

Stowe Nine Churches Parish Council

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Parish Council Meeting

All members of the Council are summoned to attend a Meeting of Stowe Nine Churches Parish Council on-line on **Wednesday 10th March 2021 at 8.00pm** for the purpose of transacting the following business.

Signed: *Linda Carter*

Clerk & Proper Officer to Stowe Nine Churches Parish Council.

Date: 6th March 2021

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87122729232?pwd=cDBKYm1YWFl4dkx0SjlkVG9tZkVoQT09>

Meeting ID: 871 2272 9232

Passcode: 636775

Members of the public are welcome to attend.

AGENDA

1746. Apologies for absence.

1747. Declarations of interest for items on the agenda.

1748. Minutes

To sign and approve the minutes of the meeting of the Council dated 18th January 2021.

1749. Matters arising from previous minutes for update only.

1750. District Councillors

An opportunity for District Councillor(s) to provide updates on matters of local interest

1751. Planning applications received.

New Applications

DA/2021/0154 The Dovecote, Main Street, Church Stowe, NN7 4SG

Removal of garden pergola. Construction of single storey garden room with heat pump

DA/2021/0018 Home Farm, Francis Row, Upper Stowe, Northamptonshire, NN7 4SL

Demolition of part of stone boundary wall, construction of garage, formation of new vehicular access and re-building of stone boundary wall (part retrospective).

DA/2021/0018 Home Farm, Francis Row, Upper Stowe, Northamptonshire, NN7 4SL

Listed Building Consent for demolition of part of stone wall, to be reconstructed using new stone to form the front face of a new garage with associated new vehicular access.

1752. Planning approvals – Review of past planning applications.

DA/2020/1058 - Land Adj To Old School House, Main Street, Church Stowe, NN7 4SG

DA/2015/1164 – Land adjoining Sheepfold Grange, Main Street, Upper Stowe.

DA/2015/0195 – Land at Stowe Hill, Watling Street, Weedon

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1753. Highways Matters

To report back on enquiries to Northamptonshire Highways.

1754. Statement of accounts/accounts for payment.

i.	Statement of account at Lloyds Bank – current balance is	£3603.93
ii.	To approve payments: NCALC Training	£88.00
	Clerks Salary Dec- March	£561.60
	HMRC	£140.40
	123 Domain Renewal	£28.78
	TOTAL	£778.78

1755. Effectiveness of Internal Control and Risk management

To review the Risk register for the Council and to receive the Clerk's report on the effectiveness of its internal control.

1756. Appointment of Internal Auditor

To confirm that the Council will continue to use the Internal Audit Scheme provided by NCALC for the end of year audit.

1757. Footpath Report

FE1, 2 and 3 are OK

FE4 - OK both north and south of the road

FE5 - OK but the path is still obstructed by a small fallen tree in the spinney

FE6 - OK but still a small tree down across the path on the field side of the kissing gate

FE7 - OK. A great job has been done on rebuilding the steps down to the A5.

1758. Community Defibrillators.

Power to the kiosk in Upper Stowe has been restored.

1759. Community Litter Pick

To consider organising a community litter pick when Covid-19 regulations allow.

1760. Historic Memorials

1761. Village Benches

Work on bench at Old School Room still to be completed.

1762. Northants County Council.

1763. Daventry District Council.

1764. Broadband

Works by Gigaclear have been completed and residents are now able to be connected. Currently no issues raised by residents other than concern re verges

1765. NCALC.

Regular updates on progress towards Unitary Authorities with Vesting Day is 1st April 2021
Appointment of Police Liaison Representative – NCALC are co-ordinating this.

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1766. Elections

Councillors have been provided with a link to the nomination forms, and this link will be publicised on the website. Polling numbers for proposers and seconders are available from the Clerk, and consideration needs to be given to recruiting additional candidates.

1767. CPRE

Nothing to report.

1768. Complaints.

Complaints regarding drainage in Church Stowe have been reported to NCC Highways but are unlikely to be actioned until the new financial year (after 1st April).

1769. A5

1770. Matters for information

Election Nomination Forms – link circulated
Census 2021

1771. Future Meeting dates

12th April and 24th May