

ECKINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

There will be a meeting of the Parish Council to be held Tuesday 17th April 2018
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 13th March 2018 (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 Bridge Trusts (Cllrs Wilkes & Cameron)
- Wychavon CALC (Cllr Glaze & Ransted)
- Partnership (Cllr Ransted)
- Cemetery & Churchyard (Cllr Wilkes)

6. Planning Matters

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

7. Financial Matters

- To consider any payments made and the proposed payments. (Appendix 2)
- To consider installing a grit bin for the Recreation Centre car park

8. Councillor Co-option

To consider any applications for co-option / WDC matters

9. Governance Matters

- The Transparency Code – PC website updates

- GDPR (data protection review) updates / actions

10. Neighbourhood Plan

To receive an update and to discuss any matters arising.

11. Highway Matters

To discuss any matters arising and report from a recent site meeting held.

12. New Homes Bonus

To discuss any update/issues relating to this matter.

13. Parish Matters

- Bus Service - to discuss any feedback received regarding the service.
- Rural Communities Programme - to receive any update regarding this matter.
- Neighbourhood Watch Scheme / Community Speed Watch – updates
- Speeding through the Parish and inappropriate vehicle parking
- WDC Parish Games – to discuss future options

14. Flooding Issues

To receive any update regarding this matter.

15. Correspondence for Information

To note any items available for inspection at the meeting.

16. 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.

Date of next meeting – Tuesday 8th May 2018 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

Michelle Alexander
Clerk to the Parish Council

APPENDIX 1 – PLANNING MATTERS

Planning applications considered prior to this meeting:

- 18/00405/HP – 33 The Close, Eckington – two storey rear extension – no objection.
- 18/00457/HP – Nafford House, Nafford Rd, Eckington – single storey side extension – no objection.
- 18/00442/FUL – Court Gate Nursery, Station Rd, Eckington – erection of plastic greenhouse/polytunnel – no objection.

Planning applications for consideration:

- 18/00574/HP – 5 Russell Drive, Eckington - Extensions at rear and side and replaced porch at front.
- 18/00618/HP – 14 The Close, Eckington - Single storey front and rear extensions and rear dormer window

Notifications:

APPENDIX 2 – FINANCIAL MATTERS

Payments to be made:

£251.30	Clerks salary (net)
£274.20	Clerks expenses - £250.00 annual home office payment;£23.00 mileage; £1.20 admin costs
£150.60	P. Higgins - Lengthsman salary (net)
£23.98	P. Higgins – Lengthsman equipment
£1971.00	Parkinson Wright Solicitors – professional fees
£191.94	New Farms Grounds Maintenance – churchyard/cemetery
£177.60	New Farm Grounds Maintenance – Recreation field/play area
£525.60	MCL – Neighbourhood Plan printing
£154.08	PBS Ltd – Neighbourhood Plan banner

Monies received:

£105.00	Memory Lane Memorials (March 2018)
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Account balances:

£18278.41	Treasurers account
£13898.82	Business account