WILLAND PARISH COUNCIL



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I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT A MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL WILL TAKE PLACE ON THURSDAY 13 OCTOBER 2022 AT WILLAND VILLAGE HALL COMMENCING AT 19.00

Press and Public are invited to attend.

PLEASE NOTE: All Council Meetings are electronically recorded in the interests of accuracy.

AGENDA

1. Apologies

To receive any apologies from Councillors

- 2. To receive any declarations of interest from Members on any of the agenda items
- 3. Public questions on any of the agenda items
- 4. Items brought forward from the Chair
- **5. To approve Minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 14 July 2022** (Circulated) (Note: no scheduled meeting in August; September meeting was cancelled).
- 6. Reports from District and County Councillors
- a) District Councillors Chesterton, Evans and Warren
- b) County Councillor Radford
- 7. To receive a brief presentation from Low Carbon on proposals for Two Tree Solar Farm. Agenda note: time restricted for presentation and discussion to 15 minutes.
- 8. For information and discussion
- a) Crime in Willand reported to the police in June and July 2022

(Attached)

- **b)** Highways Working Group update, to include:
- i) VAS Reports July and August

(Circulated 9.9.22)

ii) VAS Report – September 2022

(Attached)

- iii) To consider the costed proposal to have an independent traffic assessment/survey of the village to produce a record of current position (Circ. 9.9.22)
- iv) Clerk to report on proposed meeting of Parish Councillors from Willand, Uffculme and Halberton to discuss speed limits, etc across the parishes.
- v) Clerk to provide verbal update on new sites approved for Willand Community Speed Watch
- vi) B3181 Silver Street: to discuss the extension of 30mph speed limit Councillor Warren to provide background verbally
- c) To receive an update from Cemetery Working Group
- d) Chestnut Play Area: to receive a detailed overview from Councillor Grantham.
- e) Neighbourhood Planning Group: to receive a verbal update from Councillor Little

- **f)** South View Play Area fence: to note that Willand Scouts had painted the fence and to discuss an appropriate gesture of thanks in return.
- g) Proposed new hedge for the allotments: to receive an update from the Clerk.
- **h)** To note that the co-option of a Parish Councillor would be deferred until the November Full Council meeting
- i) Review position re footpaths/hedges being cleared of debris/overgrowth/obstruction and if the various reporting methods over the past 6 months have been effective.
- j) Review grounds maintenance specification for verge cutting, weed spraying, grass and hedge cutting as a basis for obtaining quotes (e.g. fixed price for 2023/24 and 2024/25)

(Paper to follow)

k) Pump track: to discuss outcome of quotation requests

(Paper to follow)

I) Planters: to discuss options and make a decision as to their future.

9. Finance & Administration

- **a)** Authorisation of payments including invoices received since 8 July see also **8d(iv)** below (To follow)
- **b)** Income received in July, August and September 2022

(To follow)

c) Income and Expenditure report as at end of September 2022

(To follow)

- d) To minute ratification of the following since 8 July:
- i) Chairman's emergency approval on 26.7.22 for purchase and fitting of grass mats to replace damaged matting at the foot of the Jubilee Field slide, as per MDDC monthly inspection: materials £83.33 + VAT plus labour £171.00
- ii) Decision to appoint a temporary litter picker to cover long-term sickness from 1st August 2022, following consultation with Members.
- iii) Ratification of the Chairman's decision to instruct Countrywide to treat emerging bramble plants adjacent to the new hedge at Worcester Crescent at a cost of £35 + VAT iv) Ratification of essential payments made by the Clerk at the end of July, August and September (previously circulated and also listed under item 8a)
- v) Chairman's approval on 26.9.22 for emergency repairs to the Jigsaw Tower System by the handyman, costing £29.32
- **e)** To consider for approval a quote from Quarlfox to cut back brambles on 3 sides and clean out the inside of the bus shelter at the Willand end of the Uffculme Straight, including taking trimmings to Compost Magic at Uffculme, for £141.00.
- f) To formally approve the booking of the Clerk on the DALC Autumn 2022 CiLCA Support Programme, including CiLCA course registration fees payable to SLCC. (Note: related costs have been included in the training budget for 2022-23). (Paper to follow)
- **g)** Agree budget allocation for £108.52 credited by Barclaycard (£100 ex gratia payment and £8.52 cash back rebate)
- ${f h)}$ To approve donation of £50 to the Royal British Legion for a poppy wreath, as per the Parish Council's Donation Policy
- i) To note that the external audit of 2021-22 Accounts had been completed with no issues arising.
- j) To note the deadline for submitting Parish Precept requests for 2023-24 is 25 January.

10. Meeting dates

Thursday 20 October – Finance and Administration Committee meeting

Thursday 10 November – Full Council meeting

Thursday 8 December – Full Council meeting

Thursday 15 December – Finance and Administration Committee meeting

Working Groups – to note any scheduled dates:

- Neighbourhood Planning Group - Monday 17 October at 7pm

11. Councillors Roundtable: to receive any further information from Councillors and to highlight future agenda items.

12. Communications

A)

- i) To note MDDC's Homes PDG update on the "Homes for Ukraine Scheme", dated 26.7.22 and emailed to Parish Councillors on 28.7.22.
- ii) MDDC Parish Review second stage consultation: to agree a response re boundary proposals. (Deadline for response 23.10.22). Info emailed to Parish Councillors 23.8.22.
- iii) East Cullompton Masterplan SPD public consultation: to agree whether the Parish Council will submit a response or if Councillors respond individually by 1.11.2022.

