

**ISLE ABBOTTS PARISH COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 16<sup>TH</sup>  
SEPTEMBER 2020 AT 10.30AM IN THE VILLAGE HALL GARDEN (SUBJECT TO THE WEATHER)**

**AGENDA**

- 1) To receive any **APOLOGIES** for absence.
- 2) To receive any **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**.
- 3) To read and approve **MINUTES** of the last meeting held on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2020.
- 4) 1) To discuss any **MATTERS ARISING** from the minutes.
  - a) Flooding at Cox's Pit.
  - b) Sewage – Wessex Water.2) Supplementary – Matters arising/carried out during Covid-19:-
  - a) 2019/20 Governance review approval.
  - b) 2019/20 Accounts and Audit review approval.
  - c) 2019/20 Exemption Certificate approval.
  - d) Cancellation of APCM: PCM & APM on 6<sup>th</sup> May + joint statement from PC & PCC.
  - e) Councillors approval for Cllr Pix to go ahead with an attachment to the village newsletter regarding internet registration with Truespeed.
  - f) Approval by Councillors on the Website migration.
  - g) Introduction of dedicated email address for the Clerk.
  - h) Confirmation by Cllr Habberfield that he was willing to remain the PC representative on the VHMC.
  - i) Cllr Bradshaw had emailed Councillors with the Financial Statements at 06/05/20 & 02/07/20.
- 5) **PUBLIC QUESTION TIME**.
- 6) Reports on **ROADS** (MH) and **FOOTPATHS** (AH)
- 7) **FLOODING OFFICERS** report (AH)
- 8) **FINANCE**
- 9) To discuss any items of **CORRESPONDENCE** received since the last meeting and during Covid-19:-
  - a) Query by member of the public regarding pollarding of willow trees at Two Bridges.
  - b) Email from Bradon Farm reference strawberry harvesting. Notice placed on Website regarding misdirected vehicles in village.
  - c) Email exchanges with The Duchy concerning people gaining access to the Fivehead River weirs.
  - d) Email from Manor Road resident about speeding vehicles en route to river and weirs.
  - e) Query from members of the public concerning cables across the road near Chapel Farmhouse.
  - f) Planning Application: 19/01917/FUL – Manor Farm. Approved with conditions.  
“ “ 19/03254/OUT – Land adjacent to Thimble Hall. Approved with conditions  
“ “ 20/01397/TCA - Intention to fell 1 tree in conservation area at The Old Vicarage. Application refused with Tree Preservation Orders placed on 2 trees on the Property.
  - g) The Parish Council has requested that a TPO be placed on a tree situated on the corner of Steamalong opposite Green Hatch. Phil Poulton, SSDC Tree Officer has advised the Clerk that he will Inspect and advise.

- c) PCSO Caroline Matthews of A&S Police has enquired of the dates of our meetings with a view to a Representative of our local Neighbourhood Policing Team attending.
- d) Letter from VHMC requesting an input, financial or otherwise, into the facility of child's play equipment.
- e) Joint statement from the 4 District Councils regarding ' One Somerset' and the future of local Government in Somerset. This was circulated to Councillors.
- f) Proposed review of the Code of Conduct was also circulated to Councillors.
- g) A communication regarding the Badger cull in Somerset was forwarded to Councillors.
- h) Notification from SSDC advising that a contingency was in place during DC Malcolm Cavills illness. CC Adam Dance and DC Mike Stanton will respond to queries from the Parish Council in the interim.

10) **ITEMS** for the next Agenda

11) **DATE** of next Meeting

Signed.....( Parish Clerk )

Date.....

The Parish Council would be grateful if those members of the Public who wish to attend the Meeting take the following **PRECAUTIONS:-**

- 1) If anyone is unwell and showing symptoms of Covid, they should NOT come to the meeting.**
- 2) If people are 2 metres apart, it is not necessary to wear a face mask outside.**
- 3) Hand sanitiser will be supplied, which must be used when handling paperwork.**
- 4) Seating for members of the public will be spread out accordingly.**