

Monday 4th November 2019

# MELKSHAM WITHOUT PARISH COUNCIL

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#### Dear members

You are cordially summoned to attend the **Full Council Meeting** of Melksham Without Parish Council which will be held on **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2019**, at <u>7.00pm</u> at \*\*\* **NEW MEETING VENUE: MELKSHAM TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB, OAKFIELDS, EASTERN WAY, MELKSHAM, SN12 7GU \*\*\* to consider the agenda below.** 

Yours sincerely

Teresa Strange, Clerk

# AGENDA

# 1. Welcome, Announcements & Housekeeping

- a) To note new meeting venue until January
- b) To note venue and new date for Annual Parish meeting
- c) To note additional council meetings and local community events
- d) To note advice regarding Purdah and the General Election
- e) To note result of Wiltshire Council Unitary By-election for Melksham Without South
- f) To note re-publication of "What to do in a flood" leaflet for Shaw & Whitley residents
- g) To receive Apologies and consider approval of reasons given.

#### 2. Invited Guests:

- a) To present RHS It's Your Neighbourhood award to BRAG (Bowerhill Residents Action Group)
- b) Wiltshire Councillor Phil Alford (Melksham Without North) & Wiltshire Councillor Nick Holder (Melksham Without South)
- c) PCSO Maggie Ledbury

#### 3. a) To receive **Declarations of Interests**

- b) To consider for approval any **Dispensation Requests** received by the Clerk and not previously considered
- 4. To consider holding items in Committee due to confidential nature (14a)\*

  Under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the public and representatives of the press and broadcast media be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the

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following items of business as publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest because of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted

### 5. Public Participation

6. To approve the Minutes of the Full Council meeting held on 21st October 2019

### 7. Planning:

- a) To approve the Minutes of the **Planning Committee** meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> November
- b) To formally approve Planning Committee Recommendations

# 8. Highway & Streetscene:

- a) To approve the Minutes of the Highway & Streetscene Committee meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> November
- b) To formally approve Highway & Streetscene Recommendations
- c) To consider police advice on parking issues outside of Bowerhill primary school

# 9. Community Governance Review

- a) To note Wiltshire Council Briefing Note 19-032 Community Governance Review
- b) To note Community Governance Review will commence from 1<sup>st</sup> November including Melksham Without, Melksham & Seend
- c) To note date for meeting with Wiltshire Council and agree attendees
- d) To consider arrangement of councillors per ward if Wiltshire Council uphold requests of parish council for Community Governance Review

#### 10. Finance & Budget:

- a) To note Income & Expenditure reports for October 2019
- b) To agree two finance cllrs to authorise monthly payments for November
- c) To note Tax Base number advised for informing Precept setting 2020/21

#### 11. Asset Management

- a) To note draft Minutes of Joint Shaw Hill Playing Field Improvement Project Working Party 1st November
- b) To consider next steps for Shaw Hill Playing Field Improvement Project
- c) To consider purchase of Survey Monkey subscription for consultations
- d) To consider which type of "We're Watching You" anti dog fouling stickers to purchase
- e) To consider request for bin for Beanacre Community Field
- f) To note update on Play Area repairs
- g) To note fire damage to Bus Shelter

#### **12.** To review Members Email policy

# 13. Community projects/partnership organisations:

- a) To note draft Minutes of CAWS CEG (Community Action: Whitley & Shaw) Community Emergency Group
- b) To receive feedback from Parliament Week Activities

- c) To receive feedback from Special Older Person's Area Board Meeting (22<sup>nd</sup> October)
- d) To consider request from resident for Intergenerational Newsletter for Melksham
- e) To consider Payphones Consultation by Wiltshire Council and adoption of 'phone boxes
- f) To consider request to support proposed Local Electricity Bill
- g) To note NALC communication of "Friends of the Earth" 20 actions parish and town councils can take on the climate and nature emergency

### 14. Complaint & Subject Access Request:

- a) To note complaint and current status
- b) To form a Complaints Committee

### 15. Staffing & Resources

- a) To note start date of new member of staff
- b) To note that parish council has completed its re-declaration of compliance with the Pensions Regulator
- c) To approve purchase of 2 x Windows 10 licences for Officers