

**The next meeting of Ousden Parish Council will take place on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2022 at 6p.m. in Ousden Village Hall.**

**Members of the public are welcome. There will be a public session near the start of the meeting to give members of the public and opportunity to speak to councillors informally about items on the agenda. Members of the public may stay and observe the rest of the meeting but may not address the Council.**

#### **AGENDA**

1. To accept apologies and reason for absence.
2. Declaration of interest by Councillors in items on the agenda.
3. To approve the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022.
4. Public session (15 minutes).
5. County Councillors Report.
6. District Councillor's report.
7. Police issues
8. To receive an update on the list of actions agreed at the last meeting.
9. To discuss the following financial issues:
  - a) Approval of payments and signing of Schedule of Payments.
  - b) Approval of payments authorised between meetings.
  - c) Approval of the record of receipts and payments made since the last meeting.
  - d) Bank balances as of 26<sup>th</sup> October 2022 and confirmation of bank reconciliation.
  - e) Signatory to complete the checklist of Internal Controls.
  - f) Contribution of £100 to Suffolk County Council for the Quiet Lanes project.
  - g) Budget 2022/23, financial summary and reserves balance.
  - h) Email from West Suffolk Council about proposed changes to the Local Council Tax Reduction Scheme in 2023-24.
  - i) Email from West Suffolk Council about elections costs in May 2023.
10. To discuss any planning issues.
11. To discuss any highways/Rights of Way issues/tree/transport issues.
  - a) Update on the Quiet Lanes Project.
  - b) Update on the speeding forum attended by John Gale and possible measures to tackle speeding in Ousden (Setting up a Community Speedwatch scheme, 20mph speed zone).
  - c) Update on the damaged road sign in Lady's Green
  - d) East Suffolk Council's Rural Mobility Survey
12. Update on the "Essentials of a Good Employer" training attended by the clerk.
13. To discuss any village issues
  - a) Tree planting on 29<sup>th</sup> November 2022.
  - b) Dog bin in Rockall
  - c) Community Governance Review decision notice for Dunstall Green Road.
14. To discuss the following correspondence:
  - a) Email from Peter Gergely about his photographic service of historical buildings and churches.
15. Any other business for noting or including on the agenda of the meeting on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2023.