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Notice of a Meeting of the Parish Council

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND ALL COUNCIL MEETINGS

(Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960)

To Chairman K Hemingway and Councillors H Boyce Mrs I D Clarke A Davies S Garrett G Getty M Sheppard and G Williams

You are hereby summoned to attend the following extraordinary meeting:

Meeting of... **Bleadon Parish Council**
Time... **7.00pm**
Date... **Monday 30th January 2023**
Place... **The Church Rooms Coronation Road Bleadon BS24 0PG**

Councillors will be discussing all the items listed on the Agenda.

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Monday 23rd January 2023

7.00pm (Prior to the start of the meeting)

Questions and comments from members of the public (limited to 15 minutes in total)

This provides an opportunity for members of the public (who are not usually permitted to speak during the meeting except by special invitation of the Chairman) to participate before the start of the meeting by asking questions, raising concerns or making comments on matters affecting Bleadon. No decision can be taken during this session¹, but the Chairman may decide to refer any matters raised for further consideration.

¹N. B Councils cannot lawfully decide items of business that is not specified in the summons/agenda (LGA1972 Sch 12, paras 10(2)(b) and Longfield Parish Council v Wright (1918) 88 LJ Ch 119)

Reports from County and District Councillors (limited to 15 minutes in total)

District Councillors are invited to give short oral reports on matters affecting Bleadon. Under the Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014, any members of the public are allowed to take photographs, film and audio record the proceedings and report on all public meetings (including on social media). prior notification is needed but it would be helpful to let the office know of any plans to film or record so that any necessary arrangements can be made to provide reasonable facilities to report on meetings. This permission does not extend to private meetings or parts of meetings which are not open to the public. All recording and photography equipment should be taken away if a public meeting moves into a session which is not open to the pub If you are recording the meeting, you are asked to act in a reasonable manner and not disrupt the conduct of meetings for example by using intrusive lighting, flash photography or asking people to repeat statements for the benefit of the recording. You may not make an oral commentary during the meeting. The Chairman has the power to control public recording and/or reporting so it does not disrupt the meeting. Recording must be clearly visible to anyone at the meeting.

Please note that members of the public exercising their right to speak during Public Question Time may be recorded and unless specifically requested their names will also be recorded in the minutes.

Public Session and evacuation process

A G E N D A

- 360.1 To receive Apologies for Absence and to approve the reasons given. (LGA 1972 s85 (1))**
- 360.2 Declarations of Interests**
(Members to declare any interests, including Disclosable Pecuniary Interests they may have in agenda items that accord with the requirements of the Parish Council's Code of Conduct and to consider any prior requests from members for Dispensations that accord with Localism Act 2011 s33(b-e). (NB this does not preclude any later declarations)
- 360.3 To note the responses provided to the questions raised by [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] in respect to the 2021/22 AGAR.**
- 360.4 To resolve to exclude members of the public and the press for agenda item 360.5 as it is likely that there would be disclosure to them of exempt information as specified in Schedule 12A (as amended) of the Local Government Act 1972.
The following item will be discussed under s.1(2) Public Bodies (Access to Meetings) Act 1960 due to the confidential staffing issues discussed**
- 360.5 To consider a Staffing Matter.**
- 360.6 Date and Time of next Parish Council Meeting – Monday 13th February 2023 at 7.00 pm**