

CREWE GREEN PARISH COUNCIL

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15 March 2022

You are summoned to the bi-Monthly Meeting of Crewe Green Parish Council on Monday 21 March 2022 commencing at 7.00 pm at St Michael's Church, Crewe Green

N.B. CGPC remains quorate providing at least one third of all Members are present and not less than 3. (See STO item 1:x)



Denise French Clerk

AGENDA

1. Apologies:

To receive apologies for absence.

2. Declarations of Interest

To receive declarations by elected and co-opted members of interests in respect of items on this agenda.

Members are reminded that, in accordance with the revised Code of Conduct, they are required to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests or other registerable interests which have not already been declared in the Council's Register of Interests. (It is a criminal offence not to declare a disclosable pecuniary interest either in the Register or at the meeting.) Members may, however, also decide, in the interests of clarity and transparency, to declare at this point in the meeting, any such disclosable pecuniary interests which they have already declared in the Register, as well as any other registerable or other interests. If a Member requires advice on any item involving a possible declaration of interest which could affect their ability to speak and/or vote, they are advised to contact the clerk at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting.

3. Public speaking open forum and Public participation

The Parish Council will consider any requests from members of the public to address the meeting. However, any requests for items of business on the agenda and/or relevant Parish matters and will be at the Chairman's discretion whether these requests will be granted, and if invited to speak, individual members of the public will be allowed to speak for up to a maximum of two minutes. Note: no decision can be made on these matters but they may be placed on a future agenda of the Council.

4. Minutes

To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 13 January 2022 (attached).

5. Progress Reports and Updates

All items covered on the agenda.

6. Financial matters:

- To consider an update on mandate changes to the online banking
- To authorise the payments and receive a summary of the Bank account.
- (Schedule to be circulated to Members)
- To note that a pay award has now been agreed and NALC have advised amended salary scales with effect from 1 April 2021; this means the Clerk is on SCP 13 which is now £11.97 an hour (previously £11.76)
- To consider a request from the former Clerk that the payment authorised at the previous meeting in recognition of the additional workload and hours spent on the banking issue be increased to include tax which means paying him a one off sum of £117.60.

7. Community Governance review and amalgamation with Weston & Basford PC

To consider any further actions/updates that may need to be considered in relation to the Cheshire East Council Community Governance Review.

8. Street Lighting

- To consider an update on street lighting.
- To note that Scottish Power has informed the Council of an increase in charges from 1 March 2022 :
Standing Charge – 12p a day (no change)
Kwh increased from 12p/Kwh to 47p/Kwh

9. Jubilee

To consider whether the Council wishes to purchase any commemorative items or contribute to Jubilee commemorations.

10. Community Garden

- (a) to receive any update on the Community Garden project
- (b) to consider whether the Council wishes to progress a maintenance contract for the Garden.

11. Planning:

Planning decisions:

- 21/5965N: Listed building consent - Raking out the existing cement pointing to all elevations and repointing using NHL 3.5 lime mortar. The cement plinth around the perimeter walls and bay window is also to be hacked off and renewed using lime render of the same colour and design. Location: The Lodge, Slaughter Hill, CREWE, CREWE, CW1 5UP - PENDING
- 21/6101N: Extension and Internal Alterations
ST MICHAELS VICARAGE, NARROW LANE, CREWE, CW1 - PENDING

Planning Withdrawals:

- 21/5770N: To erect orangery at the rear, 2 EAST LODGE, Englesea Court, BARTHOMLEY ROAD, CREWE, CW1 5UH

Planning Applications:

None

South Cheshire Growth Village

To receive any updates that may be forthcoming on the possible future development of the South Cheshire Growth Village .

12. Reports from Councillors

- (a) To receive any updates from Councillors on matters including Highways, Police, Environmental, Planning, and Street lighting;
- (b) Councillors to raise any matters for inclusion on future agendas.

13. Clerks report

To receive the clerks report

14. Report from Cheshire East Councillors

Cllr Edgar to provide a report.

15. Correspondence:

To receive the correspondence schedule.

16. Date of next meeting:

Next meeting of the Parish Council will be the Annual Meeting and will take place on Monday 16 May 2022 at St Michael's Church.

Meeting dates for 2022-2023:

16 May 2022, 18 July 2022, 19 September 2022, 21 November 2022

Part 2 – EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

To resolve under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 to exclude the press and public due to the confidential nature of the business to be discussed

None

This meeting will close at 9.00pm