



BIRCH PARISH COUNCIL

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Councillors are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of Birch Parish Council which will be held on Tuesday 4 January 2022 at Birch Memorial Hall, Birch Street at 7.30pm for the purpose of transacting the business set out on the attached agenda.

SIGNED (CLERK):  DATE: 29 December 2021

THE PRESS & PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

AGENDA

22/90. CHAIRMAN'S WELCOME.

22/91. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

To receive and accept apologies for absence.

22/92. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING.

To approve the minutes of 7 December 2021 as a correct record of events.

22/93. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS.

To declare any Disclosable Pecuniary, Other Pecuniary or Non-Pecuniary Interests on any matters covered by this agenda.

22/94. REPORTS.

- County Council
- Borough Council

22/95. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION.

The public may ask questions relating to the work and services of the Council. Questions cannot always be answered at the meeting but will be dealt with appropriately. If any question is to be discussed by Councillors it will be added to the agenda for the next Council Meeting.

22/96. PROGRESS CHECK.

A brief update on any actions from the last meeting.

22/97. PLANNING.

Laver Solar Farm – permission has been granted.

22/98. FINANCE.

Payments made / money received:

101787 £354.68 A Balcombe (Salary/PAYE/Expenses)

Precept 2022/23 – the Precept for 2022/23 is £15,000 divided by the tax base which is 303.8 (equivalent band D properties) equals £49.38.

22/99. INFRASTRUCTURE & S106 AGREEMENTS.

Colchester Borough Council are undertaking a review of s.106 agreements and are asking for a list of schemes that the Parish Council is aware of (email circulated).

22/00. CORRESPONDENCE.

Highways – temporary closure of Birch Park, Birch Road on 5 January 2022 for 3 days County Broadband (installation).

EALC – Training Calendar for 2022.

CBC – Pam Donnelly has been chosen to succeed Adrian Pritchard as CEO Colchester Borough Council.

22/01. PARISH COUNCILLOR REPORTS / NEXT AGENDA ITEMS ONLY.

22/02. MEETING DATES 2022.

4 January, 1 February, 1 March, 5 April, 10 May (Annual Parish Meeting/Annual Council Meeting), 7 June, 5 July, 6 September, 4 October, 1 November (Budget Meeting), 6 December.

CLOSE OF MEETING