

AGENDA

Bi-monthly Parish Council Meeting
7PM on THURSDAY, 07 SEPTEMBER 2023
Longhirst Village Hall



The following Councillors are summoned to attend this meeting: Cllr Peter Coates, Cllr Glen Fahy, Cllr Chris Marr, Cllr Janet Quinn, Cllr Richard Tordoff

A	Announcement: Jon Mills and Ian Thompson
B	PUBLIC FORUM (10 minutes) At the invitation of the Chair, members of the public are invited to: (a) make representations; (b) ask questions; (c) give evidence relating to the business to be transacted. For more detail see the Public Participation at Meetings policy.
C	Update from Northumbria Police
D	NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL UPDATE - CLLR DAVID TOWNS
E	RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION / GROUPS: i) Longhirst Colliery - Julie Murray ii) Longhirst Hall - Andy Robson iii) Micklewood - Cllr J Quinn

- 1 APOLOGIES**
- 2 Councillor Vacancy - Co-option process**
- 3 General Power of Competence - Certificate in Local Council Administration completed; resolution to adopt the General Power of Competence (if certificate issued)**
- 4 [DECLARATION OF INTERESTS](#)**
Parish Councillors are asked to declare any interests for items on the agenda. Councillors are also reminded to keep their declaration forms up-to-date.
- 5 PREVIOUS MINUTES - [06 JULY 2023](#)**
- 6 MATTERS ARISING (not covered elsewhere)**
 - 6.1 [Local Transport Plan for 2024/25 - submitted](#)
 - 6.2 Public rights of way repairs - update awaited
 - 6.3 Woodland Trust meeting - update awaited
- 7 PLANNING**
 - 7.1 Station Cottages, retrospective conversion to dwelling 23/02290/FUL - [draft comments](#)



8 BUSINESS

- 8.1 Ashington Road Flooding - [draft proposal to take a complaint to Castle Morpeth Local Area Council](#)
- 8.2 Potland Park Bridleway Access - [draft proposal to take a complaint to Castle Morpeth Local Area Council](#)
- 8.3 Land Registry documentation for the Football Field
- 8.4 North East Grains meeting feedback
- 8.5 Town & Parish Council Conference on 05 Oct 23 - two delegate spaces
- 8.6 NALC Training courses

9 BUDGET

- 9.1 [Budget Monitoring 23/24](#) and [Bank Statements 23/24](#)
- 9.2 Donation in memory of Jon Mills to Northumberland Mountain Rescue Team - £50
- 9.3 Donation in memory of Ian Thompson to Paediatric Diabetes Team at University Hospital North Durham - £100
- 9.4 VAT reclaim submitted - £129.03

10 CONSULTATIONS

There are no items to raise at this time

11 FUTURE agenda items / Reports from Councillors (for items not covered above) / Opportunity for Councillors to raise any other issues for information only

12 DATE OF NEXT MEETINGS:

7pm on Thursday, 02 NOVEMBER 2023 at Longhirst Village Hall

