

Spurstow Parish Council

Notice to Councillors

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10th September 2020

Note:- The Government has removed the legal requirement for local authorities to hold public meetings in person during the coronavirus pandemic under legislation enacted on 2nd April 2020 applicable to meetings held before 7th May 2021. Therefore, in line with Government Guidance, this meeting will be held remotely via Zoom.

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the Council to be held on Wednesday 16th September 2020 at 20:00 remotely via Zoom.

The Council welcome attendance by members of the public. Members of the public who wish to attend the meeting remotely should contact the Clerk to the Council via clerk@spurstow.org.uk to request the login details.

Agenda - Quarterly Council Meeting

1. Apologies for absence.
2. Declaration of interests – Members to declare any interests under the following categories: - pecuniary, outside body, family, friend or close associate.
3. Approve the minutes of last meeting.
4. Members of the public - Open forum (15 minutes).
5. Planning correspondence and applications, current, and outstanding, to include White Gate Farm, The Gables and The Cottage. Please note that an updated list of current applications will be supplied to Councillors in the week of the meeting.
6. Update from alternative ways to manage speed group.
7. Highways Issues
 - a) Peckforton Hall Lane and Nursery Lane verges and drainage.
 - b) Parking on Southcroft pavements.
 - c) Tree damage to Southcroft pavements
8. Clerk's report
 - a) Training
 - b) Bank Mandate
 - c) The Council to consider authorising any payments shown on the schedule to be presented to the meeting.
9. There has been some discussion with Bunbury PC about the possibility of a defibrillator in Spurstow, perhaps based at the Yew Tree. More information will be provided to the meeting.
10. Report on Spurstow Community Support and Sunflowers Schemes

"The chairs of Spurstow, Haughton, Peckforton and Beeston have been meeting occasionally throughout the summer to monitor the phone calls and any help needed. There have been no calls since the end of July and most volunteer/shielding pairs are now not meeting unless they have decided to continue informally as neighbourly support. However, we are going to keep the phone and the lists of volunteers as setting it up was a lot of work, whereas manning a phone that does not ring is easy! We will continue to keep an eye on the situation, and while there is a realistic chance of a second wave of infections, and indeed to support anyone who is contacted by track and trace and requested to self-isolate for two weeks (which could happen to any of us) we will remain available for local people to contact. Could all Councillors please continue to publicize the service and the phone number 078 790 23033 or e-mail spurstowcommunity@gmail.com in case of need. **Sunflowers** - several good patches of sunflowers can be seen around local villages- I have enjoyed growing mine, I hope you have all enjoyed growing yours!"