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The Parish Councillors of THURSTON PARISH COUNCIL are summoned to attend the Parish Council Meeting on Wednesday 7th July 2021 commencing at 7.00pm in the Thurston Community Library on Norton Road.

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.

AG ENDA

1.	Opening including Statement	7.00
2.	Apologies –	7.02
	a) Council to receive apologies for absence	
	b) Council to consent to accept apologies received	
3.	Declarations of pecuniary and local non-pecuniary interests	7.05
	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 declarations of lobbying for planning matters on the agenda	
	c) To receive requests for dispensations	
4.	a) To receive and consider the minutes of the following meetings: (all as previously circulated)	7.10
	 Meeting of 2nd June 2021. 	
	Minutes of 23 rd June 2021.	
	b) To note the minutes of the Planning Committee:	
	 Planning Meeting of 26th May 2021 – Approved 	
	 Planning Meeting of 16th June 2021 - Draft 	
5.	REPORTS FOR INFORMATION – to receive written reports for information only:	7.15
	Report from County Councillor Penny Otton	
	 Report from District Councillors Harry Richardson and Wendy Turner 	
6.	PUBLIC FORUM –	7.30
	 to receive questions and matters of concern from members of the public in attendance on 	
	the agenda submitted.	
	 to receive comments or questions relating to Thurston in general. 	
7.	Police Matters –	7.45
	a) to receive a report from PCSO Smith on crimes relating to Thurston.	
	b) to consider matters for referral to Stowmarket SNT	
8.	Statutory Business – to view associated papers please use the following web-link:	7.55
	https://thurstonparishcouncil.uk/parish-council/agendas-and-minutes/	
	a) To note the resignation of Cllrs. Keith Towers and John Thurlbourne.	
	b) To review and adopt the Council's 3 Year Business Plan	
	c) To review and consider a response to the Boundary Commission for England initial proposals for	

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	the 2023 Boundary Review - https://boundarycommissionforengland.independent.gov.uk/2023-	
	review/eastern/initial-proposals-for-new-parliamentary-constituency-boundaries-in-the-	
	eastern-region/ consultation closing date 2 nd August 2021.	
	d) To receive notification of the Traffic Regulation Order – C691 Barton Road and Thurston Road –	
	30mph Speed limit – Order 2021 – effective 30 th June 2021	
	e) To note the delay to the BMSDC Joint Local Plan examination which is expected to resume in	
	September	
9.	Planning Matters – to be brought to the attention of the Council:	8.15
	a) To receive further information on the Judicial Review submitted following the granting of	
	Planning Permission against application DC/19/03486 Land South West Of, Beyton Road,	
	Thurston, Suffolk as granted by Mid Suffolk District Council's Planning Department.	
	b) DC/21/01153 – Clerk to provide an update on the provision of the amended footpath/cycleway	
	to serve new residential development (College Park) together with landscaping, tree planting	
	and boudnary fencing at Thurston Community College	
	c) To note receipt of the letter from SCC in relation to the Thurston Community College -	
	Expansion of Main Campus to 1650 Places – pre-application planning consultation Monday 28	
	June 2021 to Friday 16 July 2021 - https://www.suffolk.gov.uk/council-and-	
	democracy/consultations-petitions-and-elections/consultations/thurstoncc/ Council to consider	
	whether it wishes to submit a response	
	d) DC/21/03706 – Application for prior – demolition – application to determine if prior approval is	
	required for a proposed demolition of building(s). The Town and Country Planning (General	
	Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 (as amended) – Schedule 2, Part 11, Class B -	
	demolition of former piggery buildings @ Mill Farm, Barton Road.	
10.	To consider matters relating to Network Rail: to receive an update from the Clerk on the feasibility	8.30
	study relating to the Thurston Station Level Crossing to be carried out by Network Rail following the	
	granting of funds against the Infrastructure (CIL) Bid Round Five.	
11.	Finance - to view all associated papers please use the following web-link:	8.35
	https://thurstonparishcouncil.uk/parish-council/agendas-and-minutes/	
	a) To approve the accounts awaiting payment including those coming forth (Paper 1- 07.07.21)	
	b) To note the accounts paid since the last meeting (Paper 2 – 07.07.21)	
	c) To note receipts allocated since the last meeting (Paper 3 – 07.07.21)	
	d) To consider and receive the Bank Reconciliation for the period ending 31.05.21 (Paper 4 -	
	07.07.21)	
	e) To receive an update on the monies held under the CIL Reserve and monies expended to date on	
	projects identified in the Parish Infrastructure and Investment Plan (Paper 5 – 07.07.21)	
	f) To consider applications as submitted under Thurston Neighbourhood CIL Bid Round 1 (Paper 6 –	
	07.07.21)	
	g) To agree to the cost to replace the lanterns at the column outside of 20 Heather Road with a	
	more energy efficient LED lantern at a cost of £457.11	
12.	To consider further a partnerhsip with the PCC in the production of a Community Newsletter	9.05
	confidential report entitled Thurston Newsletter refers	
13.	Councillor Reports:	9.15
	a) To report village matters of concern to the Clerk	
14.	Clerks Report – to receive information from the Clerk and Deputy Clerk and in particular:	9.20
	a) to receive the reports of items actioned under delegated powers	
	b) HM Lord-Lieutenant for Suffolk – Festival of Suffolk 2022 – invitation to join in to celebrate the	
	Queen's Platinum Jubilee in the Festival of Suffolk being planned – nomination requested to be a	
	Festival Community Champion to be part of the county-wide network to share plans and ideas	
	for the celebration	
	c) SALC - The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Central Weekend 2022 -	
	https://www.salc.org.uk/2021/06/23/103016/ to note the press release detailing events to take	
	place over the extended bank holiday Thurday 2 nd June to Sunday 5 th June 2022.	
	d) Ixworth Patients Association – Council to consider nominating a contact point to enable the	
	assocation to keep the Coucnil informed on plans to develop patient participation thereby	
	ensuring Thurston patietns have active representation.	
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	e) to receive items of correspondence for noting only	
15.	To confirm the date of future meetings: all taking place in the Thurston Community Library unless	9.30
	advised otherwise	
	a) 21st July 2021 – Planning Committee Meeting – commencing at 7.00pm	
	b) 28th July 2021 - Recreational Facilities Meeting— commencing at 6.00pm	
	c) 28 th July 2021 – Climate Awareness and Environmental Committee – commencing at 7.00pm	
	d) 31 st July 2021 – Policy and Resources Committee – commencing at 10.30am - venue to be	
	confirmed	
	e) 4 th August 2021 – full Council Meeting– commencing at 7.00pm	
16.	To resolve that under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the public be excluded	9.35
	from the meeting due to the confidential nature of the business to be discussed - none to be	
	transacted	
17.	Close of the Meeting	9.35

Victoria S Waples
Victoria S Waples, Proper Officer to the Council 30.06.2021

