

# NEWBOLD PACEY AND ASHORNE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

**WEDNESDAY 4<sup>th</sup> March 2020**  
**AT 7:30pm IN THE ASHORNE VILLAGE HALL**

## AGENDA

1. Public Participation (3 mins max per person, 15 mins in total)
2. Declaration of interest in items on the agenda
3. To receive apologies for absence
4. To approve and sign the minutes of the meetings held on 8<sup>th</sup> January 2020 and 29<sup>th</sup> January 2020
5. To receive District Councillors' Report – circulated
6. To receive County Councillors' Report – circulated
7. Planning
  - a. To consider new applications  
None
  - b. Decisions of Committee since last meeting (for information)  
None

c. District Decisions (for information)

| <u>Reference</u>                   | <u>Status</u>                 | <u>Address</u>                                 | <u>Proposal</u>  |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| <a href="#">19/03430/<br/>TREE</a> | Tree Works<br>Approved        | 2 The Green<br>Paynes Lane<br>Ashorne CV35 9DT | T1 - Prunus - reduce in height 2m and radially to 1m to leave the tree 7m high and width at 4m. T2 - Acer - reduce in height 1m and radially 1m to leave the tree 4.5m high and width at 2m. |
| 19/02870/<br>FUL                   | Permission with<br>conditions | Land Adjacent To<br>Pinecroft Ashorne          | Erection of one self-build, local market dwelling<br>and all associated works  |

### 8. Finance

- a. To approval of payments to be made (circulated)
- b. To note receipts (circulated)

### 9. Parish Business

- a. Dog Waste Bin - LT
  - i. To receive verbal update on installation of dog waste bin
- b. Allotment Water Bill and Meter Change - CP
  - i. To receive verbal update on the complaint to Severn Trent
- c. Staffing Committee - MW/PB/RW
  - i. To receive verbal update from Staffing Working group
  - ii. To agree appointment of new Clerk
  - iii. To approve Terms of Reference for the Staffing Committee
  - iv. To agree membership of the Staffing Committee
- d. Emergency Plan - SB/PB/RW
  - i. To receive verbal update on the updating/production of a Parish Council Emergency Plan
  - ii. To consider recommendation to review the current provision of sand/salt for residents and identify any actions required
  - iii. To consider recommendation to share the completed plan on the PC website along with emergency contact numbers
- e. Clock Maintenance – SB/RW
  - i. To receive verbal update on clock maintenance quotes

- ii. To consider recommendation to approve the provisional budget for 2020/21
- f. Risk to Operations Committee - MW
  - i. To consider formation of a Risk to Operations Committee
- g. VE Day Celebrations - PB
  - i. To receive verbal update on VHMC plans for VE Day 2020
- h. Flooding outside Village Hall - All
  - i. To receive report on letters sent concerning flooding
- i. End of Project report for WCC - CP
  - i. To receive report on submission
  - ii. To consider recommendation to ...
- j. The Holloway - CP
  - i. To receive report on the Holloway
  - ii. To consider recommendation to ...
- k. Enlisting volunteers to support Church maintenance – All
  - i. To consider options for supporting the church
- l. Local Electricity Bill – MW
  - i. To consider the following motion  
That Newbold Pacey and Ashorne Parish Council
  - (i) notes that the Local Electricity Bill
    - aims to address the current situation, whereby the very large financial setup and running costs involved in selling locally generated renewable electricity to local customers result in it being impossible for local renewable electricity generators to do so,
    - if made law, would make these financial costs proportionate to the scale of a renewable electricity supplier's operation which empower local businesses, local communities and councils to sell locally generated renewable electricity directly to local people, businesses and organisations, and
    - would result in revenues received by councils or community organisations that set up local renewable electricity companies could be used to help fund local greenhouse gas emissions reduction measures and to help improve local services and facilities;
  - (ii) accordingly resolves to support the Local Electricity Bill, supported by a cross-party group of 115 MPs during the 2017-19 Parliamentary session; and
  - (iii) further resolves to write to the organisers of the campaign for the Bill, Power for People, (at 8 Delancey Passage, Camden, London NW1 7NN or [info@powerforpeople.org.uk](mailto:info@powerforpeople.org.uk)) expressing its support.

## **10. Items for the next agenda**

## **11. Date of next meeting – 6<sup>th</sup> May 2020 7.30PM to include the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council and the Annual Parish Assembly**

Members of the public will be given the opportunity to speak on appropriate items of interest when invited to do so by the Chair.

Signed:

Cat Price - Parish Clerk

Date: 26<sup>th</sup> February 2020