

Hemington, Hardington & Foxcote Parish Council

MENDIP DISTRICT OF THE COUNTY OF SOMERSET

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To: Councillors M Corney (Chairman), V Curtis, M Francis, F Green, F Hayward, A Hucker (Vice Chairman).

You are summoned to attend an electronic meeting of the Parish Council which will be held on Wednesday 10th February 2021 at 7.30pm. The business to be dealt with is set out below.

Jenny Howell
04/02/2021

JOINING INSTRUCTIONS:

You are invited to a scheduled Zoom meeting which you can access online from <https://us02web.zoom.us/>

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Meeting ID: 857 9155 0467 Password: 01373 OR you may prefer to dial in by telephone 0203 481 5240

All participants should mute microphones when not talking to enable the efficient running of the meeting.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Members of the public and press are entitled to attend the meeting unless the Parish Council by resolution enters confidential session. Within this public session, members of the public may make representations, ask, and answer questions and give evidence on any matter affecting or of concern, by addressing the Chairman. *Members of the public are requested to raise any matter during this session as the rest of the meeting is not open to public participation.*

AGENDA

1. WELCOME & APOLOGIES

To consider any apologies for absence.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To DECLARE interests, RECEIVE written dispensation requests for items of disclosable pecuniary interest and GRANT requests where appropriate. *Under the Parish Council's Code of Conduct in accordance with the Localism Act 2011 and The Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012, SI No. 1464.*

3. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Recommended: That the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting of 13th January 2021 are approved as a correct record and agreement given for them to be signed by the Chairman.

4. REPORTS

- a. To RECEIVE the District Councillor's report.
- b. To RECEIVE a report/update from the Chairman.
- c. To RECEIVE the Clerk's report. To include
 - Walking in Somerset website.
 - Police Newsletter.
 - Somerset County Council Coronavirus Bulletins.
 - Somerset Covid-19 Weekly Update.
 - Correspondence: Somerset Sight - service and request for volunteers.
 - MDC Health and Wellbeing Briefing.*(Items added under News on the Parish Council website).*

5. **PLANNING**

a. To NOTE the following planning decisions:

| Planning Application | Details: | Mendip District Council decision: |
|-----------------------------|--|---|
| 2020/1852/FUL | Location: Land At 373747 154405 High Street, Faulkland. Proposal: Erection of 1no three-bedroom dwelling. | Reported as: Withdrawn by applicant |
| 2020/2438/HSE | Proposal: Alterations to lean-to garage, erect two story extension. Location: Applethatch, Green Street to Single Hill Foxcote. | Approval with Conditions (Full details including conditions are available on the Planning Portal). |
| 2020/2245/HSE | Proposal: Loft conversion with raised insulated flat roof rear dormer to the main house. Conversion of the rear conservatory to a garden room with an insulated flat roof with a lantern and bi-fold doors opening to the rear garden. Location: 4 Ruckley Ford, Green Street, Foxcote. | Approval with Conditions (Full details including conditions are available on the Planning Portal). |
| 2020/2362/FUL | Proposal: Erection of a granny annexe. Location: Ashgrove, Grove Lane, Faulkland. | Approval with Conditions (Full details including conditions are available on the Planning Portal). |

b. There are NO new Planning Applications to consider at this meeting.

c. To RECEIVE and NOTE the MDC Planning Bulletin: Service Update.

6. **PLANNING INSPECTORATE APPEAL DECISION**

To note the decision by the Planning Inspector in relation to Appeal Ref: APP/Q3305/C/20/3258757, Land at Faulkland, Radstock, BA3 5X. Summary of Decision: The appeal is dismissed and the enforcement notice is upheld with corrections.

7. **POST BOX TURNER'S TOWER**

Second letter sent by the Clerk: request for the post box to be replaced.

8. **HIGHWAYS**

a. Measures to tackle speeding in the parish

Actions in hand:

- Meeting request with Neighbourhood Policing Team / PCSO Daniel Beck.
- Information requested from Information Commissioner's Office.

b. Lorries in Laverton

This relates to email correspondence to Somerset County Council copying in the Parish Council reference lorries in Laverton. Chairman liaising with point of contact at Norton St Philip.

9. **TREE PLANTING INITIATIVE**

Order requirements updated – at present no response from the Woodland Trust. The charity is running at much reduced capacity due to staff furlough.

10. **FINANCES**

a. To APPROVE the payment schedule for February 2021

| Cheque | Paid to | Amount |
|---|---|----------------|
| 1179 | Mrs J Howell Basic pay, phone, work from home expense, printer ink. Zoom professional. | £303.78 |
| Total payments for February 2021 | | £303.78 |

b. To RECEIVE and APPROVE the latest financial statement. (*Bank reconciliation to 31/01/2021*).

11. **SOMERSET WASTE PARTNERSHIP**

Somerset Waste Partnership, with details of the new 6am early start for all waste collections - recycling, rubbish, and garden waste - from Monday 1 February for at least one month.

12. **VILLAGE CLEAN UP DAY – MARCH 2021**
To consider plans for the Village Clean Up Day, with support from MDC who provide bags etc and arrange the pick-up of the rubbish bags. (Decision deferred from January PCM due to Coronavirus).
13. **MENDIP DISTRICT COUNCIL PRIORITIES**
To receive an update following briefing on MDC Priorities following the Parish Forum: Saving Lives, Delivering Statutory Services and Economic Recovery.
A recording of the briefing is to be made available on the MDC website.
14. **CENSUS 2021**
To raise awareness of the census which will take place on 21st March 2021. It is a once-in-a-decade opportunity to gather a detailed 'snapshot' of the population of Somerset and its characteristics. The information collected is used in planning and funding local services in our area, such as health, education, and transport.
15. **EPC1-21 – RIGHT TO REGENERATE CONSULTATION**
Response requested by 26th February 2021.
16. **CORONAVIRUS**
Latest advice / information.
17. **INFORMATION / ITEMS TO RAISE FOR CONSIDERATION AT THE NEXT MEETING**
This item must be information only. Any matter that requires a decision must be set as an agenda item for the following meeting.
18. **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**
To NOTE the date of the next Parish Council Meeting: 7.30pm on Wednesday 10th March 2021.