

RUISHTON AND THORNFALCON PARISH COUNCIL

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THE NEXT PARISH COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 7 FEBRUARY 2018
AT RUISHTON VILLAGE HALL AT 7.30PM.



Heather Bryant, Clerk to the Council. 31.1.18

PARISHIONERS QUESTION TIME (ON GENERAL PARISH MATTERS) AT 7.30PM

Subject to Standing Orders 1 e and 1f, the time limit is at the Chairman's discretion for this section of the agenda. Questions or comments will be noted or raised at the appropriate time on the agenda or become an agenda item for the next meeting. Persons may speak for not more than 5 minutes cumulative.

AGENDA

Members are reminded that the Council has a general duty to consider the following matters in the exercise of any of its functions: Equal Opportunities, Crime and Disorder, Health & Safety, Bullying & Harassment and Human Rights

Presentation from Highways and Transport Commissioning Team for a highway improvement scheme at Creech Castle Junction in Taunton. Followed by a question and answer session

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

3 APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 31 JANUARY 2018

To consider: the approval of the minutes as a true record.

4 HIGHWAY ENGLAND - A358 TAUNTON TO SOUTHFIELD SCHEME

To finalise the Council's response to the consultation

**5 PLANNING APPLICATION – 4/38/17/0205 CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW ROAD SCHEME (SCC)
LOCAL DEVELOPMENT ORDER NEXUS 25 STRATEGIC EMPLOYMENT SITE (TDBC)**

Any updates and to consider further actions if required

6 PLANNING

31/17/0024 Erection of single story extension to the rear of Newstead, Bushy Cross Lane

31/17/0022 Erection of an extension to provide ancillary accommodation at Orchard View, Cheats Road.

40/40/18/0001 Construction of Motor Control Centre (MCC) Kiosk and cake reception building at existing sewage treatment works site. Ham Sewage Treatment Works, Ham Lane

Any other Planning Matters

Letter from a parishioner

7 COUNTY AND BOROUGH COUNCILLORS REPORTS

8 FLOODING

Any updates and to consider further actions if required

9 DEFIBRILLATOR

Update, costs and to consider further actions.

10 MAINTENANCE CONTRACT

18/19 Contract attached

To agree the Maintenance Contract for 18/19

- 11 **TREE AT LAWN MEADOW**
Purchase of a tree and planting
- 12 **NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING**
Update
- 13 **HIGHWAYS MATTERS**
SID Update
- 14 **CLERK'S REPORT AND CORRESPONDENCE**
Bench at Dinhams
- 15 **CHAIRMAN'S REPORT**
- 16 **FINANCIAL MATTERS**
A) EFFECTIVENESS OF INTERNAL AUDIT
Present policy attached
- B) FINANCIAL REPORTS AND CHEQUES FOR PAYMENT
To consider: that this Council approves the schedule of cheques and the Financial Report subject to the requirements of our Risk Assessment Document.
- 17 **MATTERS TO REPORT** (for information only) **OR FOR THE AGENDA AT THE NEXT MEETING**
Any matters to report of a parochial nature not covered elsewhere in the agenda

DATE OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING 7th MARCH 2018, IN RUISHTON VILLAGE HALL.
PUBLIC QUESTION TIME. 7.30pm