



# Agenda 4<sup>th</sup> March 2025

## Iden Parish Council

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**Parish council members are summoned to the Meeting to be held on  
4<sup>th</sup> March 2025 at 7.30pm, Iden Village Hall**

**Signed**

**Date 26<sup>th</sup> February 2025**

***Members of the Public and Press are welcome and encouraged to attend***

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### **AGENDA**

**1. Apologies**

**2. Disclosure of Interests**

To receive any disclosure by Members of personal and disclosable pecuniary interests in matters on the agenda, the nature of any interest and whether the Member regards the personal interest as prejudicial under the terms of the Code of Conduct. Members are reminded of the need to repeat their declaration immediately prior to the commencement of the item in question.

**3. Minutes (available from <https://www.idenvillage.uk>)**

To approve minutes of the parish council meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> February 2025 (previously distributed) and to sign as a true record.

**4. The meeting to adjourn for up to 25 minutes**

**a. Report from County and District Councillors**

**b. Public Question Time**

This 10-minute period is available for the public to express a view or ask a question on relevant matters on the following agenda. Because of time constraints, only one question will be permitted per member of the public. Please advise the clerk if you have any other questions at the end of the meeting.

**5. The meeting to reconvene.**

Members of the public are welcome to stay and observe the rest of the meeting when they must remain silent.

## 6. Planning

(Information on applications is available from Rother District Council website)

- a. **Enforcements and Appeals - None**
- b. **Planning Decisions by Rother District Council - None**
- c. **Applications to be Consider**

RR/2025/2277/P Park Oast, Wittersham Road: proposed double garage.

- d. **Notifications Only – None**

## 7. Finances – Parish Council

### a. February Bank Balances

31<sup>st</sup> January 2025                      £ 16,414.82

Plus total Receipts                      £        9.20

Less total Payments                      £     780.96

28<sup>th</sup> February 2025                      £ 15,643.06

(28<sup>th</sup> February 2025 statements TBC -Treasurers Account £5,140.16 and Reserve Account £10,502.90)

### b. February Receipts

£9.20                      Bank Interest

### c. February Payments

£629.20                      Clerk's September salary.

£41.70                      M Philo: Room £30, car £11.70

£20.54                      Castle Water: Pavilion water

£20.54                      EDF: Pavilion electricity

£46.56                      Pett PC: Share of Clerk Mobile up to year end

Charge Card (December): Nil

### d. Payments to Authorise

£629.20                      Clerk's February salary.

£41.70                      M Philo: Room £30, car £11.70

£24.00                      Mulberry Local Services Limited: Financial regulations bite size training (vat £4)

£63.40                      Refund share of SLCC annual subscription Charge Card (March)

£32.00                      Lloyds bank: Annual charge card fee

Pavilion Electricity and Water unknown.

## 8. Iden Community Emergency Forum (ICE)

**To confirm that Councillor Luckhurst is the council representative for ICE.**

The group is looking for volunteers.

## 9. Dog Bins

Currently it costs £150 a year for a dog bin to be emptied. It has been acceptable for several years that street waste bins can be also used as dog waste bins. The bin and post costs £183 plus vat. The waste collection Company has to confirm that it has the capacity to empty any bins. **To consider whether to install more dog bins.**

**10. Public rights of Way Survey [Rights of Way Access Plan - Public Survey - East Sussex - Citizen Space](#)**

To agree the response to the survey for parish councils.

**11. Report from the Save The Bell Inn**

**12. Iden Pavilion and Playing Fields**

- a. To agree the use of the playing fields on the 26<sup>th</sup> July for the village fayre subject to risk assessment. To further agree that the council insurance will cover the event subject to the council insurer's conditions including those for events, inflatables, etc.
- b. Iden Pavilion Working Party Update Report
- c. Any other issues to report.

**13. Risk Assessment – Report on Parish Assets**

**14. Information for Councillors (for noting or inclusion on future agenda).**

A date for the Annual Parish Meeting needs to be set.

The current fixed term deal with EDF for the pavilion electricity supply will finish on 19<sup>th</sup> April.

**15. Date of Next Meeting**

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025, 7.30pm, Iden Village Hall.

**16. Motion to exclude public and press from the meeting**

Pursuant to section 1) 2 of the Public Bodies Admission to meetings) Act 1960 to agree that, because of the confidential nature of business transacted the Public and Press leave the meeting during the consideration of  
Clerk's Salary

1972 LGA sch.12A, part 1, 5