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Dear Sir/Madam

You are invited to attend a virtual meeting of Ackworth Parish Council which will be held on **Monday 8 March 2021 commencing at 7:15pm.**

[Click here to join the meeting](#) or email info@ackworthparishcouncil.gov.uk before noon on Monday 8 March to request a link

Yours faithfully

Sue Templeman
Clerk

Agenda

1. To receive apologies for absence and approve reasons for given
2. Declarations of Interests and Dispensations
 - 2.1 To receive declarations of Interest from Councillors on items on the agenda
 - 2.2 To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interest (if any)
 - 2.3 To receive any requests for dispensation as appropriate
3. To receive a report from West Yorkshire Police
4. To receive a report from District Councillors
5. To receive a report from Parish Council representatives on outside bodies
6. To receive and approve the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 8 February 2021
7. To receive the Clerks report on any matters arising from the Minutes of 8 February 2021
8. To receive and approve accounts, income, expenditure and bank reconciliation to end of January 2021.
9. To receive and approve accounts, income, expenditure and bank reconciliation to end of February 2021
10. To receive and approve a list of payments to be made and Petty Cash account to 8 March 2021
11. To receive and note the minutes of the Finance & General Purposes Committee held on 22 February 2021, to approve the recommendations contained in them and to receive and note correspondence from PFK Littejohn External Auditors.
12. To receive the minutes of the Village Events Committee held on 22 February 2021 and to approve the recommendations contained in them.
13. To receive and note the minutes of the Village Facilities Committee held on 18 and 22 February 2021 and to approve the recommendations within them.

14. To receive and note the minutes of the Communications & Media Committee held on 25 February 2021 and to approve the recommendations contained in them.
15. To receive and note the minutes of the Allotment Sub Committee held on 19 February 2021 and to approve the recommendations contained in them.
16. To receive and comment on Planning Applications received by Wakefield Council:
 - 21/00109/FUL 43 Millgate – single storey extension to rear
 - 21/00263/FUL 2 Chiltern Drive (land to north) residential development 1 dwelling
 - 21/00344/FUL 1 Orchard View – conversion of two dwellings to form a single dwelling with minor external alterations.
 - 21/00402/LBC Eden Place, Pontefract Road – replacement of window frame at opening ref W10 (within the Courtyard elevation) 21/00407/LBC removal of external render and repair/replacement of defective stonework on the south western elevation.
- 16b. To receive a report from the Clerk on a submitted response to the LDF consultation and actions taken by Wakefield Council.
17. To receive and decide on a response to a consultation on the Leeds East Airport consultation 2021
18. To receive and decide how to respond to the revised plan for the Traffic Calming Scheme on the A628 High Ackworth to Pontefract.
19. To agree that in the event that the works to improve College Lane Surgery car park cannot be completed in time to meet the deadline for CiL funding the Council will decide on another project to enable this tranche of funding to be spent.
20. To receive correspondence from a resident of Low Ackworth regarding Internet / Broadband and to decide on a course of action.
21. To receive Burial Rights
22. For Ackworth Parish Council to request that Wakefield MDC correct the misleading and incorrect information on their Strategic Housing Land Availability (SHLAA) site. (Cllr Hardman)
23. To agree that donated bird boxes be situated on trees that the Parish Council are responsible for, these to be fitted by a group of volunteers (Cllr Bell)
24. To agree to appoint a Solicitor to set up a Trust to oversee John Gully's Grave. (Cllr Garbutt)
25. This Parish Council notes that adverse comments critical of the Parish Council have been submitted to Wakefield Council by serving members of Ackworth Parish Council as a response to the LDF consultation and are now in the public domain. The Parish Council will write to Wakefield District Council in strong terms asking that the statement be removed from the public portal (Cllr Garbutt)
26. To agree in principal an amount of money to purchase a 'colliery tub' which will be used to to use as a planter (Cllr Garbutt)

PUBLIC BODIES (ADMISSION TO MEETING ACT 1960) THAT THE PRESS AND THE PUBLIC BE EXCLUDED FROM THE REMAINDER OF THE MEETING ON THE GROUNDS THAT THE PUBLICITY WOULD BE PREJUDICIAL TO THE CONFIDENTIAL NATURE OF THE BUSINESS TO BE TRANSACTED

27. To receive a report on the replacement of the gas boilers at the Community Centre and to appoint a contractor.
28. To receive and note the minutes of the private part of the Finance & General Purposes Committee held on 22 February 2021 and to approve the recommendations within them.
29. To receive and note the minutes of the Personnel Sub Committee held on 25 February 2021 and to approve the recommendations within them
30. To receive a report on the damage caused to the Cemetery wall on 9 February 2021 and approve the cost of the repair.