



ECKINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Councillors are hereby summoned to attend a virtual meeting of the Parish Council to be held on Tuesday 20th October 2020 commencing at 7.15 pm

Gill Jennings (Clerk/RFO)

Councillors:

G. Ransted (Chairman), M. Hughes (Vice Chairman) G. Goodlad, T Knight, C Yarnold, J Bees, M Wood

AGENDA

217	<p><u>To receive Apologies</u> Councillors are reminded to give apologies for absence in writing to the clerk for each meeting missed that the 6 month absence rule may be upheld. Councillors are also reminded that there are 2 vacancies on the council.</p>	3 mins
218	<p><u>Declarations of Personal, Sensitive or Pecuniary Interests/Requests for Dispensations</u></p>	
219	<p><u>To Agree the Minutes of the Meeting of the 15th and 21st September</u></p>	
220	<p><u>Matters Arising from Previous Minutes</u> Hydroelectricity Project – waiting for further details/chased Website Accessibility Compliance – work ongoing, now 60% compliant Highway enhancements requested (minute 199) Eckington Bridge Carpark (minute 199)</p>	5 mins
221	<p><u>Public Participation</u> 1. Members of the public are requested to write to the clerk in advance of the meeting with any queries or comments on any of the agenda items. 2. To Receive District/County Councillors reports and request information 3. To view proposals for land development – Jarvis Street</p>	10 mins 15 mins
222	<p><u>Finance & Governance</u> 1. To authorise payments 2. To agree the bank balance to end of September and check budget expenditure. 3. Lengthsman Contract – to agree wording in the draft 4. Email accounts 5. To receive a report on improving data protection compliance 6. To agree bank account arrangements – Nationwide account opened, Cambridge B/S account postponed by Cllr Knight 7. Investment advice – NO quote received 8. HR advisor quotes and appointment 9. Legal advice quotes and appointment 10. To receive External Auditor’s report</p>	20 mins

	11. Grasscutting contract 2021-24	
223	<p><u>To consider any Planning Consultations/Decision notices</u></p> <p>1. 20/02081/HP: Oatsley, Upper End, Eckington, Pershore, WR10 3DQ – garage with multi purpose room over</p> <p>2. 20/02144/HP : Drakes Bridge House - rooflights</p> <p>3. South Worcs Development Plan review and note the need to watch the call for sites for traveller community</p> <p>4. PC response to changes in Planning Law</p>	10 mins
224	<p><u>1. To receive reports from Parish Councillors/Clerk</u> <u>One report received:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recreation Centre – Cllr Knight 	3 mins
225	<p><u>Projects:</u></p> <p>1. To receive reports from Community Land Working Group and Brodie Planning</p> <p>2. Discuss New Homes Bonus Scheme (£24633 balance)</p> <p>3. Street Furniture – it is suggested that new salt bins are required by the Post Box in Upper end or outside Tupperts. One in the The Close and one by the village hall and churchyard. A new dog waste bin is required in Manor Road</p> <p>4. Allotment fencing (Cllr Knight)</p>	20 mins 5 mins
226	<p><u>Date of Next Meeting</u> 17th November 2020 (presentation by Rooftop Housing)</p> <p><u>An adjournment will be called excluding the public to the following two items as publicity may be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted</u></p>	
227	<p><u>Legal & Confidential Matters</u></p> <p>1. Pershore Road – Confirmation of completion</p> <p>2. New Wayleave Pike House</p> <p>3. To enter into a Deed of Variation – Jarvis Street</p> <p>Members other than the Staffing Committee to deliberate:</p> <p>3. Receive the Minutes of the Staffing Committee meeting of 8th September and an Appeal by the Clerk</p>	1 min 2 mins 2 mins 15 mins

