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The Mission Hall
Forge Hill
Aldington
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TO MEMBERS ALDINGTON AND BONNINGTON PARISH COUNCIL.

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to attend the meeting of the **PARISH COUNCIL** to be held on **Monday 11th March 2024 at 7.30 pm** in Aldington Village Hall, Roman Road, Aldington.

Peter Setterfield

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Parish Clerk.

AGENDA

- 1. To receive and accept apologies for absence:**
- 2. To receive any declarations of interest from members:**
- 3. Public Participation Session:**
This provides an opportunity for members of the public to ask questions of, and make comments, regarding the Parish Council. Questions not answered at this meeting will be answered in writing to the person asking or may appear as an agenda item for the next meeting. Members of the public are asked to restrict their comments, and/or questions to three minutes.
- 4. Neighbourhood Watch:**
- 5. Ashford Borough Councillor's Report:**

Members of the public are reminded that they are not permitted to participate in the remaining items on this agenda.

- 6. To approve the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 12th February 2024**

7. Chairman's Report:

8. Solar:

An update will be given to councillors of any meetings or submission developments that have occurred since the last Parish Council meeting.

9. Finance:

The Parish Council is asked to approve the schedule of payments attached.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1. To receive and authorise the payment of the items of expenditure.**
- 2. To authorise the transfer of £5,000.00 from deposit account to current account.**

10. Planning Committee:

The Chairman of the Planning Committee will give an overview of the planning applications considered in the last month.

11. Neighbourhood Plan:

An update will be given at the meeting.

12. Highways:

The Parish Council met on 26th February as a public meeting to consider issues relating to highways for inclusion in the Highways Improvement Plan prior to its submission to Kent Highways for consideration. The principal area where a number of options are to be considered is on Roman Road from the junction of Forge Hill towards and beyond the school.

Before inclusion on the Highways Improvement Plan consultation has to be held with residents and evidence submitted with the plan as the works entailed in the proposals will require a traffic regulation order which will not be granted if there are a number of objections.

13. Annual Parish Meetings:

It is proposed that the Annual Parish Meetings be held as follows:

Aldington Monday 29th April 2024 in the Village Hall

Bonnington Wednesday 22nd May 2024 at the Law Oak, Bonnington Green.

14. Events committee:

An update will be given at the meeting.

15. Quarry Wood:

An update will be given at the meeting.

16. Quarry Field and Pond:

An update will be given at the meeting.

17. Aldington Meadows:

An update will be given at the meeting.

18. Any items for information:

Schedule of payments to be made at the meeting

Payee	Purpose	Amount
Staff costs		£2,480.50
Harmer & Sons	Grounds maintenance	£990.00
JRB Enterprise Ltd	Dog Waste bags	£485.40
G Taylor	Reimbursement	£130.66
Aldington Village Hall	Room hire	£135.00
C Wimble	Handyman expenses	£18.00
Easy start lawnmowers	Service of mower	£278.00