

FARINGDON TOWN COUNCIL

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To: Members of Faringdon Town Council

Cllrs: *Bentley, Boulton, Burns, Castle, Famakin, Finn, Leniec, Martin, Morgan, Smith, Swallow, Thomas, Webb and Wise*

You are summoned to attend the Town Council meeting to be held Monday 10th October 2022 at 7pm in the Jubilee Room, 5 Market Place, Faringdon, SN7 7HL

Press & Public are invited to attend in person or via this link: [Click here to join the meeting](#)

Questions can be submitted to: office@faringdowntowncouncil.gov.uk

AGENDA

1. Apologies for Absence

To receive and approve

2. Minutes of last meeting

To agree and sign as a correct record of the meeting held on Monday 11th July 2022 (attached)

3. Declarations of Interest & requests for dispensations

Members are reminded of their responsibility to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest which they may have in any item of business on the agenda no later than when the item is reached. Unless dispensation is granted, you must withdraw from the room when the meeting discusses and votes on the matter.

4. Public Speaking and Question Time

This period is designated for public speaking accordance with Standing Order 3 (f). Members of the public are welcome to speak on any business itemised on the agenda for up to 3 minutes. Questions will be restricted to one from each member of public, or a maximum of 3 per meeting. Written notice of questions must be received by the Clerk at least 3 working days before the meeting.

5. Reports from Outside Bodies

To receive reports including:

- a) Thames Valley Police (attached)

6. County Councillor's Report

To receive a report from County Councillor Thomas (attached)

7. District Councillors' Report

To receive a report from District Councillors Thomas and Grant (attached)

8. Chair's Activity Report

To receive an activity report from Town Mayor, Cllr. Kiera Bentley (to follow)

9. Reports from Committees

To receive minutes and reports of the following committee meetings, including decisions taken under delegated authority:

- a) Planning and Highways Committee: 25th July 2022 (attached)
- b) Planning and Highways Committee: 30th August 2022 (attached)
- c) Climate Change Working Party: 26th July 2022 (attached)
- d) Finance and Audit Committee: 5th September 2022 (attached)
- e) Planning and Highways: 3rd October 2022 (to follow)
- f) Facilities Committee: 3rd October 2022 (to follow)
- g) Community and Partnerships Committee: 3rd October 2022 (to follow)

10. Clerk's Report & Schedule of Payments

- a) To receive and consider the schedule of payments approved under delegated authority up to and including 22nd August 2022 (attached)

- b) To receive and consider the schedule of payments approved under delegated authority up to and including 25th September 2022 (attached)
- c) To receive and consider the schedule of payments up to and including 10th October 2022 (to follow)
- d) To note Clerk' external activities to (attached)

11. Recommendations from the Finance and Audit Committee:

- a) Approve the process to allocate Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) funding and Working Party Terms of Reference (attached)
- b) Approve a DRAFT CIL policy (attached)
- c) Allocate £7,500 to install a Boules Court and improve Eagles Park

12. Police Station

To discuss the future of the Faringdon Police Station

13. Civility and Respect Pledge

- a) To consider passing a resolution to sign up to the civility and respect pledge (attached)
- b) To consider OALC recommended dignity at work policy (attached)
- c) To receive civility and respect newsletter (attached)

14. External Auditor

To receiving and consider an offer to opt out of using the nationally appointed external audit regime

15. Councillor Recruitment

To consider councillor recruitment for the forthcoming elections in May 2023

16. Gas Boilers and Faringdon's New School

To receive and consider responses (attached and to follow)

17. The Volunteer

To receive and consider information received regarding the sale of the former Volunteer Public House (to follow)

18. Street Cleaning

- a) To consider business rubbish in the town centre
- b) To receive consider a street cleaning report drafted by Cllr. Webb, with improvement suggestions for VWHDC.

19. South Central Probation UPW Consultation Survey

To consider a response (attached)

20. VoWHDC Draft Diversity and Inclusion Strategy Consultation

To consider a response (attached)

21. Items for Information Only (to follow)

22. Correspondence

To receive, for information only, correspondence up to and including 30th September 2022 (list attached).

23. Action list

To receive update

24. Agenda Items for the next meeting

To suggest items for the agenda of the meeting to be held on 7th November 2022.

Sally Thurston
Town Clerk
4th October 2022