FARINGDON TOWN COUNCIL

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Clerk: Sally Thurston

To: Members of Faringdon Town Council

You are summoned to attend a Town Council meeting to be held on Wednesday 13th September 2017 at 7.15pm in the Jubilee Room, the Pump House, Faringdon

Press & Public are invited to attend.

AGENDA

1. Apologies for Absence

To receive and approve

2. Minutes of last meeting

To agree and sign as a correct record of the annual meeting held on Thursday 31st August 2017 (attached)

3. Declarations of Interest & requests for dispensations

Members are reminded of their responsibility to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest which they may have in any item of business on the agenda no later than when the item is reached. Unless dispensation is granted, you must withdraw from the room when the meeting discusses and votes on the matter.

4. Public Speaking and Question Time

This period is designated for public speaking accordance with Standing Order 3 (f). Members of the public are welcome to speak on any business itemised on the agenda for up to 3 minutes. Questions will be restricted to one from each member of public, or a maximum of 3 per meeting. Written notice of questions must be received by the Clerk at least 3 working days before the meeting.

5. Reports from Outside Bodies

To receive reports.

6. County Councillor's Report

To receive a report from County Cllr. Judith Heathcoat (attached)

7. District Councillors' Report

To receive a report from District Cllr. Roger Cox (to follow)

8. Chairman's Activity Report

To receive an activity report from Town Mayor, Cllr. Mike Wise (to follow)

9. Reports from Committees

To receive minutes and reports of the following committee meetings, including decisions taken under delegated authority:

- a) Finance and Audit Committee: 24th July 2017 (attached)
- b) Facilities Committee: 19th July 2017: (attached)
- c) Planning & Highways: 26th July and 30th August 2017 (to follow)

10. Clerk's Report & Schedule of Payments

To receive and consider the schedule of payments up to and including September 13th 2017 (to follow)

11. Policies and Regulations

To consider approving the following as recommended by the Finance and Audit Committee:

- a) Financial Regulations
- b) Reserves Policy
- c) Grant Policy

12. Spurgeons Service Level Agreement

To receive and consider a service level agreement with Spurgeons to provide a Children and Family Project in Faringdon.

13. Christmas Lights

To receive and consider a recommendation to appoint a contractor to install new Christmas light infrastructure (to follow)

14. Crime

To discuss current crime levels in Faringdon and consider a request from the Facilities Committee to write a letter to the Police and Crime Commissioner outlining concern about

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	the lack of a local neighbourhood team and slow response to reported incidents at Tuckers Park.
15	Cotswold Hare Trail
	To consider taking part in the Cotswold Hare trail
16	Sensory Garden
	To consider a request to write a letter of support for the Sensory Garden to assist them in
	grant applications.
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	To consider requests for nominations for the following:
	a) VWHDC Chairman's Unsung Hero's Lunch
	b) Royal Garden Party
18	Town and Parish Forum
	To nominate two Town Councillors to attend the Town and Parish Forum to be held on
	Wednesday 8 th November 2017.
19	Wantage Independent Advice Centre
	To appoint a Town Councillor as a Trustee
20	Items for Information Only (to follow)
	A letter of indorsement has been sent to the Medical Centre to assist in an s106
	application.
21	Correspondence
	To receive, for information only, correspondence from 12 th July 2017 up to and including

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Town Clerk