

The next meeting of Beaminster Town Council will take place in the Cowie Room, Public Hall on Tuesday 23rd January 2024 commencing at 7.00pm.

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Christine Bright Town Clerk 17th January 2024

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

REPORTS FROM AND QUESTIONS FOR:

- Dorset Police to RECEIVE report from PCSO Alex Bishop
- Dorset Council member to RECEIVE report from Councillor Mrs R Knox
- Enforcement Officer to **RECEIVE** report from Mr Amatt

AGENDA

- 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
- 2. MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 28TH NOVEMBER 2023 To APPROVE the minutes of the Council meeting held on 28th November 2023 (attached)
- 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST & DISPENSATIONS To RECEIVE any declarations of interest or dispensations granted in addition to those previously resolved.
- 4. PAYMENTS & RECEIPTS To RESOLVE payments and receipts for the month of January 2024 (to be tabled)

5. TO RESOLVE MINUTES OF THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEES

- (a) Finance & General Purposes Committee meeting held on 9th January 2024 To NOTE the minutes of the Finance & General Purposes Committee meeting held on 9th January 2024 and CONSIDER the recommendations therein (attached)
 - Min No. 696 Budget Framework 2024/2025
 To CONSIDER and RESOLVE the budget framework (attached)

6. PARISH PRECEPT LEVY 2024/2025

To **RESOLVE** parish precept levy for 2024/2025

7. DISPOSAL OF CHRISTMAS TREES

To **CONSIDER** donation to Weldmar Christmas Tree collection for the collection and disposal of the 2023 small Christmas trees.

8. YARN BARTON PREMISES

To **NOTE** the Board of Directors were grateful to the Town Council for the renewal of the sub lease on the premises and wished to proceed on the basis of a 99 year lease which commenced on 15th September 1997. The Town Clerk to arrange for the preparation of a new sub lease.

9. CONSULTATION DOCUMENTS

No consultations documents received.

10. CORRESPONDENCE

(a) Honorary Townsperson Nomination(s)To AGREE date for special council meeting to consider nomination(s) received.

11. PROGRESS REPORT

To NOTE progress on items since the previous meeting

- (a) **Public Hall** the Skrym Room was decorated during the Christmas break
- (b) Memorial Playing Field resurfacing of the car park completed.

12. ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDA

13. DATE OF NEXT MEETING – to **NOTE** the date of the next scheduled Council meeting – Tuesday 26th March 2024.