

ECKINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

**There will be a meeting of the Parish Council to be held
Tuesday 14th November 2017 at 7.30 pm at Eckington Village Hall**

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: Residents are invited to attend at 7.30pm prompt to give their views or question the Parish Council on issues on this agenda, or to raise issues for future consideration. Immediately following, the Parish Council meeting will begin. Members of the public are welcome to listen to the meeting, but may not take part in the council meeting itself.

AGENDA

1. Apologies

To consider acceptance of apologies for absence from Councillors.

2. Declarations of interest

Councillors are reminded of the need to update their registers of interest and to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests.

3. Minutes

To consider the adoption of the Minutes of the Meeting held on Tuesday 10th October 2017 (as circulated with this agenda).

4. **District and County Councillor Reports** for information.

5. Progress Reports for information

- Clerk
- Village Hall (Cllr Bainbridge)
- Recreation Centre (Cllr Wood)
- Footpaths (Cllr Wilkes)
- Tree Warden (Cllr Wood)
- Bredon Hill Conservation Group (Cllr Ransted)
- Church and BridgeTrusts (Cllrs Wilkes & Cameron)
- Wychavon CALC (Cllr Glaze & Ransted)
- Partnership (Cllr Ransted)
- Cemetery & Churchyard (Cllr Wilkes)

6. Planning

- To discuss all planning matters received since the last meeting. (Appendix 1)

7. Finance

- To consider any payments made and the proposed payments. (Appendix 2)

8. Co-option

- To consider any applications received.

9. Neighbourhood Plan

- To receive an update and to discuss any matters arising.

10. Highway Matters

- To discuss any matters arising.

11. New Homes Bonus

- To discuss any update/issues relating to this matter.

12. Bus Service

- To discuss any feedback received regarding the service.

13. Flooding Issues

- To receive any update regarding this matter.

14. Rural Communities Programme

- To receive any update regarding this matter.

15. Neighbourhood Watch Scheme / Community Speedwatch

- To receive any update regarding these schemes.

16. Parish litter bins

- To discuss provision at the Wharf and annual costs.

17. Correspondence for Information

- To note any items available for inspection at the meeting.

18. Councillor Reports and items for future Agendas

- Each Councillor is requested to use this opportunity to report minor matters of information not included elsewhere on the agenda and to raise items for future agendas.

19. Date of next meeting – 12th December at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

Michelle Alexander
Clerk to the Parish Council

Appendix 1 PLANNING

Planning applications for consideration before or during the meeting: none

Decisions:

APPROVED - Planning Ref: 17/01809/HP - Orchard House, Drakes Bridge Road, Eckington
Infilling of garage door with brickwork and new windows, construction of a porch with catslide roof, construction of a chimney, other alterations.

APPROVED - Planning Ref: 17/01879/CU - Fir Tree House, Cotheridge Lane, Eckington
To separate annexe from Fir Tree House to create an independent dwelling.

Appendix 2

Payments to be made:

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| Clerk's salary | £251.10 (net) |
| P. Higgins (Lengthsman salary net) | £150.60 |
| PAYE (Lengthsman & Clerk) | £237.60 |
| R. Hartland (hedge trimming) | £156.00 |
| Royal British Legion (wreath) | £25.00 |
| New Farm Grounds Maint (cemetery) | £187.20 |
| New Farm Grounds Maint (rec.) | £355.20 |

Income received:

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| E. Hill & Son (cemetery fees) | £59.00 |
| Memory Lane Memorials | £147.00 |
| Memory Lane Memorials | £105.00 |

Current Acc. £31,595.80

Deposit Acc. £13,895.95