

WIRKSWORTH TOWN COUNCIL

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28 June 2022

Dear Councillor,

You are hereby summonsed to the Meeting of Environment & Town Committee on MONDAY 4 July 2022 at 6.30 p.m. in the Council Chamber*, Town Hall, Wirksworth. *Admission of public: If you wish to join the meeting, please contact the Town Clerk for full meeting details including Covid precautions.*

*If you wish to join the meeting via Zoom please contact the Town Clerk

AGENDA

1. Apologies for Absence

2. Variation of Order of Business

Including to consider a resolution under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings Act 1960 s1) to exclude members of the press and public in order to discuss an agenda item

3. Members' Interests in Agenda Items

To enable Members to declare the existence and nature of any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests they have in subsequent agenda items, in accordance with the Town Council's Code of Conduct.

4. Open Forum

Time for this session is limited to 15 minutes; 3 minutes per person

- Public Forum (At the start of the meeting, a period is available for members of the public to address the Council)
- Cllrs with a pecuniary interest making representations, answering questions or giving evidence relating to the business to be transacted

5. To confirm the accuracy of the Minutes of the Meeting of the Environment and Town Committee held on 6 June 2022 (previously circulated)

6. Lamp Post Poppies

Request from Wirksworth branch of RBL for support to purchase Lamp Post Poppies (suggestion of 50 x £3 each).

7. Bolehill Bench (attached)

BIG have requested permission to install a bench on "Parkers Piece".

8. Derbyshire Wildlife Trust (attached)

DWT are now able to offer support (bespoke report) on the recovery of nature within a parish.

9. RoSPA Reports (attached)

Annual inspection has been undertaken of recreation spaces, RoSPA have identified areas of action.

- Kingsfield Play Area
- Wash Green Play Area
- Stoney Wood
- Fanny Shaw Skate Park

10. Art and Sculpture Trail

The clerk has contacted 4 groups (Civic Society, Festival, Stoney Wood Group and Stone Centre) to determine whether they wish to participate in exploratory discussions and it is

now necessary to identify the next steps required to take the matter forward.

11. Scheme of Delegation (sample of a Tier 3 Authority format attached) It is a recommendation of the Internal Audit that a clear set of roles/responsibilities be establish. This is commonly achieved via a scheme of delegation.

- 12. Planning Applications received (Delegated Planning Appendix 1)
- 13. Planning Decisions & Appeals (Appendix 2)

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Appendix 1 - Planning Applications received Prior to June meeting

Prio	r to June meeting						
1	T/22/00060/TCA	Crown Reduction and clean of 2no. T1 and T2 Beech trees to reduce height by					
		2m and to lift by 3m, Crown Reduction and clean of 1no. T3 Maple/Sycamore					
		to reduce height by 2m and to lift by 3m Snuffless Dip West End Wirksworth					
		Matlock Derbyshire DE4 4EG					
WTC - No comment, However Wirksworth Town Council has declared a Climate Emergency and							
therefore supports any development or change that seeks to reduce the carbon footprint.							
2	22/00182/FUL	Change of use of land to 8 no. pitch traveller site with associated new access					
		The Woodyard, Derby Road Homesford, Matlock Derbyshire					
The town Council continues to strongly object to this development. We would raise the same							
concerns as those lodged in the previous application 14/00133/FUL for temporary use (e.g. visual							
impact, detrimental impact on the World Heritage corridor. Safety issues							
3	22/00328/FUL	Use of land as a campsite with 6no. glamping pods. 2 no. amenity blocks (one					
		existing) and associated private drainage system Land north of Hey Lane					
		Wirksworth Derbyshire					
WTC - No comment, However Wirksworth Town Council has declared a Climate Emergency and							
therefore supports any development or change that seeks to reduce the carbon footprint.							
4	22/00440/FUL	Replacement garage 34 Steeple Grange Wirksworth Matlock Derbyshire DE4					
		4FS					
WTC - No comment, However Wirksworth Town Council has declared a Climate Emergency and							
therefore supports any development or change that seeks to reduce the carbon footprint.							
5	22/00478/FUL	Rear two storey and single storey extensions and single storey side extension					
		9 Adam Bede Crescent Wirksworth Matlock Derbyshire DE4 4BE					
WTC	- No comment, Ho	wever Wirksworth Town Council has declared a Climate Emergency and					
ther	efore supports any	development or change that seeks to reduce the carbon footprint.					
6	T/22/00066/TCA	Fell 1no. T1 Ash tree due to Ash die back at Village Hall Main Street Middleton					
		By Wirksworth Matlock Derbyshire DE4 4LQ					
WTC - No comment, However Wirksworth Town Council has declared a Climate Emergency and							
therefore supports any development or change that seeks to reduce the carbon footprint.							
7	22/00525/FUL	Part removal of existing outbuilding and erection of shed/storeroom					
		7 Warmbrook Wirksworth Matlock Derbyshire DE4 4EA					
WTC - No comment, However Wirksworth Town Council has declared a Climate Emergency and							
therefore supports any development or change that seeks to reduce the carbon footprint.							

Appendix 2 - Planning Decisions & Appeals

(decisions are only to be reported where the Town Council have objected to application.)

No decisions to report		