# **ECKINGTON PARISH COUNCIL**

There will be an ordinary meeting of the Parish Council on Tuesday 9<sup>TH</sup> April 2019 at 7.30 pm at Eckington Village Memorial 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 12<sup>th</sup> March 2019 (as circulated with this agenda).
- 4. District and County Councillor Reports for information.
- 5. Progress Reports for information (to be circulated prior to the meeting)
  - Clerk updates
  - Village Hall (Cllrs Bainbridge & Auty)
  - Recreation Centre (Cllr Wood)
  - Footpaths (Cllr Wilkes)
  - Tree Warden (Cllr Wood)
  - Bredon Hill Conservation Group (Cllr Ransted)
  - Church and Bridge Trusts (Cllrs Wilkes & Cameron)
  - Wychavon CALC (Cllr Glaze & Ransted)
  - Partnership (Cllr Ransted)
  - Cemetery & Churchyard (Cllr Wilkes & Yarnold)
  - Allotments (Cllr Wilkes)
  - Community Engagement (Cllrs Yarnold & Auty)
- 6.. Planning Matters
  - To discuss all planning matters and correspondence received since the last meeting.
    (Appendix 1)
- 7. Financial & Governance Matters -
  - To consider any payments made and the proposed payments. (Appendix 2)
  - Parish Lengthsman contract 2019-20 to agree contract
  - Wychavon Parish Games 2019 agreement to pay fee
  - Public Works Loan Board balance year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 2019
  - Parish Council Elections to receive an update from the Clerk.

- 8. To consider any correspondence received and agree responses (as circulated).
- 9. Lengthsman Scheme To receive any updates.
- 10. Neighbourhood Plan To receive an update and to discuss any matters arising.
- 11. New Homes Bonus -
  - To consider any applications received.
- 12. Highways & Rights of Way Matters
  - To discuss any updates on previously raised matters
- 13. Parish Matters -
  - Bus Services (report as circulated).
  - Rural Communities Programme update (report as circulated).
  - Neighbourhood Watch Scheme / Community Speed Watch (report as circulated).
- 14. 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.
- 15. Any Correspondence for Circulation -

Date of next meeting - 14th May 2019 at Eckington Village Hall at 7.30 pm

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#### **APPENDIX 1 – PLANNING MATTERS**

# APPLICATIONS FOR CONSIDERATION BEFORE THE MEETING:

19/00535/FUL – Land East of Pershore Road, Eckington – Lone Star Land Ltd - change of use of agricultural land to community uses. Supported: This application concerns land intended to be dnated by the landowner to the community under the emerging Eckington neighbourhood Plan and, consequently, Eckington PC supports the planning application. (submitted 5<sup>th</sup> April)

## APPLICATIONS FOR CONSIDERATION AT THE MEETING:

**19/00535/FUL** -Field SO 9239 Eckington Road, Bredons Norton – Mr F James – use of land as single pitch family traveller site.

## **NOTIFICATIONS:**

**ENF/19/0109** – Manor Farm, Manor Road, Eckington WR10 3BH – alleged breach of planning control acknowledged by WDC. (20th March)

#### **APPENDIX 2 - FINANCIAL MATTERS**

## Payments to be made:

£341.47	Clerks salary (net)
£92.46	Clerks expenses – phone & internet / travel / stationery
£tbc	Parish Lengthsman salary
£1610.04	Paul Stanley Fencing – village gateway & planter
£191.94	New Farm Grounds Maint. (£68.20 churchyard / £91.75 cemetery + vat)
£10.00	Worcs CALC – GDPR event attended
£148.55	Wychavon DC – burial ground non domestic rates bill

**Money received:** £50.00 – allotment fees

Account balances (at 31-03-2019):

£4465.71 - Treasurers Account £25910.93 - Business account