

MERE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

MONDAY 4TH DECEMBER, 2023 AT MERE & TABLEY COMMUNITY CLUB

starting at 7:45pm

AGENDA

- 1 **Apologies** – For unavoidable absence
- 2 **Minutes** - To approve the minutes of Mere Parish Council meeting minutes held on 16th October.
- 3 **Declaration of Interests** – To receive members declarations of interest
- 4 **Casual Vacancies** – There is one vacancy still available. Have any names been put forward to consider?
- 5 **Police Report** - To receive the report from PC Milman
- 6 **Manchester Airport** – To receive the report from Cllr Newnes, Mere PC Airport Representative
- 7 **HS2** – To discuss the latest news as to how it will affect the parish of Mere. Report From Mr Hennerley
- 8 **B5569** – Seeking advice from local MP upon lack of response from Cheshire East Council
- 9 **Dobb Lane** – To receive the report from Cllr Wright on restricted right of way issues.
- 10 **Fireworks Event – 4th November 2023** – To receive a review upon how the event went.
- 11 **Kings Coronation** – To decide if a bench will be purchased to commemorate the Kings Coronation
- 12 **Kilton Inn** – Review on public consultation about future plans by AG Hotels.
- 13 **The Swan Development** – Concern raised by resident about preserving the millstone.
- 14 **Mere Parish Council’s Risk Assessment** – To be reviewed.
- 15 **Clerk’s Salary** – Information received from ChALC about salary increase as of the 1st April 23.
- 16 **Planning Application Details** – To receive the report on new and approved planning applications
- 17 **Responsible Financial Officer Report**
- 18 **Accounts For Payment** –To agree the schedule of payments as follows:

i. Poppy Wreath	£0025.00
ii. Raffle ticket books	£0014.95
iii. Raffle Prizes	£0053.29
iv. Lightech Sound and Light Ltd	£1755.00
- 19 **Budget and Setting Precept for 2024/25** - To review the budget against actual figures
- 20 **New Business**
 - i. **Cheshire Fire Authority 2024-28 Draft Community Risk Management Plan** – To consider if and how the council wishes to respond.
 - ii. **The Mayor of Knutsford’s Annual Quiz Night, 1st Feb 24** – To consider the council’s response.
 - iii. **Cheshire East Strategic Leisure Review – Consultation Launch** - To consider how the council wishes to respond.
- 21 **The date of the next meeting is 15th January, 2024, starting 7:45pm.** To be held at Mere and Tabley Community Club. Remaining dates for 2024 are: Mar 18th, May 13th, Jul 22nd, Sep 16th, Oct 21st and Dec 2nd
- 22 **Items Introduced By Councillors** – To receive reports from councillors.