

# ORTON PARISH COUNCIL

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20<sup>th</sup> February 2021

Dear Sir/Madam,

You are summoned to the virtual Open Meeting of Orton Parish Council on Monday 1st March 2021, at 7.30pm, followed by the next Ordinary Meeting of Orton Parish Council at 8.00pm on Zoom.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs P. Macdonald  
Clerk of the Council

## AGENDA

### **101/20 Apologies**

To receive all apologies for absence.

### **102/20 Minutes**

To authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes of the council meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021 as a true record. (Copy enclosed).

### **103/20 Public participation**

To consider items of interest or items of concern from members of the public.

### **104/20 Declarations of notifiable pecuniary interests**

To receive any declarations of pecuniary interest from members, in respect of items on the agenda.

### **105/20 Parish Councillors Notification of Change to Personal Interests**

To request that Councillors notify any changes to their personal interests.

### **106/20 Request for Dispensations**

The Clerk to report any requests received since the previous meeting for dispensations to speak and/or vote on any matter where a member has a disclosable pecuniary interest.

### **107/20 Chairman's Announcements**

To receive announcements by the Chairman

### **108/20 Reports**

County Councillor Trevor Allison  
District Councillors John Collier & Ann McKerrill  
The Great Orton School Report  
The Village Hall Committee representative  
The Watchtree Representative

### **109/20 Planning**

*To note the following planning applications:*

Variation of condition 2 (approved documents) of previously approved permission 19/0302 (erection of 7 no. detached dwellings) to change plot 2 from a bungalow to a dormer bungalow; land to the south east of Smiddy Croft, Great Orton. Ref: 20/0786. *No objections.*

### **110/20 Financial Report**

To consider and approve the Financial Report of 30th November 2020, also to note any deviations from budget. The following monies have been received:

a) Cumbria County Council (Grant)	£600.00
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### **111/20 Payment of Accounts**

To authorise payment of the following accounts:

a) P. Macdonald (Salary)	£952.64
b) HMRC (PAYE)	£238.16
c) CALC (WL training)	£20.00

### **112/20 Clerk's salary review in line with NALC recommendations**

To review and agree an increase of the Clerk's salary for 2020/21. An increase of 31p per hour is proposed, this is an annual increase of £64.48.

### **113/20 Dog fouling in Great Orton**

To discuss and agree actions with respect to an increase in dog fouling.

### **114/20 Poor state of repair of gullies, drains and pavements in Orton Parish**

To discuss and agree any further actions regarding the blocked and obscured road drains in the village and the deteriorating state of the pavement in Orton Parish.

### **115/20 Orton Parish seats and Great Orton Play Area**

To discuss and agree any repairs or actions required by:

- (i) the uneven parts of the playing field discuss need for topsoil and re-seeding
- (ii) the drains in the vicinity of the play area
- (iii) the wall between the school and the play area
- (iv) the parish seats or play area equipment.

### **116/20 Speeding traffic at The Pow**

Councillor Allison stated that the cost of recording speed and frequency of traffic had now increased to £210 but, because of lockdown, the traffic flow at present would be unrepresentative. Therefore, it was agreed to defer this matter until March 2021.

### **117/20 Date of the Meeting in May 2021**

To discuss and agree the date of the next meeting.

### **118/20 Zoom subscription**

To discuss and agree whether the subscription to Zoom should continue for another year.

### **119/20 Correspondence**

To note items of correspondence received since the last meeting (schedule attached).

### **120/20 Date of Next Meeting**

To note that the Annual meeting and the next ordinary Parish Council meeting will be on Zoom at 7.30pm and 8.00pm, respectively, on a date to be agreed in May 2021.

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