



Dear Councillor / Resident

I hereby give notice of a Council meeting that will be held at The Council Chamber, Cinderford, on Tuesday 12th April 2022, commencing at **7 p.m.** Prior to the meeting (6pm to 7pm) Councillors and Staff will receive Bystander Training from Lynn Moore, Victim Support.

Dated: 5th January 2022

Mrs E Bennett, Clerk to Council

1. To receive apologies for absence - Rachel Lewis, Max Coborn,
2. Declarations of Interest – to receive any declarations of interest in any matter to be discussed at the meeting. Members and Officers are requested to identify the nature of the interest.
3. Public Participation Session – to provide the opportunity for Members of the Public to raise questions or comment on items on the Agenda (limited to 15 minutes, with a maximum 3 minutes per person).
4. Chairman's Urgent Business
5. To confirm the Minutes of the Meeting held on Tuesday 8th March 2022 (copy herewith)
6. Matters Arising from Minutes
7. Climate Action (N/D/P):
To receive a presentation from the Gloucestershire Wildlife Trust on Cinderford projects
To receive the Climate Action Update
8. To discuss building preservation options around the Bilson Mission Building
9. To receive an update on the Levelling Up Fund (N/A)
 - a. The Wesley
 - b. 6 Market Street & update on potential tenant
 - c. Rheola House
 - d. Signing of the FODDC Grant Agreement relating to the Levelling Up Fund grant award
10. Contracts (A)
To award the solar panel contract following a competitive tender process and presentations to the Estates Committee
11. To receive an update on the Community Hospital, Statepark & Dockham Road
12. To receive the community cohesion update from the 6/4/2022 meeting and police update
13. Correspondence (D):
 - a. Forest Plan Consultation - Parkend Walk and Blakeney Hill Walk Forest Plan
 - b. NALC Ukraine Briefing
 - c. Gigaclear update
 - d. Neighbourhood Watch Contact Details
 - e. GCC draft of the Local Aggregates Assessment for Gloucestershire.
 - f. Gloucestershire Young Women & Girls Mentoring Project
 - g. GCC VAS confirmation of ownership
 - h. Road Safety
14. Reports/Minutes (N)
 - a) Written update from County Councillor

- b) Written update from District Councillor
 - c) Committee Updates
15. Finance (N/A)
- a) To agree the Accounts for Payment
 - b) To receive the update on progress with moving to internet banking
 - c) To receive the Internal Control Checklist
 - d) To receive the latest financial reports
 - e) To receive the grant funding request form for the Wurzel event noting previous grants awarded and grant budget
 - f) To receive the sponsorship request from the Lions Wild Boar Chase MTB Charity
16. GCC - Various Road Closures (N).
17. Planning Applications - see list attached (D)
18. Date of next Meetings (N)::
- Events Meeting - Tuesday 17th May 2022
 - Parish and Council Meeting – Tuesday 10th May 2022
 - Estates/BVC/Finance/Market Street Committee - TBC
 - Playing Fields Committee - TBC

“Members are reminded that the Council has a duty to consider the following matters in the exercise of any of its functions: Equal Opportunities (race, gender, sexual orientation, marital status and any disability), Crime & Disorder, Health & Safety and Human Rights”.

(N) - for noting
(D) - for discussion
(A)-for approval
(p) - presentation