



HENSTRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL

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AGENDA

An Extraordinary meeting of Henstridge Parish Council at the Village Hall (in the Hall, Ash Walk, Henstridge 18 December 2024 at 7.00pm.

All Councillors are summoned to attend.

Council Matters for discussion Judicial Review

The meeting will commence after there has been an opportunity for members of the electorate of the Parish to speak. In normal circumstances this will be restricted to approximately 15 minutes in total, each individual restricted to 3 minutes, and this shall be at the Chairman's **Apologies for absence:**

1. **Declarations of interest** (Members are reminded of their obligation to declare any Pecuniary or Other interests they may have under the Localism Act 2011 and the Council's Code of Conduct).
2. **To NOTE the context Cllr Petheram:**
 - a) The purpose of a Judicial Review process,
 - b) The grounds for a judicial review
 - c) The reason why the PC consider the PC has a reason for legal redress
 - d) The Review Process
 - e) To understand the extent of costs
 - f) Strategies to fund
3. **To RECEIVE the responses from several solicitors and chambers detailing their associated costs**
4. **To AGREE the funding strategy going forward**
 - A) Precept increase
 - B) Community driven crowd funding option organised independently by a resident's group.
5. **To AGREE that the PC will pay £154 to fund the initial application process from PC reserves.**
6. **To AGREE the solicitor who will act on behalf of the PC (Richard Buxton)**
7. **To AGREE which Barristers will act on behalf of the PC (Francis Taylors Barristers: KC Charles Merrick or KC Michael Feeney**
8. **To AGREE which Cllrs will participate in a conference call to act on behalf of the PC at a cost of £550 plus VAT (Already pledged by donors.**

Date of next meeting – Tuesday 7 January 2025 at 7pm

Items for inclusion on the agenda and all items to be listed under issues arising from this meeting must be received by the Clerk by 9.00am on **27 December 2024.**

Ann Lee Parish Clerk 13.12.24