

**HOPTON AND COTON PARISH COUNCIL**  
**ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING (VIRTUAL) VIA MICROSOFT TEAMS**  
**WEDNESDAY 9<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER AT 7.30 P.M.**

Join the meeting on your computer or mobile app

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**AGENDA**

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

**10 mins.**

- 20/133 TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES**
- 20/134 TO RECEIVE DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**
- 20/135 TO CONSIDER REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS UNDER THE LOCALISM ACT 2011**
- 20/136 TO CONSIDER AND AGREE THE MINUTES OF THE ORDINARY MEETING ON 5.8.20**
- 20/137 TO CONSIDER THE CLERK'S REPORT**
- 20/138 TO CONSIDER AN UPDATE BY A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR (The possible date when the roads and play areas on the new estates by Stafford Crematorium will be adopted by SBC)**
- 20/139 TO CONSIDER AN UPDATE BY A COUNTY COUNCILLOR (Reducing the weight and speed restriction on Within Lane, tackling the problems on Wilmore Hill Lane: speeding, overgrown hedges)**
- 20/140 TO CONSIDER PROGRESS ON PREVIOUS COUNCIL DECISIONS AND RESOLUTIONS:**
  - 20/106 TO CONSIDER HOW TO RESPOND TO THE ISSUE OF SPEEDING ALONG WILMORE HILL LANE**
  - 20/108 (CORRESPONDENCE) TWO GULLIES WHICH FLOODED RECENTLY AND WHICH HAD BEEN PREVIOUSLY FLUSHED OUT**
  - 20/108 (CORRESPONDENCE) AN OVERGROWN HEDGE BETWEEN KINGS DRIVE AND LOWER LANE AND RELATED ISSUES**
  - 20/123 TO REVIEW THE SITUATION WITH LITTER AND VANDALISM AT THE VILLAGE HALL**
- 20/141 TO CONSIDER RESOLVING TO EMPLOY THIS YEAR'S INTERNAL AUDITOR FOR 2021/22**
- 20/142 TO CONSIDER WHAT SORT OF SECURITY SYSTEM TO INSTALL AT THE HALL: WIRED-IN CAMERAS OR WI-FI CAMERAS**

- 20/143** TO RECEIVE A BRIEFING FROM THE CLERK CONCERNING ALL OF THE CORONA-VIRUS RELATED STEPS THAT THE PARISH COUNCIL HAS TAKEN DURING THE PANDEMIC
- 20/144** TO CONSIDER AN UPDATE ON THE BUSINESS INTERRUPTION GRANT THAT THE PARISH COUNCIL RECEIVED AND THEN HAD TO PAY BACK TO STAFFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL
- 20/145** TO DECIDE WHAT TO DO ABOUT REPLACING THE PORTACABIN
- 20/146** TO CONSIDER THE “WICKSTEED LEISURE” PLAYGROUND INSPECTION
- 20/147** TO CONSIDER HOW THE APPLICATION FOR FUNDING TO REPLACE THE VILLAGE HALL, COULD BE CHANGED / ADAPTED TO FIT IN WITH THE “POST COVID LANDSCAPE”
- 20/148** TO CONSIDER AN UPDATE ON REFERRING THE CURRENT ELECTRICITY SUPPLIER TO THE OMBUDSMAN (POOR SERVICE)
- 20/149** TO CONSIDER A RESIDENT’S OFFER TO HAVE A VILLAGE WALKABOUT WITH COUNCILLORS
- 20/150** TO CONSIDER AN UPDATE ON THE BOVIS HOMES ESTATE
- 20/151** TO CONSIDER PROGRESS ON THE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN
- 20/152** TO RECEIVE AN UPDATE FROM THE CHAIRMAN OF THE VILLAGE HALL
- 20/153** TO CONSIDER AND AGREE THE WAY FORWARD TO PAY FOR ITEMS ELECTRONICALLY
- 20/154** TO NOTE THE CORRESPONDENCE WHICH HAS COME IN
- Items 20/155 – 20/158 are confidential and concern approving this month’s payments, noting Financial Statement 47, looking at the “six month rule” and considering a quote for tree work at the hall.
- 20/159** TO SET A DATE FOR THE NEXT ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING
- 20/160** TO CONFIRM THE DATE AND TIME OF VILLAGE HALL MEETING 13