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Councillors are hereby summoned to attend the meeting of Harrold Parish Council, which has been arranged for **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2024 at 7.30pm**. To be held in the Main Hall in the **Harrold Centre** for the transaction of the business shown on the agenda below.

David Brough – Clerk to Harrold Parish Council

## AGENDA

**Public Open Forum (15 minutes):** This council is committed to community engagement and therefore warmly invites members of the public to contribute during this part of the meeting.

***During the Public Open Forum:** Members of the public should note that the council is only allowed to take decisions on topics that are publicised on the agenda; items not on the agenda can be carried forward for a response at a later date.*

***After the Public Open Forum:** Members of the public are asked to respect the fact that this is a meeting to conduct council business and interruptions during the remainder of the meeting are not permitted.*

1. **To receive apologies for absence and introductions**
2. **Disclosure of Interests** – members are invited to declare any personal or disclosable pecuniary interests they may have in any items on the agenda.
3. **Requests to grant dispensations for disclosed interests**
4. **Approval of Minutes** from the parish council meeting held 13<sup>th</sup> December 2023
5. **Clerk's report on actions:**
  - Lockup rendering – quotes being sought to replace the crumbling render. Clerk has met three local contractors on site to discuss the works.
  - Skate ramp resurfacing has been initiated – awaiting date.
6. **Finance Report**
  - Approval for monthly payments and noting of income and balances.
  - To agree to a phone contract for the Clerk.
  - To set the budget and precept for 2024/25.
  - To agree to open a savings account with Cambridge & Counties (95 day notice at 4.5%)
7. **Planning**
  - **Planning applications received since the last meeting**  
Includes any received after the agenda is issued up to the date of the meeting:  
*APPLICATION NO: 23/02664/MAF Major Full and Change of Use Application*  
*PROPOSAL: Residential development of 17 dwellings and associated infrastructure.*  
*LOCATION : Land At Odell Road Odell Bedfordshire*

**8. Brook Lane – Lionhead standpipe**

Proposal from Cllr Tickle: To consider a quote from Bedford Borough Council (£140) to relocate the lionhead standpipe on Brook Lane to improve parking availability.

**9. Borough Councillor's report for Harrold Ward**

To be distributed to councillors prior to the meeting and made available on the parish council website.

**10. Noting of any further items for future agendas – no decisions can be taken**

**Date of next meeting: Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2024 at the Harrold Centre**