

PUXTON PARISH COUNCIL

Puxton & Hewish

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You are summoned to a Council Meeting at 7pm on November 4th 2021

Meetings are held at 7.00pm in the Village Hall unless stated otherwise

All are welcome, unless precluded by a procedural resolution. You will not be entitled to speak, except within the Public Session

We have vacancies for Councillors - contact the Clerk or a Councillor, in the first instance, to apply

Don Hill - Clerk

AGENDA & AGENDA NOTES

- 1 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
- 2 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST & DISPENSATIONS**
- 3 **PUBLIC SESSION** (15 minutes - Contributions are limited to 3 minutes: they should be concise and to the point.)
- 4 **LAST MEETING MINUTES + MATTERS ARISING:** September 2nd minutes to be agreed and signed.
- 5 **PLANNING** Details at <https://planning.n-somerset.gov.uk/online-applications/>
Decision Due: 19/P/0815/FUL P. Park car park. 21/P/1063/AOC Mendip View Conditions Discharge.
21/P/2320/FUL The Grange Glamping Cabin.
- 6 **FINANCE**
2020-21 Accounts: Pre-circulated with meeting papers.
Payments Due: Adrian Leonard October parish maintenance £288.00.
- 7 **HIGHWAY MATTERS**
 - i. **Maysgreen Lane 20mph speed limit:** This possibility, despite not fitting national guidelines for installing 20mph limits, is being pursued. An initial response from NSC on the idea is awaited.
 - ii. **Warning signs re blind bend:** would signs on Maysgreen Lane, Puxton Road and Puxton Lane assist safety? Again, an NSC response is awaited.
 - iii. **Puxton Lane/Puxton Road Junction:** This is a speed track from the Sandford direction and blind from the A370 direction. Ideas for improved safety at the junction are awaited from NSC.
 - iv. **A370 Pedestrian Crossing:** Installation due. Update from NSC due early November.
 - v. **A370 link between Old Post Office and Palmers Elm:** to be done by works team; date awaited
 - vi. **A370 lay-by blocked gullies:** These have been identified and their emptying ordered.
 - vii. **A370 Overgrown Hedging:** Bow Cottage to St Anne's School. Update on flailing programme due.
 - viii. **Wick Lane Railway Bridge:** Signage on the A370 side being realigned and the vegetation cut back.
 - ix. **Maysgreen Lane at Cheese Factory:** Highway verge break-up reported & response awaited.
 - x. **A370 Village Entry Planters:** Cllr C Penfold awaiting proposal form possible sponsor in Smallway.
 - xi. **Maysgreen Lane Public Footpath:** The landowner has agreed to re-instate the path.
- 8 **OTHER MATTERS**
 - i. **NSC Footpath initiative:** Cllr Redding proposed 3 footbridge repairs; signage at Oldbridge River and stiles on a footpath opposite The Full Quart. Sites are being walked before decisions are made.
 - ii. **Queen's Platinum Jubilee 2022:** Village Hall party.
 - iii. **Local Business and the Community:** Local businesses involvement in the community.
 - iv. **Flavours:** Confirmation of a shop is needed before a query can be raised re planning permission.
- 9 **COUNCILLORS' REPORTS**
- 10 **DATE OF NEXT MEETING** - Thursday December 2nd in the Village Hall at 7pm