

ADDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

**Councillors are hereby summoned to attend the
ORDINARY MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL AT ADDINGTON VILLAGE HALL
Park Road on Wednesday 5th February at 7.00pm**

Members of the public and press are invited to attend. Attendees may be filmed, recorded, or otherwise reported by anyone present. Unless advised otherwise, the council accepts no responsibility for data recorded in this way or its distribution. At the discretion of the Chair the meeting may be closed and then opened to the public for questions. Any items for further discussion will be placed on next month's agenda.

AGENDA

24/147 Apologies for Absence

Cllrs to consider if apologies are acceptable.

24/148 Declarations of Interest

Cllrs to declare any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests in matters to be considered on this agenda.

24/149 Minutes of 8th January Council Meeting

Cllrs to consider and if in order to authorise the Chair to sign as a true and accurate record.

24/150 Open Public Session

This provides an opportunity for members of the public to participate raising any concerns or making comments on matters affecting Addington. No decision can be taken during this session but the chair may decide to refer any matters raised for further consideration.

24/151 Report from Borough Councillors & County Councillors

To receive any reports.

24/152 Crime Report

To receive the monthly crime report and any other Police updates.

24/153 Clerks Report (for information only)

To receive an update on past matters from previous meeting.

24/154 Planning

a) Applications: To be added:

24/01973/PA Tree Preservation Order Consent

Location: ADDINGTON GREEN, ADDINGTON, West Malling

Proposal: 1 x English Oak (Quercus Robur) located on the village green, Addington, Kent ME19 5B Reduce crown to approx. 10.0 m final height, with a proportional lateral reduction to maintain a balanced overall canopy. Prune to appropriate pruning points as per BS:3998 standards where possible. T1 of Tree Preservation Order

Case Officer: Edward Jones

<https://planning.agileapplications.co.uk/tmbc/application-details/159159>

- b) **Approvals:** None to be considered.
- c) **Refusals:** None to be considered.
- d) **Applications withdrawn:** None to consider.
- e) **Appeals:** None to consider.
- f) **Other Planning Issues:** None to consider.

24/155 Resolutions

- 1. To discuss future ground works contractors.
- 2. To discuss and agree future Playground Inspection contractor
- 3. To discuss and agree bollard on Village Green
- 4. To discuss and agree action to the Tree Wardens report and recommendations.

24/156 Financial Resolutions

- a. Financial statement and bank reconciliation – **Clrs to receive and accept.**
- b. To authorise payments made out of meeting and at meeting.
- c. Other financial matters.

24/157 Parish Matters:

- 1. **Highways and other matters:** HIP Requirements arrange meeting date.
- 2. **Village Hall Car Park:** Proposal to extend car park – Update.
- 3. **VE DAY 80 - 8TH MAY 2025** – Update
- 4. **Village Green** – Oak Tree Update and Bollard replacement.
- 5. **LEVI** - Local Electric Vehicle Infrastructure (LEVI) – Project details.
- 6. **Woodland** – Pursue Ancient Woodland replanting.
- 7. **Open Spaces:** Trees at East Street Update.
- 8. **Parish e-newsletter** – Content to be discussed.
- 9. **PROW** – Upkeep.
- 10. **UTB** – Additional Signatory Update
- 11. **Media and Future communications**
- 12. **Climate change**

24/158 Reports from Committees and Representative on other bodies:

- a) Village Hall
- b) Recreation Grounds
- c) Standards Committee
- d) KALC Area Committee
- e) Parish Partnership Panel

24/159 Correspondence/Consultations

To receive any communications.

24/160 Items for the Next Meeting.

24/161 Closed Session – Discuss confidential matters.

24/162 Close of Meeting

24/163 Date of Next Meeting – Wednesday 5th March 2025

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