

**BOWERS GIFFORD & NORTH BENFLEET PARISH COUNCIL MEETING TO BE  
HELD AT THE BENBOW CLUB, POUND LANE, BOWERS GIFFORD  
WEDNESDAY 25 FEBRUARY 2015  
COMMENCING AT 7.30 P.M.**

for the transaction of business as set out below.  
Members of the public and press are cordially invited to attend.



Christine Barlow  
Parish Clerk

**AGENDA**

- 123/14 Apologies for absence.**
- 124/14 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.
- 125/14 Public Forum:** To enable residents to raise issues of concern with Parish Councillors (The time allowed for this item is 15 minutes)
- 126/14 Minutes:** To agree the minutes of Parish Council meeting held on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2015.
- 127/14 Parish Clerk's Report:** To update on relevant business and correspondence received.
- 128/14 Financial update:** To update on the Parish Council's finances.
- 129/14 Policing:** To receive updates on policing activities for Bowers Gifford & North Benfleet.
- 129/14/1 Planning:** Councillors to review and comment on Planning Applications under the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 – APPLICATION NO:  
15/00179/FULL**

Two storey side extension – West View , Lower Avenue, Bowers Gifford

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 – APPLICATION NO:  
15/00059/FULL**

Side, rear and roof extension – 1 Alpha Close, Bowers Gifford SS13 2HZ

- 130/14 Planning decisions and comments** – To receive updates and comments on decisions in respect of planning applications discussed at previous meetings.
- 131/14 Superfast Essex** – to update on the programme for improving broadband delivery speed to the Parish.
- 132/14 Bus and passenger transport consultation** – To inform regarding a survey by Essex County Council to make bus travel better and easier for users.
- 133/14 Proposed traffic calming in Pound Lane** – To discuss proposals by Essex County Council Highways to install traffic calming measures and weight limit signage at the northern approach of Burnt Mills Road and Pound Lane.
- 134/14 Neighbourhood Planning:** To consider the need to progress steps to draw up a Neighbourhood Plan for Bowers Gifford & North Benfleet Parish.
- 135/14 Feedback on meetings attended by Councillors:** To briefly update on the relevant issues from meetings and training attended by Parish Councillors.
- 136/14 Date of next meeting:** To confirm the date of the next Parish Council meeting as 25 March 2015