# NEWTON POPPLEFORD AND HARPFORD PARISH COUNCIL

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Members of this Committee: Cllrs. Chapman (Chair), Burhop, Carpenter, Dalton, Lipczynski and Tillotson

Dear Councillor,

You are summoned to a Meeting of the

### **Policy & Personnel Committee**

taking place at The Pavilion, Back Lane, Newton Poppleford at 7.30pm on Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> December 2022

All council meetings are open to the public and the press Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 ALL MEETINGS MAY BE RECORDED BY MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

### **Public Forum**

- a) Fire Regulations, evacuation procedure and any current Covid-19 Compliance Guidance
- b) Questions and representations from residents/parishioners

This provides an opportunity for members of the public (who are not usually permitted to speak during the council meeting, other than on Planning Applications or by special invitation of the Chair) to participate before the meeting by asking questions, highlighting matters of concern or making representations regarding Newton Poppleford and Harpford parish. No decisions can be taken on matters raised during this part of the meeting unless the subject is already an item on the published agenda. No Minutes will be produced for this part of the meeting.

### To consider the following business:

### PPC22/017 To consider apologies for absence and approve if accepted (LGA 1972 S.85(1))

#### PPC22/018 Declarations of interest from members / Dispensations afforded

(this does not preclude the duty to declare further interests during the meeting as applicable)

All committee members are members of the NPPFF Trustee Board by virtue of their elected office.

Cllr. Dalton was afforded a dispensation to discuss and vote upon matters pertaining to Parish allotments at the Ordinary Meeting held 29/3/2021. This dispensation applies until May 2023 (unless rescinded prior to that date) and is afforded in respect of her personal and disclosable pecuniary interests as an allotment tenant.

Cllr. Tillotson was afforded a dispensation to discuss and vote upon matters pertaining to Parish allotments at the Ordinary Meeting held 29/3/2021. This dispensation applies until May 2023 (unless rescinded prior to that date) and is afforded in respect of her personal and disclosable pecuniary interests as an allotment tenant.

PPC22/019 To consider and, if thought fit, approve the Minutes of the Policy & Personnel Committee held on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2022 as circulated to members

- i) Matters Arising from those Minutes
- PPC22/020 To consider any matters listed on this Agenda that Councillors consider should be dealt with as confidential business as per the provisions of The Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960
- PPC22/021 Business to be conducted:
  - a) To review Council policies within matrix circulated
    - i) Press and Media Policy
    - ii) Health & Safety
    - iii) Publication, Data Protection and FOI
    - iv) Expenses and Cash Handling
    - v) Grant Awards
  - b) To consider allocation of policies for review at the next meeting
- PPC22/022 Matters considered as urgent by the Chair
- PPC22/023 Date and time of next meeting
- PPC22/024 It is proposed that, under the provisions of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1972, the public (including the press) be excluded from the meeting as publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be discussed.
- PPC22/025 Matters to be considered in Committee session

With no further business to consider, the Chair will declare the meeting closed.

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Jacqui Baldwin, Clerk to the Parish Council 6<sup>th</sup> December 2022

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