TSB – current account – £5150.16

Reserve account - £7285.47

Yearly review – for information only

Receipts

(a) Bank Interest - £2.83 – received 10.03.22

(b) HMRC VAT Reclaim - £274.33 – received 17.3.22

Payments

(a) SLCC Training Seminar - £20

(b) Clerks Wages – March - £336.40

(c) HMRC - March - £1.20

(d) Ashwick & Oakhill Village Hall – Hall Hire - £20.00

(e) Purchase of Ink Cartridges - £14.77

15. Correspondence

(a) LGR Advisory Board Meeting 17th March Stoke St Gregory – forwarded 10.03.22

(b) Mendip East Neighbourhood Policing Letter – forwarded 16.03.22

(c) Death of a senior figure and protocols – forwarded 21.03.22

16 Matters to report/items for next agenda

17 **Date and time of next meeting:** - Wednesday 11th May 2022 in the Village Hall starting at 7.00pm. This will include the Annual Parish Meeting, the Annual Council Meeting and the monthly Parish Council Meeting.

Please note the earlier start time.