

# LUDLOW TOWN COUNCIL

# AGENDA

### To: All Members of the Council, DLF Supervisor, Market Officer, Unitary Councillors, Press Contact: Gina Wilding, Town Clerk Ludlow Town Council, The Guildhall, Mill Street, Ludlow, SY8 1AZ 01584 871970 townclerk@ludlow.gov.uk Despatch date: 10<sup>th</sup> March 2021

You are summoned to attend a meeting of the Services Committee on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2021 at 7pm Via Zoom

Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81162251932

Meeting ID: 811 6225 1932

Gina Wilding

Gina Wilding Town Clerk

<u>Key Agenda Items:</u>

- Castle Garden Proposed Tree Works
- 2021-22 Fees
- Asset Maintenance
- Tender

The public may speak at this meeting

In Public Open Session (15 minutes) – Members of the public are invited to make representations to the Council on any matters relating to the work of the Council or to raise any issues of concern



## 1. WELCOME

To receive a welcome from Chairman of the Committee Councillor Mark Clarke.

Welcome to the Services Committee virtual meeting. There are a few housekeeping things to note.

This is a formal Town Council meeting. We have now entered the pre-election period and during the period between the notice of an election and the election itself, local authorities should not publish any publicity on controversial issues or report views or proposals in such a way that identifies them with any individual members or groups of members.

As with meetings in the Guildhall, members of the public will be given the opportunity to speak during public participation, but will not be permitted, unless invited to do so by the Chairman, to speak at other times. The Clerk has the ability to mute or remove anyone who does cause a nuisance, but of course, we hope that this won't be necessary.

It is impossible to hear if everyone speaks at once. So that we have some order, I'd be grateful if you could speak one at a time and use the 'reactions' button at the bottom of the Zoom screen or raise your hand if you'd like to speak.

Please note that we will not be using the 'chat' function. In order to avoid your technology being compromised, please do not use Chat and do not respond to any messages made via Chat

As there is no formal table, I will introduce the Councillors present and ask that they say hello or wave as I do so.'

### 2. <u>RECORDING OF MEETINGS</u>

Under the Openness of Local Government Regulations 2014, recording and broadcast including blogging, tweeting and other social media is permitted during public session of Council meetings.

The act of recording and broadcasting must not interfere with the meeting.

The Council understands that some members of the public may not wish to be recorded and asks that they turn off their camera and access the meeting via audio only.

### 3. APOLOGIES

To receive committee councillors' apologies.



#### **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** 4.

To receive declarations of councillors':

- a) Disclosable Pecuniary Interest
- b) Declaration of conflicts of Interest
- c) Declarations of personal interest

Members are reminded that they must not participate in the discussion or voting on any matter in which they have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest and should leave the room prior to the commencement of the debate.

#### 5. **PUBLIC OPEN SESSION** (15 minutes)

Members of the public are invited to make representations to the Committee on any matters relating to the work of the Committee, or to raise any issues of concern.

#### 6. MINUTES

To approve as a correct record and sign the open minutes of the SERVICES COMMITTEE meeting held on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2020.

The minutes must be signed and loose leaf pages initialled at the meeting which they record or at the next meeting, by the person presiding thereat' LGA 1972, Sch 12, para4 (1)

### Members are reminded:

All proposed amendments or queries relating to the minutes should be reported to the Town Clerk by 10.00 am on the day of the meeting, if required, responses will be given as soon as practicable, but not necessarily at the meeting.

All Committee minutes must be received without discussion or debate.

#### 7. **ITEMS TO ACTION**

To note the items to action sheet from the previous Services Committee Meeting held on Monday 14th December 2020.

	ITEM	Attachment
8.	<b>CASTLE GARDENS</b> To consider the report on the retaining wall and to make an application for a Tree Preservation Order on the tulip tree.	8
9.	2021/2022 FEES To adopt the table of fees for 2021 / 22.	9
10. a)	ASSET MAINTENANCE AND INSURANCE To consider the report on building and asset maintenance works.	10a 10b
b)	To consider the report on insurance claims.	105
11.	<b>WASTE CONTRACT</b> To note an update regarding the Town Council's waste contract.	11



12.	WATER LEAK – HENLEY ROAD CEMETERY To approve the investigation into a possible water leak at Henley Road Cemetery.	12	
13.	<b>ELECTRIC VEHICLES</b> To recommend that Council initiates a scoping report for the introduction of Electric Vehicles.	No papers	
14.	<b>EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC: PUBLIC BODIES (ADMISSION TO MEETINGS) ACT 1960</b> The Chairman will move that the public be excluded from the meeting for the following item(s) of business pursuant to section 1 of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.	No papers	
15.	<b>TENDERS</b> To approve a tender.	15	
Membership			
Councillors Clarke (Chairman), Adams, Cobley, Garner, Gill, Ginger, Jones, Lyle, Naysmith, O'Neill, Parry, Perks (Vice-Chair), Pote and Smithers.			
Notes			

The next Services Committee meeting will be held on Monday 7th June 2021.