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17th May 2022

The Chairman and Members of the Council,

NOTICE OF MEETING

You are summoned to attend the meeting of Buxted Parish Council to be held on **Tuesday 23rd May** 2023 in Five Ash Down Village Hall directly following the planning committee meeting.

The public have a right and are welcome to attend and at the discretion of the Chairman, members of the public may ask questions prior to the commencement of the business proper.

AGENDA

- 1 Election of Chairman of the Council for the forthcoming year
- 2 Signing of Declaration of Acceptance of Office by the new Chairman
- 3 Election of Vice Chairman of the Council
- 4 Apologies for absence
- 5 Declarations of members' interests in respect of items on this agenda
- 6 Minutes of the 11th April 2023 meeting (previously circulated) to be confirmed and signed
- 7 ESCC/WDC report
- 8 Appointment of Members to Committees
- 9 Reading Room Disposal of Reading Room consideration of valuations
- 10 Outstanding matters For Information Only unless otherwise stated:
 - Mobile Phone Coverage
 - > Public footpaths
 - > Trees
 - Road Safety
 - ➤ Wealden Local Development Framework Local Plan
 - > Property issues
 - Nevill Road possible disposal update
 - Request to ESCC to replace ESCC Sign with Fingerpost update
 - Buxted Recreation Ground request to ESCC regarding access
 - > Communications Matters: Website
- 11 Correspondence as listed and subsequently updated and circulated at the meeting

- 12 Committee meetings
- Finance: (i) to approve invoices for payment to be tabled ii) To note CIL funds receipt £33,781.93 from WDC in April 2023 iii) To note the CIL return to WDC shows expenditure of £6,600 of CIL funds during the finance year 2022-2023
- 14 Reports on other meetings attended by members
- 15 Members questions
- 16 Announcements a) Chairman of the Council; b) Clerk to the Council **The Dene Uckfield TC maintenance**

R Macklen, Clerk to the Council

Copy to ESCC Cllr R Galley, WDC Cllr Illingworth

See below: ongoing issues reported to ESCC Highways:

DATE RAISED	CASE NO	DESCRIPTION	OPEN/CLOSED RESOLUTION
21/01/2021 ONGOING	00539076	Blocked drain outside St Mary's Church, Church Road, Buxted	25/1 – passed to officer to investigate
24/04/2023 CLOSED	00826817	Request to replace metal signs to fingerpost – Coopers Green traffic lights	24/04 – acknowledged by ESCC 26/04 – Response from ESCC. Not allowed to replace the sign of safety grounds. If a fingerpost on an A or B class road is required to be replaced, it has to be replaced with a 'passively safe sign'. An oak post is not considered as such.

Ionides Trust Update 16th May 2023

- 1. Apologies
- 2. Declarations of Interest
- 3. Proposals for new Scout Hut update
 4. Buxted Bonfire Society Request for grant towards Buxted Fete
- 5. Wild camping on site6. Cherry Trees