# STOKE PARISH COUNCIL



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I hereby give notice of a meeting of Stoke Parish Council to be held at the Village Hall, Mallard Way on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022 at 7.00pm.

Jenny Allen ~ Clerk 31/03/2022

Part A	Public discussion (not part of the meeting) where any member of the public may discuss any
	item. No motions may be proposed nor decisions taken, but matters raised by the public may
	be placed on the agenda for the next meeting.
Part B	Public discussion on any <b>agenda</b> items. In line with standing order (3) e members of the public
	are permitted to make representations, answer questions and give evidence in respect of any
	item of business included in the agenda. This shall take place at this part of the meeting for a
	maximum of 30 minutes. Following this member of the public are <b>not permitted to speak</b> or
	to take part in the business of the Parish Council.

## Agenda

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1.	Apologies for absence Members who cannot attend a meeting shall tender their apologies to the Parish Clerk prior to the meetings, under Section 85(1) of the Local Government Act 1972, the members present must decide whether the reason(s) for a member's absence shall be accepted.		
2.	To receive Declarations of Interest and Dispensations  To receive Declarations of Interest in respect of matters contained in this agenda, in accordance with the provisions of the Localism Act 2011 in respect of members and in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1972 in respect of officers. To consider any Dispensation requests received by the Parish Clerk and not previously considered.		
3.	Disclosure of any other business of an urgent nature  Additional items to be discussed that have risen since the publishing of the agenda. No votes on these issues to take place.		
4.	Ward Councillor report  a). A report by Ward Councillor Mick Pendergast.		
5.	Minutes from the previous Parish Council Meeting - Appendix A  a). To receive and approve the minutes from the Parish Council meeting held on Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> March 2022.		
6.	Matters arising from the Minutes not otherwise on the Agenda		
7.	Planning Applications - Appendix B a). Applications. b). Decisions. c). Appeals and Other Matters.		

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### 8. Finance - Appendix C

- a). To agree financial performance against the budget for the month of March 2022.
- b). Update of account(s) for 2021/22 including payments received.
- c). Accounts paid since the last meeting to be ratified.
- d). Accounts for payment.
- e). Payment requests to be discussed for approval and payment.
- f). To appoint an Internal Auditor for the end of the financial year 2021/2022.

### 9. Management of the Council's land and property - Appendix D

- a). Playparks
  - i Allhallows Road Playpark.
  - ii Heron Way Playpark.
  - iii Upper Stoke Playpark.
- b). To review the report from the 2<sup>nd</sup> post installation inspection on the two newly installed toddler units, following further work undertaken by the contractors.

### 10. Highways Transportation

To receive and discuss any reports relating

- a). Footpaths.
- b). Lighting.
- c). Highways and verges.
- d). Pot holes.
- e). Fly tipping.
- f). Grass cutting

#### 11. Communications

- a). Update on the Parish Council's website and associated email addresses.
- b). Parish Council owned tablets.

#### 12. Village Hall

To receive an update on the status of the Village Hall.

#### 13. External Contractors

To discuss and approve any new work requests or discuss any existing orders for either:

- a). J R Brickwork.
- b). Eastborough Landscapes
- c). Colyn Property Services

#### 14. Feedback to Public Questions

a). To receive a response/update on the last public questions raised, following the Parish Council Meeting on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2022.

#### 15. Disabled Parking in Lower Stoke

a). To receive an update on the new layout of the Lower Stoke Car Park, including the repositioning of the disabled parking bay.

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16.	Flooded Manhole cover on A228 Grain Road
	a). To receive an update on the flooded manhole cover located on the A228 Grain Road.
17.	Platinum Jubilee Event
	a). To provide an update on event to mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee on Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2022.
18	Policies - Appendix E
	a). To review the following two Parish Council's policies for re-adoption
	The All-Risks Management Policy
	The Audit Regime
19.	Village Voices Publication
	a). To review items that could be used to place an article in the next edition of the Village
	Voices Publication.
20.	Correspondence
21.	Reports and Circulars
22.	Any other business
22.	Date of next meeting
24.	Close of meeting