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**The Parish Councillors of THURSTON PARISH COUNCIL are summoned to attend a meeting of the Parish Council, on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2021 commencing at 7.00pm.**

**The Council, members of the public and press may record/film/photograph or broadcast this meeting when the public and press are not lawfully excluded.**

**All wishing to attend will be required to comply with the social distancing measures in place, with the wearing of face coverings (unless exempt) and the use of hand sanitisers at entrance and exit points.**

**Members of the public should be aware that numbers will be limited in order to comply with the Government's Covid restrictions. If you would like to attend please advise the Clerk to the Council at the earliest opportunity.**

**Members of the public not wishing to attend in person may submit written representations on issues they wished to be considered at the meeting.**

**The doors to the meeting will be open 15 minutes prior to the commencement of the meeting.**

## **A G E N D A**

1.	Opening including Statement	19.00
2.	Apologies – a) Council to receive apologies for absence. b) Council to consent to accept apologies received.	19.00
3.	Declarations of pecuniary and local non-pecuniary interests a) To receive declarations of pecuniary, local non-pecuniary interest(s) and personal interests in items on the agenda and their nature inc. gifts of hospitality exceeding £25 b) To receive requests for dispensations	19.05
4.	PUBLIC FORUM – Members of the public – a) to receive questions and matters of concern from those present on the agenda under discussion.	19.05
5.	Financial Matters - a) To consider donations against the Council's small grants budget for the year ending 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022 ( <i>Paper A inc. A1,A2,A3 refers</i> )	19.20
6.	Matters Arising from Committees/ Working Groups – Youth Matters a) To discuss matters relating to the formation of a Youth Council	19.30
7.	Matters Arising from Committees/ Working Groups - Climate Awareness / Environmental Matters a) To receive and consider the recommendations from the Committee for works to the tree outside No. 36 School Road: i. To carry out a total reshape - £450 or ii. To remove the whole tree including grinding out the stump - £1020.00 If ii) is chosen, a replacement tree such as a Cherry Tree to be installed. iii. To agree to carry out the removal of dead wood from the mature Oak tree O/S 15 St Peters Way at a maximum cost of b) To receive a verbal update from the Chair of the Committee	19.45
8.	Matters Arising from Committees/ Working Groups – Library a) To receive a report from the Chair of the Friends of Thurston Library b) To receive further information on the "Big Weekend" event being planning, in conjunction with	20.00

	the Friends of Thurston Library Group, for the end of September 2021	
9.	Matters Arising from Committees/ Working Groups – Recreational Facilities a) To receive a report from the Chair of the Recreational Facilities Committee b) To receive an update on works to the roof and exterior of the pavilion	20.15
10.	Other Matters for Consideration: a) To receive notification of the Traffic Regulation Order as approved by Suffolk County Council - (Parish of Thurston) (C559 Norton Road, U4917 Pakenham Road, and U4908 Church Road) (30 Mph Speed Limit) Order 2021 b) To consider whether the Parish Council should participate in the <a href="#">online Safe Spaces initiative</a> led by the Royal Mail group and charity Hestia. Use this link for an example of the Safe Spaces Button as seen on the website of <a href="#">UK Power Networks</a> c) To receive the outcome of the report EN/21/00382 – Thurston Oaks, Persimmon and the protection of Oak Trees at the Persimmon Homes site. d) To note that the Clerk and County Councillor Penny Otton are in discussions with SCC and BMSDC regarding the possibility of parking restrictions being imposed at identified locations in Thurston. e) To receive an update from SCC Highways Department on remedial works to Meadow Lane from damage caused by the Developer Linden Homes	
11.	To confirm the date of future meetings: all in the Thurston Community Library unless the agenda indicates otherwise: a) 7 <sup>th</sup> July 2021 - Full Council Meeting – commencing at 7.00pm b) 14 <sup>th</sup> July 2021 – Council’s Committee – <i>to note this meeting is cancelled</i> c) 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2021 - Planning Committee Meeting – commencing at 7.00pm d) 28 <sup>th</sup> July 2021 – Recreational Facilities Meeting – via Zoom – commencing at 6.00pm e) 28 <sup>th</sup> July 2021 – Climate and Awareness & Environment Committee Meeting – commencing at 7.00pm f) 30 <sup>th</sup> July 2021 - Policy and Resources Committee Meeting - commencing at 10.30am	20.30
12.	Close of the Meeting	20.35

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Proper Officer to the Council  
18.06.21

