

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 11th May 2022 at 8.00pm

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 13th April 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) **2022/0774/HSE** Erection of a two-storey rear extension, external alterations to the existing dwelling and formation of residential access. Longacres, Pound Lane, Oakhill
 - (b) **2022/0797/OUT** Application for outline planning permission with some matters reserved for demolition of redundant agricultural buildings and a B8 storage building, erection of 1no. dwelling house with details of access. Longacres, Pound Lane, Oakhill
10. **Planning Applications – Responses to be noted from Mendip District Council and others.**
 - (a) **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** Mendip District Council recommended approval
11. **Grants**
 - (a) Application from Ashwick and Oakhill Village Hall and Recreation Ground for £5,300.00
12. **To Be Resolved/Discussed**
 - (a) Proposal to purchase a Book of Condolence for use during public occasions. These can be purchased from Amazon starting at about £25
 - (b) Discussion to meet with Doultling Parish Council and other Parish Councils informally to establish whether co-operation between eastern Mendip parishes would be advantageous and what form such cooperation might take.
 - (c) Update and discussion and purchase of an Oak tree for the Platinum Jubilee
13. **Clerks Report**
 - (a) An email was received in response to the Parish Council's objection to the proposed diversion of public footpath SM 1/60 and Somerset County Council's Rights of Way Diversion Officer offered to meet someone on site to discuss it further. Lizzie Lewis offered to follow this up.
 - (b) The installation of the street lights has been chased again as works were supposed to have been carried out in April.

14. Finance

Bank Balance as at 03.05.22

TSB – current account – £4750.19

Reserve account - £21,587.37

Receipts

(a) Annual Precept - £14,300.00 – received 13.04.22

(b) Bank Interest - £1.90 – received 10.04.22

Payments

(a) Ashwick and Oakhill Village Hall – £20.00

(b) ProBusiness – internal auditor - £234.00

(c) Clerks Salary – April - £335.73

(d) HMRC Payment – April - £8.80

15. Correspondence

(a) Councillor Essential Training forwarded 25.4.22

(b) Mendip District Council Health and Wellbeing Bulletin – forwarded 26.04.22

16. Matters to report/items for next agenda

17. Date and time of next meeting: - Wednesday 8th June 2022 in the Village Hall starting at 7.30pm.