

Great Milton Parish Council

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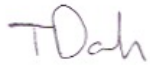
To the Chairman and members of Great Milton Parish Council

Dear Councillor

I hereby give you notice that the next Meeting of Great Milton Parish Council will be held at the Pavilion, Recreation Ground, Great Milton on **20th September 2021** at **7.30pm**.

Public and Press are welcome to attend.

Yours sincerely,



Tim Darch

Clerk & Responsible Finance Officer to Great Milton Parish Council

AGENDA

108/21 Apologies for Absence

109/21 Variation of order of business

110/21 Declarations of member's Interest (if any)

To receive declarations of interest in matters on the Agenda.

111/21 Matters to Report

To receive reports from County and District Councillors and other bodies as appropriate.

112/21 Correspondence and Public Discussion

A complaint has been received from a resident of Fullers Field about repeated dog fouling on their property. **Dog owners are reminded to keep their pets away from private property, and use a bag to clear up any mess that they generate, wherever this happens.**

A resident has requested that the road markings at the junction of A329 and Thame Road should be reviewed by the County Council with a view to the consideration of double white lines (or a suitable alternative which prevents overtaking but allows turning right to and from Thame Road), backed up by 'no overtaking' signage. This is after several near misses while turning into and out of Thame Road at this location, with vehicles either approaching unexpectedly from the left on the A329 or overtaking when about to turn right into Thame Road from the A329.

It is hoped that Steve Partington from Shield Solutions in Milton Common will briefly attend to introduce himself and give a short presentation with a view to a potential multi-village dog waste collection arrangement.

113/21 Planning Applications

A To consider the following planning applications received from SODC:

P21/S3530/HH (Maranta Thame Road Great Milton). Hip to gable extension. Rear dormer & single storey rear extension.

P21/S3680/HH and P21/S3681/LB (Milton Lodge Lower End Great Milton).

To raise the boundary walls and piers on the east and southern side of the property, to the same height as the existing piers and wall on the eastern boundary and install wooden gates.

B To review the following planning decisions received and any outstanding planning matters. P21/S2278/HH (The Glass Onion Lower End Great Milton). Erection of Car Port with Solar PV Roof. Planning permission is GRANTED for the development described above.

P21/S2397/HH (Yew Cottage Lower End Great Milton Oxford). New first floor extension to replace current box dormer + two storey in fill extension. Replace all windows and doors. Planning permission is GRANTED for the development described above.

P21/S2838/LB, P21/S2858/HH and P21/S2859/LB (Honeysuckle Cottage Lower End Great Milton). Replace existing paving with new paving, repaint all existing windows, side and rear doors and repaint external walls of a Grade II listed building. Demolition of existing conservatory and replacing it with orangery, widening of existing doorway to original size and lowering of cill to create new doorway to a Grade II listed building. Planning permission is GRANTED for the developments described above.

114/21 Minutes of the previous meeting

To approve the minutes of the July meeting of the Parish Council, held on Monday 19th July 2021, as a true and accurate record of proceedings.

115/21 Financial Resolutions

A To authorise and sign the following cheques for payment:

Tim Darch. Salary, Tax and Expenses. £504.65

Jonathan Dudley. Bulletin production August. £tbc

Website hosting September (reimbursement to Clerk). £19.99

McCracken and Son. July/August mowing. £402/£558

Green and Growing. A329 path strim. £120

Pet Waste Solutions. Dog bin emptying July/August. £43.20

Oxon South and Vale Citizen's Advice. Donation, £100 (cheque mistakenly not written at July meeting despite being on agenda)

Clean Slate. Donation, £100

B To receive and approve the latest monthly bank reconciliation, accounts and bank statement.

116/21 Parish Clerk and Councillors' update of matters in hand

- The trip hazard from tree roots raising tarmac on the path from The Green to Fullers Field has been dealt with.
- The brambles on Fullers Field which were encroaching into the road have been trimmed by SOHA: however, they could have been more aggressive with their approach. It's hoped that SOHA will return and further reduce their mass.
- The hedges and foliage adjacent to the path on the Fullers Field side of the Rec have been cut back.
- Blocked gullies close to the school have been partially dealt with but there are significant blockages caused by tree roots. Oxfordshire County Council will hopefully be returning soon to clear the blockages.

117/21 COVID-19: update on village response/impacts

To review and discuss any significant local developments with regard to the current pandemic.

118/21 Milton Common speed mitigation scheme update

The installation team are reportedly awaiting delivery of materials: gateways should be received relatively soon, but the steel poles for the signage may have a longer lead time.

119/21 Milton Common parking issues: London Road

A complaint has been received regarding inconsiderate parking outside the new houses on London Road, including pavement parking. This has been reported to the County Council (as the highway authority) and to Thames Valley Police (as the enforcement authority). A member of the local policing team reports that they will keep an eye on things and enforce when possible, on a proportionate basis initially with a view to a more long-term approach if persistent issues are observed. The officer also observed that although there may be vehicles parked on the road which may be an inconvenience, the parking is not necessarily illegal.

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120/21 Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations, 2nd to 5th June 2022

To discuss plans for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations in June 2022.

121/21 Consultations on 'Ox-Cam Arc' and the SODC/VoWH Statement of Community Involvement

To discuss the current consultation exercises on the Ox-Cam Arc and JSIC.

The Ox-Cam Arc consultation seeks views from the public on their vision for the area, and their priorities for the Arc in the years ahead. This consultation marks the first of a three-stage process for the development of the Spatial Framework, as outlined by the Government. There will be two further consultations and other opportunities to liaise with central Government on the future of the Arc across the two-year project.

South Oxfordshire and Vale of White Horse district councils are preparing a joint Statement of Community Involvement (SCI), that sets out how they will consult on planning applications and planning policy, including the joint Local Plan. Comments are invited from the public and from local councils.

122/21 Grass cutting

To discuss the standard of grass cutting since the contract was re-awarded, in light of comments regarding cut length along with other issues such as plants being strimmed and allotment paths not being mowed.

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