

Okehampton Town Council

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Emma James Town Clerk

29<sup>th</sup> January 2024

Dear Councillor

You are summoned to attend a meeting of the Planning Committee to be held on 5<sup>th</sup> February 2024 at 7pm in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Fore Street, Okehampton.

Committee Membership consists of the following:

Cllr T Leech (Chairman) Cllr M Ireland (Vice-Chairman) Cllr C Holt (Chairman, Parks) Cllr L Bird Cllr T Cummings Cllr A Fisher (Mayor) Cllr J Yelland (Chairman, Policy & Resources) Cllr R Colman (Chairman, Property) Cllr M Richards

Yours faithfully

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## AGENDA

This meeting will be livestreamed through the Council's Facebook page. Persons attending will be captured on film except when seated in the public seating area, with the exclusion of the first row. Any speech may be picked up and broadcast.

A fire alarm drill is not planned. In the event that the alarm sounds, please make your way out of the building using either staircase and make your way to the meeting point in Red Lion Yard where you are asked to await further instructions.

Urgent items - items for <u>information only</u> can be brought to the attention of the Council at the discretion of the Chairman at the end of the meeting. No decision can be taken on items not detailed on the published agenda.

## Business to be Transacted.

- 1. <u>Apologies for Absence</u> To receive apologies for absence from those Members unable to attend.
- <u>Declarations of Interest</u> To receive disclosures of interests from Councillors on matters to be considered at the Meeting. The disclosure shall include the nature of the interest. If a Member becomes aware, during the course of the Meeting, of an interest that has not been disclosed they must do so immediately.

- 3. <u>Public Participation</u> To receive questions or comments from members of public. (Please note that decisions cannot be made on items not detailed on the agenda.)
- 4. <u>Members' Questions</u> To receive questions from Members regarding the workings of the Committee.
- 5. <u>Planning Applications</u> To consider the following applications:

<u>3984/23/FUL</u> Refurbishment of café/restaurant to form 3 x commercial units including café at lower ground and ground level; change of use at first floor and second floor level to 5 x apartments.

4 Market Street, Okehampton EX20 1HN Comments by 8<sup>th</sup> February 2024

<u>3933/23/TPO</u> T19-T21 Ash – veteranize to approximately 4m AGL due to ash die back, T1162: Ash – remove to ground level due to ash die back. All Saints Church of England, Vicarage Road, Okehampton EX20 1LE **Comments by 20<sup>th</sup> February 2024** 

<u>0283/24/TPO</u> T08: Beech – crown reduce height and spread by 2m due to risk of damage in high winds. Land at SX 595 953 Okehampton Comments by 21<sup>st</sup> February 2024

## To note

**4219/23/TCA** T1 – Ash, fell due to dieback disease (referred to as T004 in the Tree Survey/Risk Assessment), T2 – Sycamore, crown lift of lowest hanging branch to a height of 8 meters from ground level, this being the height at which the branch joins the tree trunk, to allow use of the area and increase light levels. Cemetery Extension, South Church Lane, Okehampton EX20 1LE

6. <u>Payment of Invoices</u> – To resolve to approve the payment of invoices as per schedule.