FRESHFORD PARISH COUNCIL

NOTICE OF MEETING (Local Government Act 1972)

COUNCILLORS ARE HEREBY SUMMONED TO ATTEND THE FRESHFORD PARISH COUNCIL MEETING ON MONDAY 13th NOVEMBER 2023 AT 7.00PM IN FRESHFORD VILLAGE MEMORIAL HALL

Selina Jobson, Clerk 8th November 2023

AGENDA

- 1) Welcome and Apologies for Absence
- 2) Declarations of Interest and Requests for Dispensations
 - a) Members are reminded of their obligation to declare any interest they may have on any Agenda item to be discussed.
- 3) Minutes of Parish Council Meeting
 - a) Approval of Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 9 October 2023.
 - b) Review of actions and any matters arising from the minutes.
- 4) Open Forum
 - a) An opportunity for residents to address the Parish Council.
- 5) Co-option of Councillors
 - a) To consider any applicants for co-option to the Parish Council.
- 6) Planning Applications
 - a) 23/03842/FUL Hardings Cottage, Sharpstone Lane, BA2 7UA: Replacement of single storey extension, changes to fenestration following removal of upper part of chimney and formation of new parapet.
- 7) Tree Applications
 - a) <u>23/03917/TCA Church Hill Cottage</u>, <u>Church Hill, BA2 7TX:</u> T2-Lawson Cypress, reduce by 2 metres back to old cuts, to maintain size and shape.
- 8) Highways and Transport
 - a) To note an update on the 94 bus service.
 - b) To agree whether to put proposals to B&NES for double yellow lines by the bridge, taking into account the outcomes of a community consultation.
 - c) To receive an update on further meetings about parking and traffic issues relating to Freshford School.
 - d) To receive any other updates.

- 9) Street Lighting
 - a) To approve a contractor to upgrade 11 street lights to LEDs and to note that a decision on undertaking a trial to switch off 25 lights will be made at a future meeting.
 - b) To receive quotes for repairs to five street lights and to agree works to be undertaken.
- 10) Natural Environment
 - a) To consider the state of the fence in the Cemetery and any actions necessary.
 - b) To note an update on the drafting of a Dark Skies policy.
 - c) To receive any other updates.
- 11) Matting on The Tyning
 - a) To consider the situation with the temporary matting on The Tyning.
- 12) Communications
 - a) To note that the Autumn edition of the Freshford Bulletin has been published.
 - b) To note that are intending to move to standard email addresses for councillors.
- 13) Finance and Personnel
 - a) To note receipts & to approve payments for invoices received since the last meeting.
 - b) To approve the Bank Reconciliation.
 - c) To note progress with updating the bank mandate.
- 14) External Meetings
- 15) Exchange of Information
- 16) Date of Next Meeting

Next Parish Council meeting: 11 December 2023, Freshford Village Memorial Hall

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