

BOWERS GIFFORD & NORTH BENFLEET PARISH COUNCIL

Bowers Gifford & North Benfleet Parish Council Meeting to be held on **WEDNESDAY 23rd FEBRUARY 2022 commencing at 7.30 p.m.** at The Benbow Club, 77 Pound Lane, Bowers Gifford. Members of the public and press are cordially invited to attend.

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Christine Barlow, Clerk to the Parish Council

AGENDA

- 114/21 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:
- **DECLARATIONS OF MEMBER'S INTEREST:** To receive any declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests, other pecuniary interests or non-pecuniary interests by members relating to any agenda items.
- **TO APPROVE THE MINUTES:** To approve the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 26th January 2022 and Chairman to sign.
- **PUBLIC FORUM:** To enable residents to raise issues of concern with Parish Councillors (The time allowed for this item is 15 minutes)
- **118/21 WARD/COUNTY COUNCILLOR UPDATE:** Time is set aside for Borough/County Councillors to address the meeting.
- **119/21 PARISH CLERK'S REPORT:** The Parish Clerk to report to Councillors on business undertaken since the last meeting and any other relevant matters.
- **120/21 FINANCE REPORT:** To receive a summary of the Parish Council's current financial position and any other related financial matters.
 - (i) To receive an update of the Parish Council's current financial position.
 - (ii) To discuss and agree to amend the Bank Mandate to include internal transfer payments alongside cheque payment.
 - (iii) To reconfirm Councillor Morris as an additional signatory
 - (iv) To confirm the internal auditor for the financial accounts for 2021/2022
- **PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS:** To confirm the date of the Parish Council Elections for 2022.
- **122/21 PLANNING:** Councillors to review and comment on Planning Application/s under the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

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- **123/12 PLANNING UPDATES AND COMMENTS:** To receive a summary of updates on planning applications discussed at previous meetings.
- **NEIGBOURHOOD PLAN:** To update on the current position of the BGNB Neighbourhood Plan and information regarding Basildon Borough Council's Local Plan.
- **THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM EVENT 2022:** To **AGREE** a budget for the Queen's Platinum Event and other matters relating to the event.
- **DATE OF NEXT MEETING:** To confirm the date of the next Parish Council meeting as 30th March 2022.