

# Ashill Parish Council

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Councillors are hereby summoned, and members of the public are invited, to attend a meeting of the Parish Council to be held in the Ashill Village Hall on **Monday 7 November 2022 at 7.30pm** for the purposes detailed in the following

## A G E N D A

### 1. Apologies

- a) To receive & note apologies from the outgoing Clerk;
- b) To receive & note any other apologies with reasons for absence.

### 2. Casual Vacancy - to note the Parish Council has one remaining Casual Vacancy to be filled by co-option.

### 3. Chairmans' Opening Statement

### 4. Public Participation

- To welcome members of the public who are invited to make representations & ask questions either in respect of any matter on this agenda or any matter affecting the Parish;
- To welcome & receive reports from County Cllr Sue Osborne & District Cllr Ray Buckler subject to their availability.

### 5. Declarations of Interests / Dispensation Requests - to receive any declarations of interest by members in respect of items on this agenda; & to report any requests received since the previous meeting for dispensations to speak and/or vote on any matter where a member has a disclosable pecuniary interest.

### 6. Minutes – to approve the minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on 5 September 2022 (*attached*).

### 7. Planning

- i) To note the following planning application submitted to SSDC since the last meeting :

Application No.	22/02496/S73A
Proposal	S73A application to remove Condition 2 (Agricultural Tie) of Permission 780244 (Erection of a dwelling house and garage, conditionally approved 13.06.78).
Location	Trumpland House, Windmill Hill Lane, Ashill, TA19 9NT.

### 8. Playing Field

- a) Cllr Fry to present an inspection report for November;
- b) Cllr Fry to report on any actions taken since the last meeting of the Parish Council & further proposed objectives;
- c) Cllr Fry to report with regard to renegotiated electricity costs;
- d) To receive for consideration any other matters regarding the Playing Field.

### 9. Highways / Footpaths

- a) To note the outcome of the National Highways Community Forum Event held on 19 October 2022 for the A358 Taunton to Southfields Dualling Scheme (*circulated*);
- b) To receive for consideration any other matters regarding Highways / Footpaths.

#### 10. Health / Environment / Parish Assets

- a) Cllr Fry to report with regard to arrangements for Parish Defibrillator Training;
- b) To receive for consideration any matters regarding the Millennium Pond;
- c) Cllr Fry to introduce a discussion regarding the use of the bus shelter(s);
- d) To receive for consideration any other matters regarding Health / Environment / Parish Assets.

#### 11. Village Hall

- a) To receive for consideration the Village Hall Structural Survey (*circulated*);
- b) Cllr Fry & Cllr Pyle to report on the meeting of the Village Hall Committee held on 26 September 2022;
- c) To receive for consideration any other matters regarding the Village Hall.

12. Church – Cllr Pyle to report any matters regarding the Church.

13. Christmas 2022 - to give consideration to the provision of a Christmas Tree for the 'Parish Christmas Tree Carol Singing' to be held on 3 December 2022.

#### 14. Communication

- a) Cllr Harvey to update with regard to the notice board upgrade;
- b) Cllr Varney to propose for consideration the migration of the current Parish Council website to a new provider (TEEC);
- c) Cllr Fry to update with regard to the sponsorship of the print of the November Isle Valley News magazine;
- d) To introduce a discussion with regard to arranging a Parish Social Meeting;
- e) To approve a proposal for a Parish Council logo (*circulated*);
- f) To receive for consideration any other matters regarding communication.

#### 15. Finance

- i) To receive for consideration October 2022 Payments / Receipts Report & draft 2023 / 24 Budget (*attached*);
- ii) To approve the following payments :

Cllr R Fry – Playing Field Expenses ( <i>Paid</i> )	£ 68.40
Gown Engineers Ltd. – Village Hall Structural Inspection ( <i>Paid</i> )	£360.00
SLCC – Affiliation Fee & NALC Payment 2022 / 23 ( <i>Paid</i> )	£143.94

#### 16. Staffing

- a) To receive the notice of resignation from the outgoing Clerk (*to follow*);
- b) To approve the appointment of a new Clerk with effect from 31 October 2022.

#### 17. Items for consideration for a future agenda

- 2023 / 24 Budget & Precept

18. Next Meeting – to confirm the next meeting is to be held on 16 January 2023.

*J W Davidson*  
**Clerk to the Council**  
31 October 2022