

FAIRBURN PARISH COUNCIL

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SUMMONS

Dear Parish Councillors,

You are hereby summoned to attend the meeting of Fairburn Parish Council on Wednesday 15th January 2020 at 18:30 in Fairburn Community Centre. If you are unable to attend please let the clerk know at least three clear days in advance of the meeting and give reasons for your absence.

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF FAIRBURN PARISH COUNCIL MEETING AND AGENDA TO BE HELD ON WEDS. 15 JANUARY 2020 AT 18:30 IN FAIRBURN COMMUNITY CENTRE

Meetings are open to the press and public except for any item labelled as Part 2 under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 and as amended by the 1972 Act.

Press and public may not speak when the council is in progress; when councillors are discussing Council business; when councillors are in the process of decision making.

- Any parishioner (listener) is entitled to attend this meeting and raise any concerns or questions they may have with the Parish Council. These concerns and questions **must** be written and received by the Clerk **5 days before the meeting**.
- Listeners' comments will be taken at agenda item **012002**.
- **Comments** relating to the **agenda** will be taken first; the **time** for this will be restricted to **15 mins**
- Listeners may also speak at agenda item **012018** at the end of the meeting for information only.
- Decisions cannot be made at this meeting on items not on the agenda.
- Councillors are reminded to declare any interest in any agenda items not already registered
- Clerk to make note of names of parishioners attending the meeting.
- Councillors, clerk, public and press to sign attendance book.

Agenda items

012001. Welcome:

- i. Chairman to welcome all present to the meeting.

012002. Public Forum.

- i. Council to receive comments on agenda items from electors present. *(For information only; clerk to take notes of comments, Councillors must not join in any discussion nor answer any questions)*
- ii. Council to receive any written/e-mailed letters sent to the clerk.

012003. Apologies:

- Council to receive apologies and reasons for absence from members; to discuss and resolve whether to accept the reasons given

012004. Minutes of 20 November 2019 council meeting:

- Council to discuss and **resolve** whether to accept minutes of 20 November as an accurate record.

012005. Signing of minutes:

- **Chairman** to sign minutes if accepted.

012006. Reports:

Council to receive reports from:

- Chairman
- County Councillor
- District Councillor
- Other Officers
- Police
- Lorry Watch
- CEF
- Other representatives – reports from any representatives not listed above

012007. RFO to report on closing balances; recent payments and payments to be made

- Current balances
 - Community Account balance as at: 26 December 2019, statement no. 95: £20,222.95 (includes £652.45 VAT refund.)
- Payments made between meeting Cheque no.
 - £235.74 – Grounds maintenance. VAT £39.29; actual cost £196.45. 100419
 - £ 47.08 – Payroll Services; VAT£7.85; actual cost £39.23. 100420
 - £278.60 – HMRC; clerk's PAYE 100421
 - £389.36 – Clerking; December, 100422
- Payment requests received at agenda preparation
 - £ 54.00 – Room hire; 4.5 hrs. @ £12 per hour 100423
 - £
- Payment requests received after agenda distribution – council to receive and **resolve** payment
- Payments received
 - £652.45 – VAT refund

012008. Council to resolve whether to accept the report, payments as listed and any others received.

012009. Parking on pavements

- Council to discuss on-going problem of vehicles causing obstruction to people with sight impairment, Prams, pushchairs, wheelchairs and walking aids and **resolve** any possible action.

012010. Youth Club

- Council to discuss current situation and resolve what, if any, support can be given

012011. Planning

- Planning applications received – to discuss and resolve comments on applications received, including any since agenda preparation
- Planning decisions received – (for information only)

012012. Christmas lights

- To discuss arrangements re storage of Christmas lights and **resolve** any action

012013. Skate park repairs.

- To discuss any information received from Streetscape and **resolve** action

012014. Gardening.

- To discuss current situation and **resolve** action re employing a gardener/using volunteers

012015. Correspondence received since last meeting:

- a) YLCA – emails forwarded to Cllrs
- b) SDC – e-mails forwarded to Cllrs
- c) Clerks and Councils Direct – for circulation
- d)

012016. Action taken since last meeting.

- a) Co-option forms taken to SDC
- b) PC enrolled in Community Watch scheme
- c) Planning comments submitted
- d) Met with Streetscape representative on 21 November
- e) Precept request submitted to SDC
- f) December payments dealt with

012017. a) Councillors' Forum - to take and note any points of immediate interest from councillors.

No decisions may be taken on any items raised here.

- b) **Items for the next agenda** - to take suggestions for urgent items for inclusion on the next agenda

012018. To receive any further comments from public present. *Information only clerk to note comments*

012019. To confirm date, time and place of next meeting

012020. Closure of meeting

Signed: *F M A Farman.* Clerk to Fairburn Parish Council. **Date:** 6th January 2020

Ongoing Issues – decisions may be taken on any of the below if council deems necessary

- Flooding
- Tythe House
- Parking
- Pedestrian crossing
- The Crag