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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 14<sup>th</sup> October 2024 at 7.30 pm** in Aldington Village Hall, Roman Road, Aldington.

*Peter Setterfield*

Peter Setterfield PSLCC  
Parish Clerk.

## AGENDA

1. To receive and accept apologies for absence:
2. To receive any declarations of interest from members:
3. **Sellindge Synchronous Condenser:**  
During October the following works are planned to be carried out:  
Synchronous Condenser:
  - Pouring to level 1 of 7 stage concrete pour as discussed at the last meeting
  - 3 day curing period (before base can be worked on)
  - Installation of embedded parts, sacrificial fixings and cages
  - GE will be on site for inspections.On site substation:
  - Excavation of switchgear bases
  - Pouring of foundations, these are small in natureMain transformer:
  - Pouring of main walls including form workEHV Cable works:
  - Preparation of thrust bore reception pit
  - Pouring of thrust bore pit walls

- Thrust bore works begin by end of month.

**4. Solar:**

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

**5. 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.

**6. Neighbourhood Watch:**

**7. 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.

**8. Parish Councillor Vacancy:**

An update will be given at the meeting.

**9. To approve the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> September 2024:**

**10. Chairman's Report:**

**11. Finance:**

The Parish Council is asked to approve the schedule of payments:

**Recommendations:**

- 1. To receive and authorise the payment of the items of expenditure**
- 2. To authorise the transfer of £5,000 from deposit account to current account.**

**12. Planning Committee:**

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

**13. Neighbourhood Plan:**

An update will be given at the meeting.

**14. Highways Improvement Plan:**

An update will be given at the meeting.

**15. Events Committee:**

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 made before the meeting:

Payee	Purpose	Amount
Filmbank media	Film night licence	£183.60
Aldington Village Hall	Film night	£318.34

Schedule of payments to be made at the meeting:

Payee	Purpose	Amount
Staff costs		£2,750.72
Harmer & Sons	Grounds maintenance	£990.00
Aldington Village Hall	Room Hire	£193.50
Forvis Mazars LLP	Audit	£504.00
Handyman expenses		£99.18
KALC	Training course	£42.00
L Harman	Reimbursement	£150.90