



Hullbridge Parish Council

Environment & Open Spaces Committee

To be held on Wednesday 15 11 2023

7.00 pm

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Hullbridge Parish Council Office, 98 Ferry Road, Hullbridge, SS5 6EX

Members: Cllr C. Agius (Chairman); Cllr I. Kenlin (Vice Chairman); Cllr J. O'Brien; Cllr H. Gilbert, D. Flack.

Staff: Mrs Nicola Harding (Clerk)/Mrs Julie Mullet (Assistant Clerk)

Dear Councillors,

You are accordingly invited to attend a **Environment and Open Spaces Committee** Meeting to be held on Wednesday 15th November at the Parish Office at 7.00pm, when the undermentioned business is proposed to be transacted. Please note that under the Local Government Act 1972 Schedule 12 p10(2) a Council cannot lawfully decide any matter that is not specified on the agenda. Please advise prior to the meeting if you require additional information on any agenda item.

Yours Sincerely,

N. Harding

Nicola Harding
Clerk to the Council

Agenda

(Residents and Press welcome to attend)

1. **Apologies for Absence**
1.1 To *receive* apologies for absence.
2. **Approval of Minutes**
2.1 To *sign*, as a true record, the Environment & Open Spaces Committee Meeting held on **27th September 2023**
3. **Declaration of interest and dispensations**
3.1 To *receive* declarations of interest and dispensations on items on the agenda (Dispensation requests at least one day prior to the meeting).
4. **Public Participation (on items on the agenda) - contributions from members of the public, a maximum of three minutes per speaker will be allowed.**



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5. **Bird Aware Essex Coast**

5.1 Councillors to *receive* a presentation from Bird Aware Essex regarding their work in the area.

6. **Hullbridge Goes Green**

6.1 Councillors to *review* and *agree* the biodiversity policy for *recommendation* to Full Council.

6.2 Councillors to *review* information from Hawkwell PC Eco-Audit and *discuss* how to proceed.

6.3 Councillors to *receive* information from Zero hour UK regarding Parish support for the Climate and Ecology bill and make *recommendation* to Full Council.

7. **Autumnwatch/ Winterwatch**

7.1 Councillors to *receive* and *discuss* information.

8. **General Maintenance Officer Report**

8.1 Councillors to *receive* a report from the GMO.

9. **Open Spaces Hullbridge**

9.1 Councillors to receive a verbal update on

- Recreation Ground
- Kendal Park NR
- River Footpath/ Footpaths
- Pooles Lane Car Park
- Rose Garden
- Hullbridge Garden Association Seating Area
- War Memorial.

10. **Date of the next Environment and Open Spaces Committee Meeting**

10.1 Councillors to forward any items for the next Agenda

10.2 Next EOS Committee Meeting will take place 14th February 2024.

Meeting Closed
Nicola Harding
Clerk to the Council