

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Agenda for the AGM of the Council to be held online due to the Covid 19 pandemic at 8pm on Monday 17th May 2021

You are requested to attend the AGM of the Council to be held online due to the Covid 19 pandemic on Monday 17th May at 8pm.

Denes Marffy, Clerk to the Council

- 1. Election of Chairman for 2021/22 and acceptance of office
- 2. Election of Vice-Chairman for 2021/22 and acceptance of office
- 3. Apologies for absence
- 4. New Parish Councillors.
- 5. Declarations of interest for the AGM
- 6. Approval of 2020/21 report
- 7. Appointment of Clerk as the Responsible Finance Officer
- 8. Approve Astons Parish Council E-mail policy and procedures and Astons Parish Council Privacy Notice.
- 9. Review and adoption of standing orders
- 10. Review and adoption of financial regulations
- 11. Regarding the sub-committee: Astons Recreation Committee (ARC)
 - i. Review Terms of Reference
 - ii. Acceptance of AGM minutes
 - iii. Appointment of two councillors to ARC
- 12. Appoint Roads & Footpaths Coordinator
- 13. Review of delegated powers:
 - i. PB has delegated powers regarding footpath maintenance up to £500
- 14. Review of banking arrangements and signatories



- 15. Parish council insurance to agree to accept Zurich insurance quote for £1601.05
- 16. Appointment of Steve Morant as internal auditor
- 17. Review of Fixed Asset Register
- 18. Review Full Year Accounts to March 2021
- 19. Review subscriptions to other bodies:
 - i. OALC
- 20. Review and adopt policies & procedures (all available on the Astons.net PC website): Code of Conduct; Equal Opportunities; Expenses; Grievance; Health and Safety; Recruitment. https://www.theastons.net/local-councils/parish-council-policies
- 21. Review information guide
- 22. Review Risk Register
- 23. Review Emergency Plan
- 24. Review Defibrillator processes and confirm it has been checked over the year
- 25. War Memorial Committee (PC are formal custodians of the War Memorial) Accept annual report from the committee
- 26. Community Led Plan (CLP):
 - i. To review progress of the Community Led Plan Project Teams in the context of the overall CLP
 - ii. To appoint a Councillor to facilitate a meeting of representatives from the CLP groups twice per year
 - iii. To appoint representative(s) to the Roads & Traffic CLP Group
 - iv. To appoint representative(s) to the Housing & Development Group
 - v. To appoint representative(s) to the Environment Group
- 27. Appoint representative to Village Hall Committee
- 28. Appoint representative to the Downlands Village Transport Group
- 29. Appoint a Data Protection Officer

Agree dates of meetings for the 20/21 municipal year (generally the 3rd Monday of the month, except, no meeting in August and the December meeting is the 2rd Monday): 21 June, 19 July, 20 September, 18 October, 15 November, 13 December*, 17 January, 21 February, 21 March

* NB this is the second Monday of the month as the third falls too close to Christmas