Chetwynd Aston & Woodcote Parish Council

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29th May 2025

To all Members, Chetwynd Aston & Woodcote Parish Council Copied to others for information.

Dear Colleagues

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of Chetwynd Aston & Woodcote Parish Council for the municipal year 2024/25 will take place on the **4**th **June 2025 at 7:30pm** to be held at Church & Chetwynd Aston Village Hall. Members are summoned to attend for the transaction of business on this agenda.

Please note that this meeting was originally scheduled for 28th May 2025, however due to the meeting not being quorate it was postponed and rescheduled.

Mr C Furnival, Clerk & RFO

AGENDA

01.2025/26 Election of Chairman

The outgoing Chairman to give a short oral report on the work of the Parish Council through 2024/25 and to elect a Chairman to serve the municipal year 2025/26

02.2025/26 Chairman's Declaration of Acceptance of Office

The Chairman will be required to read out the declaration and sign.

03.2025/26 Election of Vice Chairman

To elect a Vice Chairman to serve the municipal year 2025/26

04.2025/26 Vice Chairman's Declaration of Acceptance of Office

The Vice Chairman will be required to read out the declaration and sign.

05.2025/26 Apologies and declarations of Interest

To receive apologies and record any non-pecuniary declarations of interest in matters relating to the business to be contacted on this agenda.

06.2025/26 Co-Option

Members to consider any eligible nominations for the vacancy for co-option and if resolved the named individual shall make their declaration in presence of the Proper Officer.

07.2025/26 Public Session

Members of the public to ask questions to the council, 15 minutes is set aside for this item, but may be extended by the Chairman.

08.2025/26 Reports from Telford & Wrekin Council

To receive any reports from the Ward Member for Church Aston & Lilleshall.

09.2025/26 Reports from West Mercia Police

To receive any reports from the Safer Neighbourhood Team.

10.2025/26 Reports from Parish Councillors

To receive any reports from Parish Councillors relating to matters affecting the Parish or any outside body reports.

11.2025/26 Confirmation of meeting dates and arrangements for 2025/26

Members to consider a calendar of meetings for the municipal year 2025/26

12.2025/26 Confirmation of Policies & Procedures

Members to consider adoption and the re-adoption of the following policies and consider any amendments:

- i. Financial Regulations
- ii. Standing Orders
- iii. Members Code of Conduct
- iv. Publication Scheme
- v. Vexatious Communications Policy
- vi. Health & Safety Policy
- vii. Accessibility Statement
- viii. Privacy Policy

13.2025/26 Annual Subscriptions

Members to consider approval of the following subscriptions to continue past current membership:

- i. Shropshire Association of Local Councils
- ii. CPRE The countryside charity

14.2025/26 Representatives on Outside Bodies

Members to appoint representatives to the outside bodies as follows;

- i. Shropshire Association of Local Councils
- ii. Church & Chetwynd Aston Village Hall
- iii. Telford & Wrekin Rural Forum
- iv. Newport Regeneration Partnership

15.2025/26 Appointment of Designated Responsibilities

Members to appoint representatives to the designated responsibilities as listed:

- i. Safeguarding Officer
- ii. Emergency Plan Lead Officer
- iii. Snow Warden

16.2025/26 Minutes of the meeting held 26th March 2025

Copies have been distributed to members of the Council and will be displayed on the website.

17.2025/26 Matters arising, for information, from the 26th March 2025 minutes not otherwise on the agenda

18.2025/26 Review of Parish Matters

Members to review the log of outstanding actions relating to the parish.

19.2025/26 Correspondence

To consider any items for discussion or consider actions appropriate.

i. Community Governance Review 2025

20.2025/26 Layby adjacent to The Nook, Pave Lane

Members to consider quotes for this proposal.

21.2025/26 Planning

- i. To consider comments on any planning applications.
- ii. To note planning applications refused/approved since last meeting.
- iii. To note any enforcement cases relating to the parish.
- iv. To receive any updates in relation to the Local Plan Review.

22.2025/26 Financial Reports

- i. To approve the schedule of payments for May 2025 and consider the month-end bank reconciliation for April.
- **ii.** To receive the Internal Auditors Report for 2024/25 and approve the Annual Governance Statements and resolve to certify exempt from External Audit.
- **iii.** To consider a declaration that this council meetings the eligibility for the General Power of Competence.

Next meeting: 23rd July 2025, 7:30pm at Church & Chetwynd Aston Village Hall