

Great Milton Parish Council

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11th March 2020

To the Chairman and members of Great Milton Parish Council

Dear Councillor

I hereby give you notice that the next Meeting of Great Milton Parish Council will be held in the Pavilion on **16th March 2020** at **7.30pm**.

Public and Press are welcome to attend.

Yours sincerely,



Tim Darch

Clerk & Responsible Finance Officer to Great Milton Parish Council

AGENDA

01/20 Apologies for Absence

02/20 Variation of order of business

03/20 Declarations of member's Interest (if any)
To receive declarations of interest in matters on the Agenda.

04/20 Matters to Report
To receive reports from County and District Councillors and other bodies as appropriate.

05/20 Correspondence and Public Discussion
No correspondence has been received this month which is not dealt with elsewhere on the agenda.

06/20 Planning Applications
A To consider the following planning applications received from SODC:
P20/S0598/HH and P20/S0599/LB (1 Monkerly Farm, Church Road, Great Milton OX44 7PB).
Removal of geodesic dome, replacement with car port/store with study in roof.

P20/S0773/LB (Monkerly Barn 1 Monkerly Farm Church Road Great Milton OX44 7PB).
Concealment of an opening on the south boundary wall with obscure fixed glass.

P20/S0578/FUL (6 Thame Road, Great Milton OX44 7HY). New detached dwelling on infill plot next to 6 Thame Road.

B To review the following planning decisions received and any outstanding planning matters.
P19/S4694/FUL (11, Ashurst Court, London Road Wheatley OX33 1ER). Alterations to building to provide meeting room. Planning permission is GRANTED for the proposed development.

P19/S4092/HH and P19/S4093/LB (Creeper Cottage Church Road Great Milton OX44 7PB).
Remove existing bay window to rear elevation and replace with oak framed single storey extension with hipped tile roof. New single storey extension to extend existing entrance area and provide new WC facility - remove existing internal flat roof area. (as amended by drawings

received 10th February, to reduce the depth and height of the rear garden room). Planning permission is GRANTED for the proposed development.

Planning permission has been granted for a small power generation facility in Wheatley, close to the M40 near to Wheatley Farm Stores. Concerns about lack of consultation or with Great Milton Parish Council (the parish boundary is at Wheatley Bridge) and the risk of this decision setting a precedent for the ongoing application at Lobb Farm have been expressed to SODC, but in response reassurances have been received to the effect that the significant differences in scale and location mean that the two applications are not comparable and will be evaluated on their own merits.

07/20 Minutes of the previous meeting

To approve and sign the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Monday 17th February 2020.

08/20 Financial Resolutions

- A To authorise cheques for payment:
- Tim Darch. Salary, Tax and Expenses. £434.90
 - Jonathan Dudley. Bulletin production February. £264.50
 - OALC membership 2020-21. £153.26
 - PCC annual grass cutting grant 2020-21. £600
 - ICO data protection fee 2020-21. £40
- B To receive and sign the latest monthly reconciliations, accounts and bank statements.
- 9/20 Parish Clerk and Councillors' update of matters in hand**
There is nothing to report that is not dealt with elsewhere on the agenda.

10/20 School parking update

An update will be sought from the school on the success or otherwise of the parking trial in time for the April meeting.

11/20 Pedestrian and cycle access from Great Milton to Wheatley

Cllr Bennet's suggestion to make Sworford Lane one-way in the Wheatley direction, with the Wheatley-Great Milton carriageway dedicated to pedestrian and cycle use, has been put to Oxfordshire County Council for their feedback. OCC has raised several concerns about the proposal, including whether there is the required road width for a two-way pedestrian/cycle facility while still accommodating larger vehicles on the vehicle carriageway, how segregation would be safely managed (white lines possibly insufficient, white blocks or other more 'invasive' methods possibly not suitable for an unlit road), one-way roads encouraging higher vehicle speeds, along with concerns over management of displaced traffic, length of required diversions and the cost and practicality of modelling the proposal.

A decision is required on whether further progress should be made on the proposed footpath through the fields alongside Sworford Lane, given the alternative proposal described above and the recent restoration of public transport to Great Milton village (albeit on a limited basis).

12/20 New bus service

Red Rose service 275 (High Wycombe-Chinnor-Milton Common-Oxford) began serving Great Milton village on Monday 24 February. Initial uptake has been encouraging and positive feedback has been received, but steady usage is required to ensure the viability of the diversion and hopefully encourage enhanced provision.

13/20 Litter pick date

The litter pick has been confirmed for 10am on Saturday 11 April, to coincide with Keep Britain Tidy's 'Great British Spring Clean' event. Please meet outside The Old Garage, where equipment will be distributed.

14/20 Donation requests

To consider donation requests from Oxfordshire South and Vale Citizens Advice, which reportedly advised 47 Great Milton residents in 2018-19, Home Start Southern Oxfordshire, which supports vulnerable families with a child under 5 across South Oxfordshire and the Vale of White Horse and Cleanslate, which provides long-term emotional support for survivors of

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abuse in Oxfordshire and aims to encourage individuals to explore their own mental health needs and adopt coping strategies for long term recovery

15/20 Coronavirus update

To discuss issues surrounding the ongoing Coronavirus outbreak.

16/20 VE Day

To discuss any potential village events that are scheduled on the weekend of 8th, 9th and 10th May to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of VE Day.

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