

RODE PARISH COUNCIL

I hereby give notice of a Meeting of Rode Parish Council
To be held in Memorial Hall, Rode
on Tuesday 5th April 2022 at 7.30pm



Dated: 30 March 2022

Hugh Williams, Clerk to Rode PC

AGENDA

1. **Parishioners' Participation:** (to last no longer than 15 minutes) Comments/decisions will only be made during this session if appropriate. Items raised maybe added to the next agenda for full discussion.
2. **Apologies for absence**
3. **Approval of minutes of the meeting held on 8th March 2022**
4. **Councillors Declaration of interest**
5. **Report from County Councillor**
6. **Report from District Councillor**
7. **Actions from the previous meeting**
 - i) Trees – a) Trees along Merfield boundary; b) tree survey around village - update
 - ii) Clock above The Cross Keys – update on repairs and to consider further maintenance
 - iii) Footpath from Church Farm estate to playing field: a) concerns over its surface and progress report; b) to consider extra fencing; c) surface through small wood
 - vi) The Mead possible unauthorised development – update
 - v) Rode Spring Clean – 10th April, plans
8. **Climate Change**

Working Group survey of village - update
9. **Highways issues**
 - i) Bradford Road/Rode Hill junction further accidents – 5 since Christmas. To note site meeting with Somerset is due to be held on 12th April
 - ii) Memorandum of Understanding with SCC, meeting due to be held on 7th April to complete
 - iii) The Sportsman, progress on adoption
10. **Planning matters**
 - a. New applications

2022/0557/TPO: To crown lift holm oak and cut down cypress – 16 High Street

2022/0482/HSE: Two rear and side extension with front elevational changes and associated works – 11 The Mead
 - b. Mendip decisions

2021/2641/TCA: To reduce height of birch and apple tree – 7 Langham Place. Approved.
 - c. Other planning matters

2021/0071/OTS: Development of Barbara's Field to build up to 49 dwellings. Update on appeal by developer.

To consider meeting with Simon Steel-Perkins to discuss possible S106 agreement requirements for Barbara's Field and to agree key Parish Council requirements.

NB: The Council reserves the right to consider planning applications not listed on this agenda that may have been received by the Council after the agenda was issued.

11. Playing field

Rode Playing Fields Constitution – progress on new Constitution

12. Queens Jubilee

Update on the planned events for 4th June.

13. Death of a Senior National Figure

To note information circulated by Mendip – to consider whether Rode needs to do anything yet

14. NALC letter to smaller Councils

To consider whether Rode specifically requires help on any issues/points raised.

15. Elections on 5th May

To note number of Nomination Papers returned to Mendip for Parish Council elections.

16. Bus services in Rode and surrounding areas

Any update on current Bus Back Better initiative.

17. Annual Parish Meeting

To agree date for the Annual Parish Meeting (must be held between 9th May and 23rd May)

18. Financial matters

- i) Asset register – to approve
- ii) To agree payments

19. Items for next agenda/Items to report/Any other business

20. Date of next meeting

To confirm Tuesday 3rd May for next meeting

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