



## **BEAMINSTER TOWN COUNCIL**

The next meeting of Beaminster Town Council will be held in the Skyrm Room in the Public Hall on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2010 at 7.00pm.

Town Clerk  
11<sup>th</sup> January 2010

### **PUBLIC SESSION (7.00pm)**

**MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE INVITED TO RAISE ISSUES WHICH MAY BE SUBSEQUENTLY DISCUSSED AT TOWN COUNCIL**

### **REPORTS FROM AND QUESTIONS FOR:**

- i. Dorset Police Representative
- ii. West Dorset District Councillors
- iii. Dorset County Councillor

## **AGENDA**

1. **APOLOGIES**
2. **MINUTES OF THE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 16<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2009**
3. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**
4. **REPORTS FROM OUTSIDE ORGANISATIONS**
  - BAVLAP – report *attached*
  - West Dorset Partnership – report *attached*
5. **CHAIRMAN'S ENGAGEMENTS** – to **note** the Chairman has not attended any Civic functions since the last meeting.
6. **PAYMENTS AND RECEIPTS (DECISION)**  
To consider approving the schedule of payments and receipts (*to be tabled*)
7. **DORSET COUNTY TRAINING PARTNERSHIP COURSES 2010 (DECISION)**  
To note and consider attendance at any courses listed
8. **FINANCE & GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE (DECISION)**  
To note the Minutes of the Finance & General Purposes Committee meeting held on 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2009 and consider the recommendations therein namely:
  - Precept 2010/2011 – in the current financial climate a stand still precept of £113,500 be levied
9. **MEMORIAL PLAYING FIELDS LIAISON COMMITTEE (INFORMATION)**  
To note the Minutes of the Memorial Playing Field Liaison Committee meeting held on 24<sup>th</sup> November 2009

- 10. PROVISION OF GRIT BIN(S) (DECISION)**  
To consider a number of complaints at the lack of, and requests for grit bins within the town
- 11. TRAFFIC MOVEMENT IN THE SQUARE (DECISION)**  
As a result of an incident in the Square clarification of vehicular and pedestrian access has been raised.
- 12. WDDC - STREET NAMING – TO CONSIDER NAME OF NEW DEVELOPMENT AT EAST END OF FLAXFIELD ROAD (DECISION)**  
The Town Council are being asked to consider a name for the new street that will access phases two and three of the development at Flaxfield Road.
- 13. DCC – PROPOSED DIVERSION OF BRIDLEWAY 74, BEAMINSTER (DECISION)**  
To consider the proposal to re-align Crooked Lane over a length of approximately 80 metres.
- 14. DIGITAL SIGNAL FOLLOWING SWITCHOVER (DECISION)**  
To discuss the poor quality of television reception following the digital switchover
- 15. CORRESPONDENCE (INFORMATION)**  
To note details of significant items of correspondence received since the last meeting
- 16. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**  
To highlight items for the February agenda
- 17. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**  
To note the date of the next Council meeting as Monday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2010
- 18. PUBLIC BODIES (Admission to meeting) Act 1960**  
Council is requested to pass the following resolution:-  
  
That in accordance with the terms of the Act, the public and press be excluded from the meeting whilst discussion takes place on item 19 on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of a confidential nature of the business to be transacted viz the potential granting of a right of way in perpetuity.
- 19. LAND AT THE REAR OF THE FORMER WHITE HART**  
Members are asked to consider further “Heads of Agreement” in respect of access to land at the rear of the former White Hart via Memorial Lane