

FECKENHAM PARISH COUNCIL
Thursday 7th of March 2024 at 7.30pm.
Back Room, Feckenham Village Hall.

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES:

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISPENSATIONS

- a) To receive declarations of interest from councillors on items on the agenda.
- b) To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary and nonpecuniary interests (S33 of the Localism Act 2011) which are to be with the clerk as soon as possible prior to a meeting.

c) TO CONSIDER GRANTING REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATION

Requests for dispensation must be made on an individual basis.

3. MINUTES: To consider the approval of the Minutes of the meeting held Thursday 4th of January 2024.

4. COUNTY COUNCILLOR(S) REPORT

5. BOROUGH COUNCILLOR(S) REPORT

6. FVAT REPORT

OPEN FORUM

The Parish Council meeting will be suspended for 15 minutes. Residents are invited to give their views and question the Parish Council on issues on this agenda or raise issues for future consideration at the discretion of the Chair. Members of the public may not take part in the Parish Council meeting.

7. PLANNING.

A. For Council Consideration: 23/01308/FUL regarding the Land at Rockhill Lane, Astwood Lane Astwood Bank.

B. RBC Approvals: 23/01366/FUL. Feckenham Cricket Club.

C. RBC Refusals: None

D. RBC Pending:

23/00417/FUL. BESS Application. Land at Astwood Lane.
 23/00192/FUL. Cross Boundary application for W/23/00270/FUL,
 W/23/00270/FUL. Roundhill Solar Farm (Wychavon Planning Authority)
 20/00569/FUL& 20/00570/LBC: Lower Berrow Farm.
 21/00249/FUL. Land North of Droitwich Road
 23/01237/CPE 6 Moors Lane.
 23/01275/FUL Far Away Cottage

- E. RBC Withdrawn: 23/00003/FUL Land South of Astwood Lane.
 F. RBC Appeals: 23/00652/FUL. The Coach House, Bradley Green. Appeal lodged.
 24/00090/ENFGA | 23/00140/INV Old Yarr.
 G. RBC Permission Required: None.

8. FINANCE

Payments to approve:

- Lengthsman January 2024 @ £149.40
 Lengthsman December 2023 @ £167.40.
 Reimburse FIB Volunteer for plants @ £12.80.
 Botany Bay (Direct FIB Payment) @ £49.98.
 Reimburse FIB Volunteer for Tree Plaque for Queens Jubilee @ £67.80.
 Chairmans Allowance @ £79.50.
 Worcs Calc Training; Clerk, AGAR @ £36.00.
 BHF Defib pads @ £132.00

	Date		Date
<u>FPC Reconciliation for the Period:</u>	01/02/2024	to	28/02/2024
	Credit	Debit	Total
Current Account balance	£2,608.80		£2,608.80
Deposit Account balance	£27,015.32		£27,015.32
Cheques paid uncleared:	£0.00		£0.00
Balance C/F			£29,624.12
Opening Balance Deposit Account			£25,985.88
Add receipts for period			£1,029.44
Less payments for period			£0.00
Opening Balance Current Account			£2,759.78
Add receipts for period			£165.00
Less uncleared cheques			£0.00
Less payments for period			-£315.98
Closing Balance			£29,624.12
		Date:	28/02/2024

9. NEW AGENDA ITEMS

- A. Feckenham Orchard.
 B. Grant Application: Moors Lane.
 C. Grant Application: Feckenham Cricket Club.
 D. Grant Application: Feckenham Wake.
 E. To appoint Internal Auditor.
 F. Feckenham Litter Pick.

- G. Annual Parish meeting plans.
- H. Defib Training.
- I. Review Grant giving policy.
- J. To review interest on bank accounts and consider available options.

CLERK'S UPDATE

- A. Schedule of Correspondence for Consideration (not already noted).
- B. Schedule of Tabled Correspondence Received (not already noted)
- C. Schedule of Correspondence Sent (not already noted)

10. PROGRESS REPORTS

- A. Feckenham Flooding. Update.
- B. Inconsiderate Parking: Update
- C. To consider an FPC Facebook page & if agreed develop social media guidelines for employees and councillors.
- D. Planning issues and Redditch Borough Council: Update
- E. Feckenham in Bloom: Working Party: Update.
- F. Update on Round Hill Solar Farm Project. Update
- G. Village White Gates and Bench (FIB).
- H. Traffic Meeting/ Speed Reduction Measures. Update. Applied to PCC, outcome awaited.
- I. Update on replacement green bin on Littleworth Lane.
- J. Update on proposal on batteries park from Immersa for a battery energy storage system.

- 12. COUNCILLORS REPORTS & FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS** Councillors may use this opportunity to report matters of information not included elsewhere on the agenda and to raise items for future agendas.

DATE & VENUE OF NEXT MEETING

**7:30pm on 11th April 2024 at Feckenham Village Hall.
Please note this will be the annual meeting of the parish.**