

## To Members of the Town Council

You are hereby summoned to attend a Town Council Meeting to be held on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2025 at 7.00pm at the Town Hall, 1 Queens Road, Stonehouse

## **Council Members:**

Councillors: John Callinan, Keren Capeling, Keith Creighton, Debbie Curtis, Marcus Dixon, Stephen Hunter, Carol Kambites, Simon MacGregor, Madelaine Maraboli-Roman, Neil Gibbs, Val Randell, Keith Terry and Theresa Watt

All residents of the Parish are welcome to attend the meeting. Up to 15 minutes will be set aside at the beginning of the meeting for members of the public to raise questions.

Carlos Novoth Town Clerk Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January '25

Attendees are reminded that the <u>Proceedings</u> of this meeting may be filmed, photographed or recorded.

## AGENDA

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TC3364	To receive apologies
TC3365	To receive declarations of interest
TC3366	To approve the minutes of the Town Council meeting of 9th December '24
TC3367	To receive reports from Chair of Town Council and town councillors
TC3368	To receive reports from County and District Councillors
TC3369	To receive RFO's budget report and bank reconciliation for December '24
TC3370	To approve the latest payment lists
TC3371	To approve the Council's Budget for the 2025/26 financial year
TC3372	To approve the Council's Precept for the 2025/26 financial Year
TC3373	To receive the resignation letter from Town Councillor Gary Powell and to note the dates for advertising the vacancy
TC3374	To receive the draft minutes of Business Committee meeting of 13 <sup>th</sup> January '25 and approve the following recommendation:

- Subject to positive references, a contract should be awarded to the preferred contractor for the supply of HR and H&S advice and support on a three year term with the proviso that should a termination clause be included within the contract, a five year term would be considered.
- TC3375 To receive the draft minutes of Environment Committee meeting of 6<sup>th</sup> January '25 and approve:
  - a contractor to undertake the necessary tree works to the Willow tree, as specified by an experienced arboriculturist.
- TC3376 To approve the following in relation to the Ship Inn site:
  - the transfer of £10,000 from the council's General Fund to its Earmarked Reserve for the Ship Inn site
  - the expenditure £7,500 as detailed in the support papers
- TC3377 To note the date of the next town council meeting Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February '25