

LITTLE BLAKENHAM PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Members of the public and the Press are invited to attend a Meeting of Little Blakenham Parish Council on Tuesday 20th July 2021 at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall.

AGENDA

1. To receive and approve apologies for absence.
2. Declarations of any pecuniary and non pecuniary interests.
 - a. Councillors declaration of interest appropriate to any item on the Agenda.
 - b. To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interest (if any)
 - c. To grant any requests for dispensations as appropriate.
3. Open Forum.
 - a. To receive reports from District and County Councillors, if present.
 - b. 15 minute Open Forum during which parishioners may ask questions and raise issues on matters that are not Agenda items. Councillors and parishioners will be able to ask questions and raise issues with District and County Councillors, if present.
4. To approve the Draft Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on 18th May 2021.
5. To receive the update on Action Points.
6. Planning
 - a. To consider any planning applications.
None.
 - b. To note any planning determinations.
DC/21/02861
Householder Application: Erection of single storey side extension; Conversion of garage to additional living accommodation.
Location: 13 The Beeches Little Blakenham Suffolk IP8 4LX.
Granted
 - c. Any other planning matters to note.
 - d. To note any update on the Valley Ridge development (formerly SnOasis).
 - e. To note any update regarding the EA Windfarm construction work.
 - f. To note any update regarding the Sterling Suffolk greenhouses project.
7. Village Hall
 - a. To note the Village Hall Usage and Financial Report.
 - b. To consider the Draft Tender document for the refurbishment of the Hall.
8. Village Maintenance
 - a. To approve the installation of a dog waste bin by the ramp on the footpath from the Beeches to Valley Road.
 - b. To consider the possibility of commissioning and installing a village sign.
 - c. To consider installing a defibrillator.
 - d. To consider the quote for churchyard grass cutting.
8. Governance
 - a. To approve the Council's revised Financial Controls procedures.
9. Training
 - a. To consider any requests for training.

b. To receive Cllr. Keen's feedback from the SALC training courses that she recently attended.

10. Village newsletter.

a. To consider producing a village newsletter in conjunction with the PCC.

b. To consider a bimonthly article in InTouch with the PCC

11. Finance

a. To receive the Clerk's Financial Report.

b. To approve the list of payments to be approved and cheques to be signed.

12. Correspondence

To note and consider any response to the following correspondence:

25th May 2021 - SALC Mid Suffolk joint area forum agenda

26th May 2021, 9th July 2021 and 15th July 2021 - BMSDC updates on large-scale energy developments in the Babergh and Mid Suffolk districts.

26th May 2021 – correspondence with Suffolk County Council regarding the Roadside Nature Reserve on Valley Road.

14th June 2021 - information on MSDC's Discovering Suffolk project.

14th July 2021 - invitation to SALC AGM.

13. To note the date of the next scheduled meeting (21st September 2021) and any items for the Agenda.

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Date: 15th July 2021.