**BISHOPSTONE PARISH COUNCIL 636**

**Agenda of the Parish Council meeting to be held at Hinton Parva Village Hall at 7.30pm on Monday 7th July, 2025**

Members of the public or press are welcome to observe all parish council meetings and may raise issues and ask questions before the meeting, in public question time. Plans can be viewed via <http://pa1.swindon.gov.uk/publicaccess> by entering the application number.

1. **Public Question Time**
2. **Approved Apologies**
3. **Declarations of Interest**
4. **Minutes of Last Meeting** 2nd June, 2025

1. **Matters Arising**
2. **Planning**

**S/25/0667** Construction of an equine menage at Oaktrees, Russley Park, **Comments by 8/7**

**S/25/0666/REPPER** Land At Mount Pleasant Farm, Mount Pleasant Farm Lane,

Horpit. Construction, operation, maintenance and decommissioning of a ground-mounted solar farm complete with landscaping, associated infrastructure and temporary access.

**PENDING DETERMINATION**

**S/HOU/25/0046** Erection of gabion retaining wall (retrospective) at The Rails, Oxon Place, Bishopstone.

**S/HOU/24/1148** Erection of two storey rear extension and front porch at 2 Mount Pleasant Farm Cottages, Mount Pleasant Farm Lane, Horpit.

Redlands Eastern Villages applications numbers S/RES/21/0584/EDSN; S/RES/21/0607/EDSN; S/RES/21/0498/EDSN; S/RES/21/0867/EDSN; S/OUT/23/0456 Redlands Phase 2 S/OUT/22/1415; S/OUT/23/1514 Foxbridge S/OUT/20/0160; S/EIA/24/1403/MORGAP.

**GRANTED**

**S/HOU/25/0375** Installation of 20 x solar panels on the south and west facing roofs at 9 Whatleys Orchard, Bishopstone.

**S/HOU/25/0533 and S/LBC/25/0534** Erection of single-storey side extension and alterations to porch canopy and existing window at Poveys Cottage, Tuckers Lane, Hinton Parva.

**S/AGRI/25/0319** Demolition of existing agricultural rural worker's dwelling and outbuilding and the erection of a replacement dwelling, detached garage with ancillary accommodation, hard and soft landscaping works and new access at Starveall Farm Cottage, Track To Starveall Farm, Foxhill.

**APPEAL**

**S/LDP/24/1400** Certificate of Lawfulness (proposed) for the removal of a retaining garden wall to create vehicle access at 2 Church Row, Hinton Parva.

**S/HOU/25/0027** Erection of a 1.8 metre high perimeter fence (retrospective) at The Rails, Oxon Place, Bishopstone**.**

1. **Report from Ward Cllr Gary Sumner**

1. **Parish Council vacancy** VB
2. **Proposed policies**  GM/KM
3. **SBC response to safety and planning issues** VB

1. **Key Area updates**
* Finance (LM)
* Footpaths and Highways (JC/IT)
* Pond and Island (SB/IT)
* Hinton Village Hall (KW)
* Bishopstone Village Hall (SB)
* Hinton Parva Charities (JC)
* Bishopstone United Charities (DS)
* Trees (JC/IT)
* Planning (IT)
* Website/IT
* Policies (GM)
* School Liaison (LM)
* Responsible Financial Officer (JB)
* Russley Park (JC)

1. **Best Kept Village competition** VB
2. **Community Safety** VB
3. **Accounts to be paid:** see Appendix 1 JB
4. **Parishioners Feedback/Complaints** All
5. **Date and Venue of Next Meeting** The next meeting date is 4th August at Bishopstone Village Hall, 7.30pm. Any changes will be posted on noticeboards, website and Facebook.

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| **Accounts to be paid****SUPPLIER**Jaine Blackman Clerk’s salary - no need for ratification agreed by CouncilAllbuild Lengthman’s invoice - no need for ratification agreed by Council1&1 Internet host services - no need for ratification agreed by Council | **APPENDIX 1** | **Amount**£511£525 (£437.50 plus £87.50 VAT @ 20%)£7.20 (£6 plus £1.20p VAT @ 20%) |