

The next meeting of Ousden Parish Council will take place on Tuesday 12th September 2023 at 6pm in Ousden Village Hall.

Members of the public are welcome to join the meeting and can speak to councillors during the public session. 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 and dispensation requests.
3. To approve the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 11th July 2023.
4. Public session (10 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 and confirmation of bank reconciliation as of 30th August 2023
 - e) Six-month budget review.
 - f) Purchase of a poppy wreath and donation and approval of online payment.
 - g) Updating the bank mandate.
 - h) Electricity contract for St Barnabas.
 - j) Insurance renewal.
10. To discuss any planning issues.
11. To discuss any highways/Rights of Way issues/tree/transport issues.
 - a) Update on the 20's Plenty for Suffolk campaign and the possibility of writing to Suffolk County Council to ask them to review their speeding policy.
 - b) Replacement circular bench.
12. To discuss the following correspondence:
 - a) Email from West Suffolk Council about Green Suffolk's Thermal Imaging Camera's Loan project.
 - b) Information from Suffolk County Council about the Multiply Suffolk project offering bespoke coaching, training, and mentoring to support people into learning and employment across Suffolk by improving maths skills.
 - c) Email from Headway Suffolk about their new brain injury rehab hub in Haverhill.
 - d) Letter from SARS requesting a donation.
13. Any other business for noting or including on the agenda of the meeting on Tuesday 14th November 2023.
14. To resolve to exclude press and public under the Public Bodies (Admissions to Meetings) Act 1960: the public and press be excluded for the remainder of the meeting because of the likely disclosure of private and confidential information
 - a) To discuss staffing matters.