

STURMINSTER NEWTON TOWN COUNCIL

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Dear Councillors

You are summoned to attend a meeting of the Amenities Committee which will be held on **Thursday 23rd November 2023 at 7.15pm** in the Council Chamber.



Members are reminded that the Council has a general duty to consider the following matters in the exercise of any of its functions: Equal Opportunities (race, gender, sexual orientation, marital status, religion, belief or disability), Crime & Disorder, Health and Safety and Human Rights.

Only agenda items where the indicated function is to approve or decide may be decided at this meeting. Other items are for information only and no decision can be taken upon them unless and until raised at a later meeting.

- 23/24/188 To receive comments and questions from members of the public. Members of the public are invited to raise any matter and speak for up to three minutes. The Council cannot discuss matters raised unless they already appear on this Agenda.
- 23/24/189 To receive apologies for absence.
- 23/24/190 To receive declarations of interest and approve any written applications for dispensations.
- 23/24/191 To approve the minutes of the previous Amenities Committee meeting held on 28th September 2023 and update on recommendations – attached.
- 23/24/192 To receive an update on projects and works in progress.
- 23/24/193 To consider development of an emergency contingency plan and agree further actions.
- 23/24/194 To consider development of a biodiversity policy and agree further actions.
- 23/24/195 To receive a report from the Grounds Manager and agree further actions.
- 23/24/196 To receive information from members and discuss proposals for future business.

Kate Squire Town Clerk

17th November 2023