Souldern Parish Council 31st March 2022 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Agenda & Summons to Councillors and Invitation to Members of the Public

- 1. To receive apologies for absence: Nick Oakhill
- **2. Declarations of Interest** to receive any declarations of interest from Councillors relating to items on the agenda, in accordance with the Council's code of conduct.
- 3. To receive the minutes of the last meeting 27th January 2022
- **4. Public Participation** to receive submissions from members of the public relating to items on the agenda, in accordance with the Council's code of conduct & standing orders. Variation of Order of Business may apply

5. Clerks Report and Actions from previous meeting

NO	ACTION	OWNER	Update
Sept21.01	NO will arrange for a working party to remove the remaining playground	NO	On-going
	equipment the weekend after next.		
Sept21.02	All to set up Souldern PC specific gmail addresses.	ALL	All were encouraged to set up gmail addresses. LH has asked for evidence that this is mandatory. Clerk to provide.
Nov21.01	NO to chase up Kev Keane regarding Rules of Engagement in NBW	NO	No response received. NO to chase.
Nov21.02	NO will will attempt to find out how to get tests done on the water in the pond, the well and the manhole	NO	Outstanding
Nov21.03	NO to write to Thames Water suggesting that the manholes should be sealed to prevent the smell.	NO	Outstanding. NO to action
Nov21.04	NO will write back to Clive pointing out that the tree in question is on disputed land (open or closed churchyard) and that it is in the interest of the PCC that the work is carried out and that they should obtain the necessary permission		Completed. Planning application submitted.
Jan22.01	AS will submit the planning application for the playground	AS	Completed
Jan22.02	It was noted that the ditch near to NBW used to be cleared regularly but had not been done for several years. It was agreed to speak to the landowner and/or set up a working party.	?	
Jan22.03	Tree planting AS will discuss with NO on his return.	AS	
Jan22.04	Pond Cottage - AS will discuss the blocking/removal of the drainage pipe with NO on his return	AS	

6. Updates

- a. Playground Advisory Group
- b. Nancy Bowles Wood Advisory Group
- c. CDC
- d. OCC
- 7 Councillors' email addresses and Clerk's laptop to clarify following guidance from OALC
- 8 Clerk salary increase to discuss
- 9 Pond Cottage update
- 10 20mph initiative
- 11 Platinum Jubilee to discuss funds available
- 12 Environmental matters tree planting
- 13 Planning

22/00416/F - Playground 22/00583/F - Westend House, Bates Lane 22/00310/TCA Souldern House - NOI 22/00043/TCA - The Hill - NOI

14 Finance

To approve monthly accounts payable To discuss budget 2022/23

Other Matters

For information only and to advise on agenda items for next meeting

Date of next meetings:

Dates for 2022: last Thursday of the month PC meeting Planning meeting 31st March 28th April 26th May 30th June 28th July 25th August 29th September 27th October 24th November 29th December

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