

# PARISH COUNCIL OF NEWTON-WITH-CLIFTON

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Dear councillor,

The next Meeting of the Council is to be held on Thursday, 4th March 2021 commencing at 7.15 p.m. via Zoom.

## **AGENDA.**

- 1). Procedural matters.
  - a) Apologies for Absence.
  - b) Chairman's communications.
  - c) Declarations of Interest.
  - d) Signing of Minutes (Meeting 04/02/21).
  - e) Matters arising from minutes.
- 2). Parish communication, social media/e-governance.
  - a) Consider website development, content and update.
- 3). Highways and Transportation.
  - a) Ongoing Lancashire County Council (LCC) matters; including parish highway safety issues;
    - i) Vehicle parking in proximity to Newton Bluecoat School Newton-with-Scales.
    - ii) A583/Blackpool Road, footway improvement and pedestrian crossing facilities, particularly at junction with Preston Old Road, Clifton.
  - b) New LCC matters.
  - c) Street scene matters; district/parish street cleansing agreement and grant arrangements with Fylde council.
- 4). Planning- consider any planning application(s) received since the last meeting.
  - i) 21/0072 Minor material amendment to planning permission 18/0862 for introduction of additional vehicle turning head on land between plots 47 and 48 including associated alterations to siting and design of boundary treatments on plots 47 and 48 and to soft landscaping scheme at land west of, Woodlands Close, Newton-with-Scales.
  - ii) 21/0090 Prior approval application for the installation of a 20 metre high electronic communications mast with three antennas pursuant to schedule 2, part 16, Class A of the Town and Country Planning (General permitted development) (England) Order 2015 (as amended) at "Yew Tree Farm" Treales Road, Salwick, Clifton, Preston, PR4 0SA.
  - iii) 21/0159 Erection of detached chalet bungalow following demolition of existing agricultural building at "Church Farm, Blackpool road, Newton-with-Scales, Preston, PR4 3RJ.

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5). Parks Playing Fields & Open Spaces.

- a) Parks, open spaces, rural area grass verges, grass-cutting contract - receive report from authorised officer/liaison member in respect of the maintenance contract.
- b) Flower/Shrub beds maintenance contract - receive report from authorised officer/liaison member in respect of the maintenance contract.
- c) Friends of Newton Community Park (FoNCP) consider report, if any, previously circulated from council representative member.
- d) Footway resurfacing, William Pickles Park, Clifton, members update if any.
- e) Tree replacement arising from dieback disease affecting Ash trees - member update, if any relating to Woodland Trust and local tree surgeon contractor enquiries.
- f) Provision of CCTV, Newton Hall Park, School Lane, Newton-with-Scales - members update, if any.
- g) Consider potential application to develop sites creating ponds for Great Crested Newts, members update, if any.

6). Finance and Accounts.

- a) Approve invoices and payments.
- b) Workplace pensions - automatic enrolment, clerk to confirm no update necessary. Potential exempt item\*. In accordance with the Public Bodies, (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, s.1 council may resolve to exclude the public (which includes the press) on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.
- c) Friends of Newton Community Park (FoNCP) funding Community Parks Improvement Programme (CPIP) - consider CPIP update, if any.
- d) Management of contracts.
  - i) Consider chairman's report.
  - ii) Consider existing contract arrangements, including amenity cleansing contract options. Potential exempt item\*. In accordance with the Public Bodies, (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, s.1 council may resolve to exclude the public (which includes the press) on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.

7) Local Government Boundary Commission - review of Fylde.

8). Any other matters for information purposes only.

- a) Date of next meeting (To be agreed).

Yours sincerely



Clerk to the Council.

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