

BADGER PARISH COUNCIL

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Dear Councillor,

You are hereby summoned to attend the next meeting of Badger Parish Council to be held on Thursday 21st November 2019, from 7.00 pm at St. Giles' Church, Badger, for the purpose of transacting the business below.

F. David Voysey, Clerk to the Council

AGENDA

1. OPEN FORUM

- a) An opportunity for parishioners to raise any local issues of interest or concern.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

3. DECLARATION OF PERSONAL AND/OR PECUNIARY INTERESTS NOT ALREADY DECLARED FOR MATTERS TO BE DISCUSSED.

4. TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF BADGER PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 19th SEPTEMBER 2019

5. TO CONSIDER ANY MATTERS ARISING FROM THE 19th SEPTEMBER 2019 MEETING.

- a) Minute 46 c): Western Power informed about growth of ash tree by power cable on Stableford Lane who sent an Inspector to examine.
- b) Minute 46 f): Clerk awaiting receipt of invoice for purchase of daffodil bulbs.
- c) Minute 46 h): Update on proposed refurbishment of the Council's notice board.
- d) Minute 48 a): Police questionnaire completed and returned on 25/9/19.

6. ADMINISTRATION

- a) Revised Code of Conduct: Members to approve and sign.
- b) Retention of Records at Shropshire Archives: Update from the Clerk.

7. FINANCE.

- a) The Council's Precept for 2020/2021 Financial Year (Item 1 of the Treasurer's Report)

- b) Internal Auditor's Fee (Item 2 of Treasurer's Report)
- c) Payments for Approval (Item 3 of Treasurer's Report)
- d) Bank Accounts and Balances (Item 4 of Treasurer's Report)

8. PLANNING MATTERS

- a) Planning Application 19/04292/TCA: Following site meeting by the County Arboriculturalist, application was revised to fell 13 ash trees & retain four mature ash trees which has been accepted by the Planning Authority.
- b) To consider any planning applications received after the issue of the agenda for the Council Meeting.

9. PARISH MATTERS

- a) Road Safety Issues: Chairman to report on outcome of his site visit with the representative of the Highways Authority of Shropshire Council.
- b) Recent closure of Badger Lane for BT works: Views on failure to provide bus service during the works.
- c) The "Albrighton Flyer": Council to consider whether to pursue seeking inclusion of Badger village in this mini-bus service.
- d) To report on any parish matters that need attention.

10. UNITARY AUTHORITY MATTERS

- a) Re-tendering of Bus Service Contracts: Council to consider its response to Shropshire Council.

11. CORRESPONDENCE.

- a) AGM of Shropshire Association of Local Councils (SALC) and its 70th Anniversary Celebrations: Attendee, Councillor Ian Wright to give feedback.
- b) 75th Anniversary of VE Day on 8th May 2020: Council to consider commemorative event.

12 DATE OF NEXT MEETING.

The next meeting of the Council will be held at St. Giles' Church, Badger on Thursday 16th January 2020, starting at 7.00 pm.