EAST PECKHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Clerk to the Council, Miss. E Ellis

East Peckham Jubilee Hall, Pippin Road, East Peckham, Kent, TN12 5BT

Telephone: 01622 871309 Email: councilmanager@eastpeckham-pc.gov.uk

14th November 2022

Dear East Peckham Parish Councillors,

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED TO ATTEND a meeting of the Parish Council on Monday 21st November 2022 in the Meeting Room at Jubilee Hall, Pippin Road, East Peckham, TN12 5BT at 7.00pm Emily Ellis, Parish Clerk

AGENDA

NOTICE OF MEETING – Public Notice of the meeting has been given in accordance with Schedule 12, Para 10(2) of the Local Government Act 1972. The meeting is open to the press and public and may be filmed

Mobile phones must not be used during meetings

The meeting will adjourn to take questions from the public, the public may not speak at any other time unless invited to do so by the chairman

Only one conversation may happen at a time

All decisions require a proposer and a show of hands, a seconder is recommended.

Councillors are reminded of the seven Nolan Principles and Code of Conduct for conduct of people in public life.

1. **Apologies for absences and absentees:** To receive and approve any apologies.

2. Declarations of Interests and/or lobbying

Reminder to Members to disclose either a Pecuniary Interest or Other Interest in any item on the Agenda. Please note that the clerk cannot advise members on this. Members are personally responsible for declaring an interest. Members are respectfully advised to read the Code of Conduct for information. Councillors are responsible for ensuring that their Registers of Interests are up to date (within 28 days of any changes).

- 3. Elections and Vacancies
 - 3.1 Councillor vacancies: 3 vacancies elections in May
- 4. Reports from County Councillor, Borough Councillors, PCSO & Community Warden
- 5. To adjourn in order to enable members of the public to address the meeting
 - 5.1 To receive correspondence from residents
 - 5.2 To take questions from residents
- 6. Full Council Minutes
 - 6.1 To confirm the accuracy of the minutes of the meeting held on 17th October 2022
- 7. Clerk's report
 - 7.1 To receive a report from the Clerk and Assistant Clerk
- 8. **Groups & Organisations:** Members who attended any committee meeting of the Parish Council will be invited to give a brief report.

8.1 To receive reports from the Chairman of Committees, Sub-Committees and Working Groups that have met in the last 4 weeks.

9. Members who attended any meeting on behalf of EPPC not included elsewhere on the agenda will be invited to give a report.

- 9.1 To receive important notes and feedback on any trainings undertaken
- 9.2 To receive an update or report for any external or other meetings attended

10. Finance

- 10.1 Bank Reconciliations as at 1st November (To follow)
- 10.2 Financial Transactions for approval
- 10.3 Financial Transactions that have not been approved or minuted
- 10.4 To discuss and approve donation and grant requests The Counselling Centre, Tunbridge Wells and Heart of Kent Hospice, RBL donation for wreath
- 10.5 To discuss and approve quotes received

11. **Parish Council training requirements:** To consider training opportunities for members/clerks

NALC events: <u>https://www.nalc.gov.uk/our-events</u> KALC bitesize training: <u>https://www.kentalc.gov.uk/Bitesize_Training_31970.aspx</u>

12. Parish Online, Newsletter, Website and Communications

12.1 To receive any updates

13. Policies

13.1 To adopt new or review out of date policies and agree to remove any that are not necessary

To remove: Community Engagement Statement

To adopt: Maternity Leave Policy Emergency Dependents Leave Policy Civility and Respect Pledge

To re-adopt: Code of Conduct Complaints Policy

14. Church: To receive any updates or information 14.1 To feedback on the Remembrance Service

15. Matters for discussion in private:

15.1 Pay review – NJC rates

Date and Time of next meeting: To confirm as 21st November 2022 at 6PM