BLOXHAM PARISH COUNCIL

MONDAY 2 OCTOBER 2023

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26 September 2023

Dear Councillor,

A meeting of the Parish Council will be held on **Monday 2 October 2023 at 7.00pm** in the small meeting room at Jubilee Hall, Barley Close, Bloxham to consider the business set out in the Agenda below and you are summoned to attend.

The District Councillors David Hingley, Adam Nell and Rob Pattenden and County Councillor Kieron Mallon are also invited to attend.

Members of the public are invited to attend the meeting, however please note that this will be for the purposes of viewing the meeting only and public participation will only be permitted during the Open Forum. The 3 minute public speaking rule, as per the Parish Council's Standing Orders, will apply.

T.Goss Clerk to the Parish Council

AGENDA

- Welcome/Recording of Meetings To welcome Councillors and the public to the meeting and advise on the procedure for the recording of meetings.
 7:00pm – 7:05pm
- 2. **Apologies for absence** To receive any apologies for absence from the meeting.

Members who cannot attend a meeting shall tender their apologies to the Parish Clerk prior to the meeting as, under Section 85(1) of the Local Government Act 1972, the members present must decide whether the reason(s) for a member's absence shall be accepted.

7:05pm - 7:10pm

3. Declarations of Interest

- (a) To receive Declarations of Interest in respect of matters contained in this agenda, in accordance with the provisions of the Localism Act 2011 in respect of members and in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1972 in respect of officers.
- (b) To consider any Dispensation Requests received by the Parish Clerk and not previously considered.

Advice on declarations of interest should be sought from the Clerk prior to the meeting, as advice cannot be given to Councillors at Parish Council meetings.
7:10pm – 7:15pm

- 4. **Minutes** To confirm the minutes of the meetings held on 4 September 2023. **(Attached)** 7:15pm 7:20pm
- Matters Arising To discuss any issues arising from the minutes of 4 September 2023.
 7:20pm 7:25pm

6. Chairman's Announcements

- Works to the roof at the David Tyrrell Recreation Ground pavilion
- Completion of installation of the swings at the David Tyrrell Recreation Ground
- Christmas lights & Christmas tree
- Remembrance Day Parade 12 November 2023
- Bus Shelter on A361, opposite Warriner School

7:25pm - 7:35pm

- 7. **Open Forum** Residents of the village are invited to raise any items which concern the Parish. **7:35pm 7:45pm**
- 8. **Reports from County and District Councillors** To receive reports from the Bloxham County Councillor and District Councillors.

7:45pm - 7:55pm

9. Village Matters

- i) Proposed White and Yellow Road Markings on Courtington Lane and Stone Hill To consider the results of the informal consultation and discuss submitting a request to the County Council to carry out a formal consultation process. (Report to follow)
- ii) Play Area Inspection To consider the annual play area inspection at the David Tyrrell Recreation Ground. (Report to follow)
- iii) Electric Vehicle Microhubs To receive an update following the submission on an expression of interest for EV charging points at Jubilee Park.

7:55pm - 8:15pm

10. Planning

- i) Planning Applications To note the planning applications considered by the Parish Council since the last meeting. **(Attached)**
- ii) Results of Planning Applications To note decisions made by Cherwelll District Council since the last meeting of the Parish Council. **(Attached)**
- iii) Cherwell District Councils' Local Plan To discuss the Parish Council's response to the consultation on the Local Plan 2040.
- iv) Bloxham Neighbourhood Development Plan To discuss updating the Bloxham Neighbourhood Development Plan.
- v) Community Benefits List To discuss updating/expanding the Community Benefits List. **8:15pm 8:35pm**

11. Parish Council Matters

- i) Vacancies To consider any applications for co-option onto the Parish Council.
- ii) Drop-In and Chat To discuss any issues raised at the Drop-In and Chat. **8:35pm 8:40pm**

12. Financial Matters

- i) Accounts for Payment, Uncashed Payments, Bank Reconciliation and Income To approve the accounts for payment and note the uncashed payments, bank reconciliation and income since the last meeting. (Report to follow)
- ii) Budget Monitoring and Ring-Fenced Funds 2023/2024 To receive a report on the budget monitoring and ring fenced funds for 2023/2024. (Report to follow)
- iii) External Auditors Report To note the External Auditors Report for 2022/2023. **(Report to follow)** 8:40pm 8:50pm
- 13. Correspondence Items of correspondence will be circulated to members. 8:50pm 8:55pm
- 14. **Meeting Dates** Future meeting dates for Bloxham Parish Council are stated below. They will commence at 7.00pm at Jubilee Hall, Barley Close, Bloxham. Please check the agenda for clarification the week before the meeting.
 - Monday 6 November 2023
 - Monday 4 December 2023

8:55pm

15. Items for the Future Agendas/Items of Information

Traffic Calming Working Group
 8:55pm

Councillors are asked to note that in the exercise of their functions, they must take note of the following: Equal Opportunities (race, gender, sexual orientation, marital status and any disability); Crime & Disorder, Health & safety and Human Rights.

Parish Council 'Drop-in and Chat' Sessions are usually held on second Saturday of the month, at the Ex-Serviceman's Hall from 10.30am to 11.30am.

Residents are invited along to meet their Parish Councillors and discuss any items affecting the village.

Next Session: Saturday 14 October 2023

All reports and minutes are available on the Parish Council website www.bloxhamparishcouncil.co.uk