 (Circulated 6.10.22)

B) Communications received since 8 July and emailed to Councillors:

i) Current Planning Applications

a) 22/01393/FULL

(Circulated 25.7.22)

Proposal: Erection of a dwelling with garage and access to Harpitt Close

Location: Losinga Willand Old Village Willand

Response submitted 5.8.22: Willand Parish Council has no observations

b) 22/01581/MARM (See also under B(ii)k for Decision Notice) (Circulated 18.8.22)

Proposal: Reserved matters in respect of access, following Outline approval 18/00175/MOUT for the erection of up to 125 dwellings with public open space and associated infrastructure

Location: Land at NGR 303288 110467 Adj Meadow Park Silver Street Response submitted 2.9.22: Willand Parish Council has no observations

c) 22/01730/FULL

(Circulated 29.9.22)

Proposal: Erection of a commercial building and associated hardstanding

Location: Land at NGR 304342 112281 (Pitt Farm, John Dorse Ltd) Muxbeare Lane

Parish: Halberton

Response date extended until: 18.10.22

PLANNING LINK

d) 22/01835/TPO

(Circulated 29.9.22)

Proposal: Application to fell 1 Chestnut tree protected by Tree Preservation Order

94/00009/TPO

Location: Land at NGR 303328 110201 Harpitt Close Willand

Response date: 18.10.22

PLANNING LINK

ii) Planning Decisions notified for information

a) 22/00712/HOUSE

(Circulated 19.7.22)

Proposal: Erection of two-storey side extension and conservatory to rear

Location: 20 Tamarind Willand Cullompton Devon

Permission granted.

b) 22/01081/TELCOM

(Circulated 27.7.22)

Proposal: Prior notification for the proposed upgrade consisting of removal and replacement of 1 15M monopole for proposed 17.5M monopole with new headframe supporting 3 antennas, 1 cabinet and relocation of 1 dish with ancillary development Location: Telecommunications Mast at NGR 303550 111344 South View Estate Willand Permission granted.

c) 22/00901/FULL

(Circulated 27.7.22)

Proposal: Change of use of part of building from Class B8 (Storage and distribution) to Class E (Light industrial)

Location: Storage Building Tanyard Farm Willand Devon

Permission granted.

d) 22/01232/CAT

(Circulated 27.7.22)

Proposal: Notification of intention to remove Leylandi hedge (approximately 43m) within the Conservation Area

Location: Church Lea Willand Old Village Willand Cullompton

MDDC has no objection to the works described; informative note included re wildlife etc.

e) 22/01148/TPO

(Circulated 3.8.22)

Proposal: Application to remove 6 of the lowest branches on 1 Oak tree protected by

Tree Preservation Order 08/00004/TPO

Location: 8 Chestnut Drive Willand Cullompton Devon

Permission granted.

f) 22/01019/TPO

(Circulated 26.7.22)

Proposal: Application to lift the crown of 1 Walnut tree by removing 3 lower branches and crown reduce by 1-1.5m and reduce the crown of 1 Oak tree by 1-1.5m protected by Tree Preservation Order 08/00003/TPO

Location: 4 Portway Gardens Willand Old Village Willand Cullompton

Permission granted.

Note: District Councillor Warren had queried that the Reason for Approval stated "No objection have been raised".

g) 22/01113/FULL

(Circulated 12.8.22)

Proposal: Variation of condition 2 of planning permission 19/01470/FULL to allow substitution of approved plans

Location: Thatch Cottage Silver Street Willand Cullompton

Permission granted, subject to 14 conditions.

h) TPO/22/00003/TPO

(Circulated 2.9.22)

Confirmation of the TPO dated 24 May 2022, without modification, in respect of ten trees at numbers 9-19 Tamarind and 26 Oak Crescent, Willand.

i) 22/01454/CLP

(Circulated 16.9.22)

Proposal: Certificate of lawfulness for the proposed erection of a single storey rear

extension

Location: 29 Chestnut Drive Willand Cullompton

Decision: Certified as lawful and considered to be permitted development.

j) 22/00074/OUT (Circulated 3.10.22)

Proposal: Outline for the erection of an agricultural workers dwelling and garage

Location: Land at NGR 304215 110864 Weir Mill Farm Jaycroft Willand

Outline planning permission granted.

k) 22/01581/MARM

(Circulated 3.10.22)

Proposal: Reserved matters in respect of access, following Outline approval

18/00175/MOUT for the erection of up to 125 dwellings with public open space and

associated infrastructure

Location: Land at NGR 303288 110467 Adj Meadow Park Silver Street Willand Approval granted of matters reserved following grant of outline planning permission.

iii) Newsletters and other correspondence

- 17 Mid Devon Press Releases
- 37 NALC bulletins and events newsletters
- 15 DALC newsletters and AGM papers for 5.10.22
- 23 Mid Devon meeting notifications
- 14 Rural Services Network bulletins
- 10 SLCC news bulletins
- 13 Devon County Council Coronavirus Updates & News Roundups
- 11 Locality Newsletters
- 4 Devon Communities Together (DCT) newsletters
- 3 Devon Climate Emergency newsletter
- 2 Connecting the Culm news
- 2 ICO's newsletter
- 3 Involve Mid Devon newsletter
- 2 Devon CPRE newsletter
- 1 MDDC Mid Devon Matters town/parish newsletter
- 1 Devon Air Ambulance newsletter
- 2 Hospiscare newsletters
- 1 DCC Transport Co-ordination Service update
- 1 Keep Britain Tidy newsletter
- 2 DCC Highways Roadworks notifications
- 1 SAAA communication
- 1 DCC Parish & Town Council Highway newsletter
- 1 Plymouth City Council notification (on behalf of Peninsula Transport etc)
- 2 Devon Community Resilience Forum bulletins

C) Communications not referred to Councillors

25 emails offering various seminars, equipment and services

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Barbara Bodkin Clerk to Willand Parish Council 7 October 2022