

BLISWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

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AGENDA OF THE PARISH COUNCIL

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT PARISH COUNCILLORS ARE SUMMONED AND THE PUBLIC INVITED TO ATTEND THE MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL on MONDAY 1st FEBRUARY 2016 IN THE VILLAGE HALL AT 7.30PM.

PUBLIC QUESTIONS, COMMENTS AND REPRESENTATIONS:

In the last item on the agenda of meeting residents are invited to give their views and question the Parish Council on issues on this agenda, or raise issues for future consideration at the discretion of the Chairman. The session will last for a maximum of 15 minutes with any individual contribution lasting a maximum of 3 minutes. Members of the public should address their representations through the Chairman of the meeting and may not take part in the Parish Council meeting itself.

155. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN OF THE PARISH COUNCIL

156 . APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE – TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES AND APPROVE REASONS FOR ABSENCE

157. DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS – To receive declarations made under the Council's Code of Conduct related to business on the agenda. (Members should disclose any interests in the business to be discussed and are reminded that the disclosure of a pecuniary interest will require that the member withdraws from the meeting room during the transaction of that item of business).

158. RESOLUTION TO SIGN & APPROVE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING DATED 4th JANUARY 2016.

159. CHAIRMAN'S/CLERK'S REPORT

- **METHODS OF COMMUNICATION CHANNELS THROUGH WHICH PC MUST OPERATE – IN PARTICULAR WITH REFERENCE TO RAIL FREIGHT TERMINAL**
- **Attendance of meeting at SNC on Community Infrastructure Levy by Cllr Hawkins**

- **Attendance at Northampton University re website**
- **Community Bus**
- **Report on use of Blisworth School extension**

160. DISTRICT AND COUNTY COUNCIL REPORTS – may include report from local Community Police Officer.

161. RAILFREIGHT TERMINAL – UPDATE AND DISCUSSION ON THE CURRENT STATUS AND REPORT FURTHER TO LEAFLETING OF VILLAGE.

162. PLANNING

i) **Chapel Hill Development** – Update - if any - on Application No. S/2015/2472/MAF, Proposal Variation of conditions 4,15,20 on S/2014/0431/MAF(Residential Development for 27 houses, estate road and associated works) to enable viability of the site.

ii) **Application No. S/2015/2492/MAF** – now approved

Proposal Installation of a solar PV array plus ancillary development, location - land to the South of Knock Lane Blisworth

iii) **S/2016/0034/FUL, Proposal Side extension and dormer extension at 49 Buttmead Blisworth - comments required.**

163.WEBSITE DEVELOPMENTS – REPORT ON MEETING AT NORTHAMPTON UNIVERSITY

164. LOCAL MATTERS

- i. **Footpaths** – Reports of any problems
- ii. **Lighting** – Report of street light faults –
 - Clerk has reported Chapel Lane light PL 48
 - update on lighting in Courteenhall Road further to meeting with Cllr Gardner and Aylesbury Mains
- iii. **Play Area** – report of any safety issues further to routine inspections – Clerk has ordered **Wicksteed to carry out annual inspection of equipment**
- iv. **Traffic/Highway Issues** – email received asking for action on cars parking on pavement at the bottom of Greenside despite double yellow lines.
- v. **Neighbourhood Watch** – see correspondence

165. COMMUNICATIONS

Correspondence – outgoing and ingoing, previously circulated to councillors

Out:

- i. **Planning Inspectorate - Response from Blisworth Parish Council to scoping opinion re Ashfield Land Management LTD for development consent for a Rail Freight Interchange (2)**
- ii. **Letter of sympathy to Mr Townsend (husband of Sally Townsend)**

In and circulated to councillors :

- I. **Letter from Chairman – stating he is standing down as Chairman with immediate effect.**
- II. **Police - Daventry and South Northamptonshire IAG Open Evening – VENUE CHANGE to Daventry Police Station** inviting members of the public to attend an Open Evening for Daventry and South Northants Independent Advisory Group. The event will still be from 6pm – 8pm on Monday 22nd February.
- III. **Young's Nurseries – statement that Nurseries have NOT been sold to Ashfield Land**
- IV. **NCC - Public bus service 86 : Northampton - Stoke Bruerne – Towcester** - number of journeys from Blisworth Park to Northampton has had to be reduced from 3 to 2 per day.
- V. **NCC - January's news from my county council**
- VI. **Webmaster - No rail Interchange Action Group - www.norailinterchange.co.uk**
- VII. **South Northants - Food Waste Promotions**
- VIII. **Northampton University – re Website – see item**
 - **University Group Project - Group 7**
 - **Stage 1 Designs Group 5**
 - **Group 2 proposal – design and hosting**
 - **Group 1 - Design Summary**
 - **Choosing of provided website designs**
- IX. **British Red Cross – dial a Wheel Chair**
- X. **Request for contact details for Chairman from Milton Malsor PC re Rail Link**
- XI. **Cllr Clarke - Ref: 151214_TR050004_3550715 - Application by Ashfield Land Management Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Rail Central Strategic Rail Freight Interchange : FAO Hannah Pratt**
- XII. **NHS – Pressure continues at Northamptonshire Hospitals**
- XIII. **Martin Dearsley - minibus and driver for hire**
- XIV. **Planning Portal Director (via Cllr Field) [New post] Ministers back East Midlands rail freight project against inspectors' advice**
- XV. **Letter from Stop Rail Central Ltd requesting consideration of funding by PC.**

166. PARISH PLAN REPORT – consideration of formation of Neighbourhood Plan

167. FINANCE

Consideration by Council to help fund the Action Group - Stop Rail Central Ltd– see correspondence item xv above. (Clerk has enquired from NCALC about use of Section 137).

Current Bank Balances at 24.12 .15 - £32488 Business Reserve Account - £5095

a) Payments – for approval

	E-on	Electricity Supplies	1031.43	206.29	1237.72	2418
	V Hartley	Salary for Jan	436.13	-	436.13	4419
	HMRC	Tax for above	93.20	-	93.20	4420
	N and P Gardens	Mowing	496.50	99.30	595.80	DD
#	AH Contracts	Empty dog bins				4421

b) Agreement or otherwise as to support for *incidental* expenditure incurred by Action Group against the Rail link – eg payment of room hire for meetings, printing etc.

168. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS AND COUNCILLORS' COMMENTS

169. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION SESSION for this meeting

170. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING 7.3.16

Signed: -----

Date: -----

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