

Members of the Council you are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of

Kington Town Council

to be held on Monday 2nd October 2023 at 7.00pm

at The Old Police Station, Market Hall Street, Kington HR5 3DP for the purpose of transacting the following business.

Agenda

- 1. To receive apologies for absence, declarations of interest and requests for dispensation
- 2. To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on <u>4th September 2023</u>
- 3. Public participation:
 - a) Police report
 - Police Report
 - \circ To reconsider police priorities going forward
 - b) To receive the Ward Councillors Report
 - c) To receive questions from members of the public present
- 4. Mayor's Report
- 5 Clerk's Report

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- **Financial Matters**
 - a) To authorise payments now due
 - b) To note amounts received since the last meeting
 - c) To consider request from Kington Recreation Ground Trust for payments from the grant award for the current year
 - d) Cash Management:
 - i. To consider opening of an account with the <u>CCLA Public Sector Deposit Fund</u> ("PSDF") with an initial deposit of up to £100,000
 - ii. To set the nominated account for transfers to and from the PSDF account as the main Town Council account with Unity Trust Bank
 - iii. That the signatories for the new account be the same signatories as for other Town Council accounts, i.e. two named councillors to authorise all transactions
 - iv. To authorise the Finance and General Purposes Committee to manage the PSDF account including agreeing transfers to and from the account to the nominated, with all transfers being reported to the next meeting of the Town Council.
- 8. Market Town Maintenance Fund: Update
- 9. Update on Zebra Crossing for Kington
- 10. Planning Matters
 - a) To consider response to planning applications:

- Site: The Old Picture House, 46 Bridge Street
- Dev: Change of use from nil use to use as a function room, art gallery and occasional cinema

Ref: <u>232679</u>

Site: Tanglewood, Kingswood Road

- Dev: New build double garage
- b) To note update on application ref <u>223150</u> and consider whether to make further representations in the light of an appeal to the Secretary of State
- 11. Churchyard: Update on maintenance and tree work
- 12. Training:
 - a) To consider requests for councillor training, if any
 - b) To consider staff training request
- 13. To note reports from Committees:
 - a) Planning Committee held <u>18th September 2023</u>
 - b) Services Committee held <u>18th September 2023</u>
- 19. Information only item: Reports from councillors
- 20. Items for the next agenda and date and time of next meeting
- 21. Exclusion of press and public
 - To consider the resolution that due to the confidential nature of the business of the next two agenda items, that members of the public be excluded from the following agenda items in accordance with the provisions of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 (3)
- 22. Correspondence received
- 23. Update on licence to use the Market Hall

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In the interests of the health and well being of councillors, staff and members of the public in at tendance, please do not attend this meeting if you are unwell whether or not you have tested positive for covid.