# **Great Milton Parish Council**

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# To the Chairman and members of Great Milton Parish Council

#### **Dear Councillor**

I hereby give you notice that the next meeting of Great Milton Parish Council will be held at the Pavilion, Recreation Ground, Great Milton on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2022 at 7.30pm.

#### Public and Press are welcome to attend.

Yours sincerely,

Tim Darch

Clerk & Responsible Finance Officer to Great Milton Parish Council

# **AGENDA**

- 1/22 Apologies for absence
- 2/22 Variation of order of business
- 3/22 Declarations of members' interests

To receive declarations of interest in matters on the Agenda.

4/22 Matters to report

To receive reports from County and District Councillors and other bodies as appropriate.

- 5/22 Correspondence and public discussion
- 6/22 Planning applications
- A To consider the following planning applications received from SODC:

P21/S5155/FUL (LASSCO, London Road, Milton Common). Variation of condition 2 (approved plans) in application P11/W1939 Demolition of existing rear part of main building. Extensions to existing main building to provide improved accommodation and function room and letting room accommodation.

For reference only: site is in Tiddington PC area and Great Milton residents are some distance away on London Road, east of the A329.

P21/S5363/LB (The Old Stores The Green Great Milton OX44 7NT). Removal of mid/late C19 sash windows with plate glass to be replaced with new sash windows with original details and heritage slimline glazing to the front façade.

B To review the following planning decisions received and any outstanding planning matters. P21/S4437/HH (Hampden House, Church Road, Great Milton OX44 7PB). Numerous external and internal renovations and amendments. Planning permission is GRANTED for this development proposal.

P21/S4645/HH (The Penn Thame Road Great Milton OX44 7HX). Extension and conversion of roof to create habitable room within roof void. **Application withdrawn.** 

To discuss SODC's updated planning enforcement policy and statement.

# 7/22 Minutes of the previous meeting

To approve the minutes of the November meeting of the Parish Council, held on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2021, as a true and accurate record of proceedings.

# 8/22 Financial resolutions

A To authorise and sign the following cheques for payment: Tim Darch. Salary, Tax and Expenses. £514.85
Jonathan Dudley. Bulletin production January. £tbc
Website hosting January (reimbursement to Clerk). £19.99
Shield Solutions. Dog bin emptying December. £62.40
Christmas tree purchase. £tbc

B To receive and approve the latest monthly bank reconciliation, accounts and bank statement.

## 9/22 Parish clerk and councillors' update of matters in hand

- The annual inspection of trees on parish council land is in the process of being arranged.
- Issues with blocked gullies close to the school entrance are now on OCC's programme and will be fully investigated and remedied in due course. The Parish Council will continue to pressure the County Council via Cllr Freddie Van Mierlo to ensure that the matter is resolved.
- Many residents will have received a letter from Airband advising that full fibre broadband is coming to Great Milton. The parish council is investigating the detail of this offer, which has arrived somewhat unexpectedly, and the extent of potential coverage.

# 10/22 COVID-19: update on village response/impacts

To review and discuss any significant local developments with regard to the current pandemic.

## 11/22 20mph zone

The application for a 20mph in the centre of Great Milton village has been submitted to OCC: further developments are awaited. The residents' survey on the subject indicated that approximately 80% of respondents supported the proposal.

## 12/22 Issues with mail deliveries

To discuss the above. It is understood that there has been a regional reorganisation of rounds based on a drop in the volume of postal traffic, with some rounds doubling in size. The Great Milton and Little Milton rounds appear to have been merged, which with larger volumes of post at Christmas plus issues with Covid has placed increasing pressure on Chris to get deliveries done, with him sometimes even needing to work on Sundays to get the mail delivered.

#### 13/22 Queen's Platinum Jubilee

To discuss issues surrounding the above, including the potential for a beacon to be located on higher ground somewhere in the village.

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