ELSWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

Members of the Council are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of Elsworth Parish Council for the purposes of considering and resolving the business to be transacted at the meeting as set out below.

DATE:Wednesday September 20th 2023TIME: 7.30pmVENUE:Elsworth Sports Pavilion Broad End Elsworth CB23 4JD

Mrs Elizabeth Sim, Clerk/Proper Officer to Elsworth Parish Council, September13th 2023

COUNCILLORS: 7 QUORUM: 3. The public and press are cordially invited to be present AGENDA 2023/09

2023/09-1 To receive and approve apologies for absence.

Public Participation/Forum – 10 minutes

To allow members of the public to raise comments on items for future agendas or on items that are on the current agenda. To allow any members of the public and Councillors declaring an interest to address the meeting in relation to the business to be transacted at that meeting. Following this, members of the public are not permitted to take part in the discussion.

2023/09 -2 To receive declarations of interest & requests for dispensations.

- 2.1 To receive declarations of interest from councillors on items on the agenda.
- 2.2 For declarations of interest received, Councillors to inform the Chairman if they wish to speak on the matter at the agenda item prior to discussion.
- 2.3 To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests (if any)
- 2.4 To grant any requests for dispensation as appropriate.

2023/09-3 To approve & sign the Minutes of the Council meetings dated 19th July 2023

2023/09-4 Reports

- 4.1 Cambridgeshire County Councillor
- 4.2. South Cambridgeshire District Councillors
- 4.3. Clerk's Update
- 4.4. Community Flood Group (PW)

2023/09-5 Finance

- 5.1. To approve payment of accounts.
- 5.2. Notice of receipts received.
- 5.3. To agree the proposed donation to Elsworth Pre-school (July PC meeting) for funds to support replacement of equipment.
- 5.4. To consider and, if thought fit, agree quotations for signage for Fardell's Lane Reserve and Children's play area.
- 5.5. To agree quotation from MG Tree Surgery for stump removal of Willow tree in Brook Street.

2023/09-6 Village matters

- 6.1. LHI. To consider putting in an application for LHI funding for 2024-2025.
- 6.2. Village Maintenance. To receive a progress report from the Maintenance Working party (TH & JH)
- 6.3. Children's Play Equipment. To receive an update on maintenance work required (LS).

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- 6.4. The Elsworth Times. To receive an update on proposals for future publications. (RH)
- 6.4. EWR. Update (PD)
- 6.5. To request an update from the County Councillor on the PC's submission for a 20mph blanket zone for the village.

2023/09-7 PC matters

- 7.1. To consider supporting a petition received from Steve Count, Councillor for March North objecting to the County Council's withdrawal of road weed clearing. Ref Email from SC 01.09.2023 and letter from Frank Jordan, CCC 08.09.2023.
- 7.2. To consider a proposal that Elsworth Parish Council writes to South Cambridgeshire District Council re the four-day working week and its perceived impact on services.

2023/09-8 Planning

8.1. Planning Applications considered.

• 23/0961/TTCA 41 Brook Street Elsworth Cambridgeshire Tree T1: Flowering Plum. Fell to ground level as the tree was originally planted over the main drain from the property and the roots are now interfering with the discharge of sewage.

Tree T2: Ash: Reduce the height by 3m and the width by 1.5m to limit growth. The tree is in proximity to the garage foundations and the crown now interferes with the overhead electric mains cable serving other houses in the street. *PC recommendation: Support*

23/0953/TTPO 6 The Drift Elsworth Cambridgeshire
2204 - Oak, Remove deadwood above 60mm in diameter and longer than 1.5m in length.

PC recommendation: Support with comment

8.2 Applications determined/closed by SCDC

- 23/01760/HFUL 15 Cotterells Lane Elsworth Cambridgeshire CB23 4JR *Granted Permission on 26 July 2023.*
- 23/02025/FUL 5 Church Lane Elsworth Cambridgeshire CB23 4HU Granted Permission on 28 July 2023
- 23/02633/LBC 38 Boxworth Road Elsworth Cambridgeshire CB23 4JQ Granted Permission on 6th September 2023

Dates of Parish Council meetings in 2023.

November 15th Parish Council Meeting

Meetings to conclude by 21:30

Elizabeth A Sim Parish Clerk & RFO