

**Toseland Parish Council meeting Tuesday 10 September 7:30pm, St Michael's Church.**

**All Welcome**

Acting Clerk: Sarah Keys, sarahkeys123@btinternet.com

**AGENDA**

- 1. Apologies:**
- 2. Minutes** planning meeting 31 July 2024
- 3. Matters Arising**
  - 3.1 Newton Memorial Garden** vote of thanks to Mr Dillon for continuing to maintain.
  - 3.2 Mobile Traffic Speed Indicator** vote of thanks to Councillor Cowles for managing the location and data downloads. Discussion regarding data retrieved from the camera and any update on methods to manage speeding through the village.
  - 3.3 Annual Village Barbeque** a vote of thanks to Aiden and Louise Mullan for hosting and to those who contributed food, raffle prizes etc. The event raised £300 which includes a generous donation from the Dinky Drinky Box .
- 4. Chair's update.**
- 5. Appointments** – Parish Clerk and RFO
- 6. Future Events**
  - 6.1 Coffee morning** Saturday 9 November 2024
  - 6.2 How to mark Remembrance day**
  - 6.3 Christmas dinner** –Saturday 30 Nov
- 7. Declarations of Interest:** to receive from Councillors declarations as to disclosable pecuniary interests and the nature of those interests in relation to any agenda item.

*Notes: a disclosable pecuniary interest is an interest that involves not only money but assets, land, tenancies, sponsorship, contracts, investments, local businesses of the councillor. It can apply to the councillor themselves, the councillor's spouse or civil partner, a person with whom the councillor is living as spouse, a person with whom the councillor is living as a civil partner and where the councillor is aware that the other person has an interest. Localism Act 2012 c7 s30(3). This includes cases where a planning application has been made for land/buildings next door to the councillor's own property and that councillor could be reasonably expected to have a greater interest in that application than anyone else.*

*Other interests arise where:*

- (i) A decision in relation to that business might reasonably be regarded as affecting the well being or financial standing of you or a member of your family or a person with whom you have a close association to a great extent that it would affect the majority of council tax payers, ratepayers or inhabitants of the ward or electoral area for which you have been elected or otherwise of the authority's administrative area, or*

- (ii) *It relates to or is likely to affect any of the interests listed in the Table in the Appendix to the adopted Code, but in respect to a member of your family (other than your spouse/civil partner as they would have a disclosable pecuniary interest) or a person with whom you have a close association – and that interest is not a disclosable pecuniary interest.*

NB: the Parish Council may consider granting dispensations to speak and/or vote on matters in which the Parish Councillors have a disclosable pecuniary interest where it considers that:

- *without the dispensation the number of persons prohibited from participating in any particular business would be so great a proportion of the body transacting the business as to impede the transaction of the business;*
- *without the dispensation the representation of different political groups on the body transacting any particular business would be so upset as to alter the likely outcome of any vote relating to the business;*
- *granting the dispensation is in the interests of persons living in the authority's area;*
- *without the dispensation each Member of the authority's executive would be prohibited by section 31(4) from participating in any particular business to be transacted by the authority's executive; or it is otherwise appropriate to grant a dispensation.*

**8. Planning:**

**9. Finance:**

**9.1 Budget Statement and outstanding payments to be made:**

**10. Website and Council email addresses**

**10.1** vote of thanks to Mrs Moffatt for maintaining the TPC website

**10.2** update from the Chair on new website and email accounts

**11. Biodiversity** update from Councillor Reynolds

**12. Consultation on bus services**

**13. Items for next meeting** to be tabled

**14. Future meeting dates** to be agreed for November 2024, February 2025, May 2025.

*Louise A Mullan*

Chair Toseland Parish Council