# **BURES ST. MARY PARISH COUNCIL**

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### **Dear Councillor**

You are hereby summoned to attend the Parish Council Meeting of Bures St. Mary to be held on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2017 at The Garrad Room, Bures Community Centre, Nayland Road at 7.30pm.

## THE PRESS AND PUBLIC ARE CORDIALLY INVITED

### **AGENDA**

- 1. Apologies for Absence To note specific reason if absent from meeting
- **2. Declarations of Interest & Dispensation Requests** To declare any 'pecuniary' or 'non-pecuniary' interests
- 3. Minutes of the previous Parish Council Meeting of 21<sup>st</sup> September 2017 to be approved and signed as a correct record (previously circulated)
- 4. Public Forum 15 minutes maximum public participation3 minutes for individual contributions unless agreed by the Chairman

### 5. Police

To note police reports and police meeting dates – circulated To report on Police Specials information To update on ASB at Tawneys Ride garages

## 6. Highway Matters - JF

To report on the following items raised at site meeting with Highways:

- a) High Street traffic calming
- b) Unofficial school crossing point
- c) Speed issues at Sudbury Road and Nayland Road
- d) Parking issues
- e) The Waldegraves unadopted estate
- f) Update on bridge repairs

## 7. Matters arising which do not appear elsewhere on the agenda

- 1) Pikes Marsh estate management, open space and play area: LP
  - a) Residents Association b) Grass maintenance c) Land transfer
  - d) Access route & ditch maintenance e) Play equipment & S106 contributions

- 2) Building works at Cuckoo Hill LP
- 3) Sworders shop front LP
- 4) War memorial restoration work
- 5) Churchyard boundary wall
- 6) Assets of Community Value List
- 7) Joint Emergency Plan
- 8) Website Briefing to discuss transferring to SuffolkCloud
- 9) To report on Data Protection briefing
- 10) Grounds maintenance works report
- 11) Bures Christmas Lights
- 12) Dementia Friendly Community
- 13) Defibrillator checks and repairs
- 14) Suffolk Speed Watch Scheme

### 8. Parish Plan

Update on meetings held and progress of plan

## 9. Planning

All applications received and comments made – see attached list To report on Babergh & Mid Suffolk Joint Local Plan Consultation

# 10. Draft Budget

To approve presented 3 year draft budget for 2018/19 – 2020/21

### 11. Finance

- a) Finance & Budget monitoring report circulated
- b) Bank reconciliation and verifying bank statements circulated and for signing by Chairman and a non-signatory member
- c) Details of Finance Training for Councillors and Clerks circulated
- d) Information on Lloyds Bank Online Third Party Provider (TTP) access circulated

## 12. Audit Matters

To report on Internal Audit Review meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> October To note Asset Register, Insurance Breakdown List, & Asset Inspection form updated

## 13. Government Consultation Papers/Legal Topic Notes

All the following documentations have been circulated and noted:

LAIS 1402 Precept Consultation

LAIS 1404 Right Homes Consultation and SALC response to Consultation

LAIS 1405 Councillor Disqualification and SALC response to Consultation

SALC response to 2018/19 Local Government Finance Settlement Consultation

L0-17 Legal Briefing – Payment of fees to the IC's Office

## 14. Correspondence

**Electoral Review of Babergh Draft Recommendations** – to note Bures St Mary recommended to be linked with Stoke by Nayland and Nayland with Wissington – support to be agreed and submitted by 11<sup>th</sup> December 2017

Potential merger of Babergh and Mid Suffolk – information circulated
Details of Battles Over The Nations Tribute 11<sup>th</sup> November 2018 – circulated
Suffolk Minerals & Waste Local Plan – Preferred Options Consultation -circulated
Details of November Town & Parish Liaison meetings circulated
Details of Delivering a Vison for Prosperity (VFP Project) for Sudbury – circulated
Town & Parish Council Newsletter No. 36 October 2017 – circulated
AONB September & October Monthly Updates – circulated

# 15. Reports:

- a. Asset report Cllr Jan Aries
- b. Bures Hamlet PC Cllr Duncan Kennett
- c. Cemetery
- d. Sportsground
- e. Community Centre
- f. Rights of Way
- g. Transport
- h. Tree Warden
- i. SALC
- j. Primary School
- k. Bures Common
- 16. Any other business Items to note and for the next agenda
- **17. Date of next meeting:** Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2018 at 7.30pm Future dates booked 2018: 22<sup>nd</sup> March, APM 29<sup>th</sup> March, AGM 17<sup>th</sup> May, 19<sup>th</sup> July

**Mrs Jenny Wright** 

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**Clerk to Bures St Mary Parish Council** 

13th November 2017