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To All Members of the Staffing Committee

SUMMONS AND AGENDA

16th November 2023

Dear Councillors,

You are respectfully summoned to attend a Meeting of Ecclesfield Parish Council Staffing Committee to be held at the **Council Offices** on Thursday 23rd November 2023 at 7.00 pm.

To view the agenda please click the link below: https://ecclesfield-pc.gov.uk/document-category/agendas/

In accordance with the provisions of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 (as amended), the public and press may attend the meeting.

Yours sincerely

Andrew Towlerton

Mr Andrew Towlerton Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer Ecclesfield Parish Council

Committee Membership

Councillor Thomas Sturgess (Chairman), Councillor Susan Davidson, Councillor Victoria Bowden, Councillor Michael Morrisey and Councillor Alan Woodcock.

*Substitute members may be appointed in accordance with Standing Order 4v.

Chairman's announcement

Prior to the commencement of the meeting, the Chairman will outline the procedure for this remote meeting to ensure that the meeting is effective, safe and lawful including:

- Councillors must observe the Council's Code of Conduct during the meeting.
- Voting procedure.
- Public session and exclusion of the press and public procedures.
- Anyone wishing to record is asked to let the Chairman of the meeting know prior to the start of the meeting.
- All Councillors present may be required to state their name prior to the commencement of the meeting.

Prior to the formal commencement of the meeting there will be an opportunity for members of the public to ask questions under the direction of the Chairman and in accordance with the Council's Standing Orders. (Standing Order 3 states that the public participation session will be for no more than 15 minutes and a member of the public shall not speak for more than 3 minutes). The Chairman may direct that a written response if a satisfactory verbal response cannot be given.

AGENDA

2023/22 (SC). Apologies and Reasons for Absence

To note any apologies.

To approve reasons for absence.

2023/23 (SC). Declarations of Interest

To record any requests for dispensation.

To receive and record any declarations of interests not already declared under the Members Code of Conduct or Members Register of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests.

2023/24 (SC). Exclusion of Press and Public

To consider the exclusion of the Press and Public in accordance with Public Bodies Admission to Meetings Act 1960 Section 1 (2) due to the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.

2023/25 (SC). Staffing Committee Minutes

To consider the approved minutes, including any arising actions, of the Staffing Committee meeting held on 28th September 2023 (attached as Item 25a), including an

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update on item 20a "**RESOLVED**: That the Clerk, in consultation with the Chairman of the Staffing Committee and the Chairman of the Finance and Premises Committee, be authorised to appoint a preferred Occupational Health provider for the Council".

2023/26 (SC). Cleaning Service

- (a) To consider and agree the process for recruiting a replacement cleaner for the Council Offices and adjoining Community Room.
- (b) To consider extending the existing temporary cleaning arrangements for the Council Offices and adjoining Community Room for a further three months.

2023/27 (SC). General Staffing Update

To receive a verbal report by the Clerk and Chairman on various staffing issues, including outcome of the national negotiations on the local government pay award for the financial year 2023/24 and monitoring of staff and Councillor training.

2023/28 (SC). Date and Time of Future Meetings

The next Staffing Committee Meeting is scheduled for Thursday 25th January 2024 at 7.00 pm at the Council Offices.