

BOW PARISH COUNCIL

A meeting of BOW PARISH COUNCIL will be held on Wednesday 11 October 2023 at 7.30p.m.
at the Community Room of Bow Village Hall, Station Road, Bow.

BOW PARISH COUNCILLORS are hereby summoned to attend

for the purpose of transacting the business itemised in the agenda set out below.

Signed ...*Brenda Ware*... (Parish Clerk)

A G E N D A

Members are reminded of the need to declare any interest, including the nature and reason for that interest, prior to any discussion which may take place.

1. **To Receive Apologies for Absence.**
2. **Public Open Forum** (max. 10 minutes).
3. **Minutes.** To agree the minutes of the meetings held on 13 September 2023 and on 20 September 2023 as complete and accurate records.
4. **Matters Arising:-**
Nil
5. **Planning**
APPLICATIONS
[23/01483/HOUSE](#)
Proposal: Erection of two-storey extension and porch
Location: Treefield Farm, Bow, CREDITON, Devon EX17 5AA
Site Vicinity Grid Ref: 273114 / 97886
Information conveyed electronically to Bow Parish Councillors on 25/09/2023

MDDC DECISIONS
APPROVALS
[23/01226/HOUSE](#)
Proposal: Erection of rear extension, replacement garage and installation of a cavity and outer skin to existing Woolaway dwelling.
Location: Moorland View, Station Road, Bow, CREDITON, Devon EX17 6HU
Site Vicinity Grid Ref: 272157 / 101417

[23/01270/LBC](#)
Proposal: Listed Building Consent for installation of replacement internal staircase and installation of stairlift.
Location: Tavy Cottage, Bow, CREDITON, Devon EX17 6HD
Site Vicinity Grid Ref: 272217 / 101718
6. **Parish Council Election 2023 – Post Election Vacancies (Two).** One expression of interest to hand.
7. **Bow Community Primary School, Board of Governors – Vacancy for Non-Parent Governor.**
8. **Lease of Land from Bow Village Centre, at Burston Meadow, by Bow Recreation Group.**
(Information on the specific issue requested and awaited.)

9. **DCC Report.** Cllr Letch's October report circulated to Members, please refer to email dtd 26/09/2023.
10. **MDDC Report.** Cllr Mrs Letch's October report circulated to Members, please refer to email dtd 02/10/2023.
11. **D.C.C. Highways Matters.**
Including:-
Speeding A3072 western approach to village. Approach from DCC Highways re. Burston Cross still awaited.
Community Speed Watch, A3072 western approach to village, addressing eastbound traffic.
Vehicle Activated Speed Sign (VAS). To receive any info on VAS acquisition process progress.
12. **Monitoring of Services**
D.C.C.
M.D.D.C.
13. **Correspondence**
MDDC Polling Review, Mid Devon Launches Polling Review [press release](#) and [Polling Review, consultation.](#)
Responses required by 12 November 2023. Please see MDDC website [Polling Review 2023](#)
DALC AGM, Conference and Exhibition 2023, 27/9/2023, agenda pack, etc.
DCC Environment Group, Flood and Coastal Risk Management Team, Devon flooding 17/9/2023, info req'd.
MDDC Parish council remote (via Teams) Class Q training 19 October 2023. Refer email dtd 13/9/2023.
MDDC 3 Rivers council statement, housing firm closure.
MDDC Forward Planning, Mid Devon Landscape Character Review workshop, 12/10/2023 at Phoenix House.
MDDC Press Release, council tax reduction for young care leavers.
MDDC Press Release, free Be Grant Ready online workshop for town/parish councils & businesses.
MDDC Press Release, funding for new Cullompton train station announced (gov't pledges rail improvements in the south-west, incl. re-opening of Tavistock-Plymouth line).
MDDC Press Release, Bin It 123, residents reminded to use correct waste and recycling containers.
MDDC Press Release, pre-built homes arrive onsite, Cullompton social housing development nears completion
MDDC Press Release, Mid Devon Leisure shortlisted for national swimming award.
Mr B H Weeks, letter of thanks for garden vouchers gift in recognition and thanks for his internal audit work.
Slow Ways, Councils - connect your community to the Slow Ways national walking network, info.
EDF Energy, energy prices changing from 1 October 2023.
MDDC Business Rates, self-service portal information.
Cllr Andrea Davis, Chair Peninsula Transport, Technology and Zero-Emission Vehicle study for the South West, Devon and Cornwall Alert, Cross-border county lines gangs being tackled in regional operation.
Devon and Cornwall Alert, Help us make Devon and Cornwall #NoPlaceForDrugs.
Devon and Cornwall Alert, Have your say, make a difference – annual national member survey.
Devon and Cornwall Alert, Drugs warrant in Bodmin.
Devon and Cornwall Alert, Police and Crime Panel meeting 15/9/2023.
Devon and Cornwall Alert, 2023 Police and Crime Commissioner's Community Grant scheme.
Devon and Cornwall Alert, Citizens in Policing, seeking vehicle check volunteer, Cullompton.
Devon and Cornwall Alert, Week of action to highlight ongoing efforts to tackle rural crime in Devon & C'will.
Devon and Cornwall Alert, fake emails impersonating energy companies.
Devon and Cornwall Alert, Operation Ragwort (tackling rural crime) & Operation Scorpion (county lines), info.
Devon Community Learning Academy, bespoke courses in partnership with Citizens Advice Devon.
National Association of Local Councils, Utility Aid – National Charity Tender, info.
Publications: DALC E-bulletin, Healthwatch Devon E-bulletin, NALC newsletter, NALC chief executive bulletin, NALC Events, One Devon bulletin September 2023, Devon Climate Emergency October newsletter, Devon and Cornwall Alert OUR NEWS (newsletter for Neighbourhood Watch supporters) October and DCC Connectme.
14. **Finance.**
Bank balances brought forward: Deposit a/c £8,023.74, Current a/c £16,623.52
ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT
Mid Devon District Council (uncontested election May 2023) £147.35
GDM Cleaning (bus shelter glass cleaning 15/09/2023) £8.00
Clerk (salary £749.00 + admin/expenses £ qtr. ending 30/09/2023) £
H.M.R.&C. (P.A.Y.E. income tax, Jul-Sep 2023) £187.25
EDF Energy (electricity for DAAT landing site) NIL (account in credit)

15. **Any Other Business.**

16. **Date of Next Meeting.** Wednesday 8 November 2023 at 7:30pm at the Community Room of Bow Village Hall