



BUSHLEY PARISH COUNCIL

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AGENDA

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING ON TUESDAY 8th MARCH 2022 AT 7.30 PM IN BVH MEETING ROOM

With current COVID -19 Guidelines

Before the start of the meeting any members of the public present are invited to speak and ask questions.

1. **Apologies:** to receive apologies and approve reasons for absence
2. **Declarations of interest:**
 - i) Councillors Declaration of Disclosable Pecuniary Interest (DPI) and other Disclosable Interest (DI) regarding items on the agenda
 - ii. Notification of changes to the register of interests.
 - iii. To consider written request from councillor's for the council to grant a dispensation for those with a DI, to take part in discussions or voting.

3. Any other Business to add to the Agenda

4. Minutes of Meeting: Tuesday 11th January 2022

Comments and Actions

5. District and County Councillor Reports

- a) DC Bronwen Behan
- b) County Councillor Tom Wells

6. Councillor Recruitment

7. Finance: Relevant paperwork to be tabled.

- a) Approval of new expenditure
- b) Tracker/Cash Flow Chart
- c) Precept 2022-2023: to note submission of 2022-23 demand
- d) To note progress of Council's application for Unity Bank account

8. To consider plans for the Royal Jubilee, 2022

9. Planning Applications tracker:

To note Council response to the application below:

Application Ref: 19/000048/CM Grid Ref: (E) 387437, (N) 236795

Applicant: M C Cullimore (Gravels) Ltd

Proposal: Proposed extraction of sand and gravel with restoration using site derived and imported inert material to wetland, nature conservation and agriculture (cross-boundary application)

Location: Land at Bow Farm, Bow Lane, Ripple, Worcestershire

Council Response: Concerns were expressed in respect of the issues below:

1. The very large amount of gravel to be extracted which will cause damage to the environment
2. The heavy traffic required to complete the extraction
3. The origins of the replacement materials don't seem to have been specified and could never exactly match the originals extracted, otherwise they would have been used instead
4. The very lengthy period of extraction and repair
5. The very nature of the specific wetland environment requires conservation, and extraction on such a large scale over such a prolonged period will do irreparable damage.

10. Progress Reports

- a **Septic Tanks:** Progress on 2 issues, at Stokes Lane and Oxhey Cottages. Both issues with Worcestershire County Council
- b) **Western Power:** regular shorting problem. Response from Western Power Distribution and they will follow up as appropriate. No report received yet
- c) **Highways** Report to WCC about vehicle damage to road fencing at Oxhey Cottages. Understood to have been resolved. Highways to action
Notification of damaged road signs on B438 north side, towards Mythe Bridge.
- d) Bus Shelter Mural (Cllr Nicoll)
- e) Bredon School Report: (Headteacher)
- f) WCC Parish Paths Warden

11. Councillors' Reports and items for future agendas

- a. Village Hall Report (Cllr Kinghorn)
- b. Cricket Club Report (Cllr Miners)
- c. Queen's Green Canopy: Platinum Jubilee Trees 2022 (Cllr Nicoll)
- d. Other Councillor Reports from meetings attended

12. AOB identified.

13. Meeting closes

Date of next meeting: As below and changes made as appropriate

DATES FOR MEETINGS IN 2022: 10 May (APCM and APM), 14 June, 12 July, 13 Sept, 15 November.