



## SOMERSHAM PARISH COUNCIL

### PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETING AND SUMMONS TO COUNCILLORS TO ATTEND

There will be a meeting of **Somersham Parish Council** at The Village Hall, Somersham on **Wednesday, 7<sup>th</sup> June 2023 at 7.30pm**

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**Parish Clerk**  
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### AGENDA

- 1) **To receive apologies for absence – Cllr Jousiffe**
- 2) **To receive Declarations of Interests**
- 3) **To receive any Applications for Dispensation**
- 4) **Public Forum** – *Members of the public are invited to give their views and question the Parish Council on issues on this agenda or raise issues for future consideration at the discretion of the Chairman, before the start of the Parish Council meeting. Members of the public may not take part of the Parish Council meeting itself.*
- 5) **To approve Minutes of the previous meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2023**
- 6) **To receive the County Councillor's Report - County Cllr Kay Oakes**
- 7) **To receive the District Councillor's Report - District Cllr Adrienne Marriott**
- 8) **To receive an update on the Play Equipment Project – Terry Fordham**
- 9) **To discuss quotes received in relation to maintenance of Playing Field**
- 10) **To receive the Clerk's Report and Financial Matters**
  - a) To receive the Clerk's Report
  - b) To receive the Finance Report
  - c) To authorise payments and note receipts
  - d) To receive the Bank Reconciliation
- 11) **Planning Applications**
  - a) For discussion and decision – (including any applications / decisions received since the publication of this agenda)

**Ref: DC/23/02118** - Planning Application - Installation of renewable led energy generating station comprising ground-mounted photovoltaic solar arrays and battery-based electricity storage containers together with substation, inverter/transformer stations, site accesses, internal access

tracks, security measures, access gates, other ancillary infrastructure, landscaping and biodiversity enhancements including Nature Areas ('Free Go' application following refusal of MSDC Ref: DC/20/05895) - Land To The South Of Church Farm, Somersham IP8 4PN And Land To The East Of The Channel, Burstall

**Ref: DC/21/04711** - Planning Application - Change of use from agricultural land to solar farm and construction of a solar farm (up to 49.9MW) with associated grid connection cable route, infrastructure and planting - Land North of Tye Lane, Bramford, Suffolk, Reason(s) for re-consultation: Information received on 25.05.2023

**Ref: DC/23/02006** - Householder Application - Erection of stable block and tack room on concrete pad (retention of). Location: Valley Farm, Flowton Road, Flowton

**Ref: DC/23/02306** - Full Planning Application - Erection of 1No. self-build detached dwelling including ancillary cart-lodge and alterations to existing vehicular access Location: Land North of the Old Griffin, Main Road, Somersham

b) To receive Planning Decisions from the Local Authority

- 12) **To receive and consider the Neighbourhood Watch Report**
- 13) **To receive an update on the provision of a Community Orchard**
- 14) **To receive any reports on other attended Meetings**
- 15) **Matters to be brought to the attention of the Parish Council** – *Each Councillor is requested to use this opportunity to report minor matters of information not included elsewhere on the agenda and to raise items for future agendas. Councillors are respectfully reminded that this is not an opportunity for debate or decision-making.*
- 16) **Date of next meeting** – Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> July 2023 at 7.30pm

**For enquiries about the meeting, please contact Jennie Blackburn, Parish Clerk  
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