



DATE: 12th August 2024
TIME: 7.00pm
LOCATION: The Drawing Room, Bedale Hall, North End, Bedale DL8 1AA

To the members of the Council:

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of Bedale Town Council for the purpose of transacting the following business:

Signed:  Date: 6th August 2024
Nick Reed, Clerk to the Council

- 24.43** **Declarations of interest in agenda Items** and requests for dispensations
- 24.44** **Apologies** and consideration of reasons for absence
- 24.45** **Minutes** of the Council meeting held on 8th July 2024
- 24.46** **Updates from minutes (not covered elsewhere on the agenda)**
 - 24.461** **Unadopted road between Emgate and Churchyard** – to receive any updates on this issue
 - 24.462** **Yorkshire Day** – to receive a brief report back from this event
 - 24.463** **Skate Park / Covid Stone installation** – to note the completion of the skate park renovation, and of the Covid stone setting, and that the official openings will take place at 10.45 (Covid stones) and 11am (skate park) on Tuesday 13th August
- 24.47** **Reports of recent activity**
 - 24.471** **Reports of activity from external body meetings attended by Councillors**
 - 24.472** **Reports from County Councillor**
- 24.48** **Financial statement and approvals for payment** – to receive a financial statement and approve payments including: staff salaries and PAYE; Morgan's (£2,780, grass cutting and grounds maintenance); Bedale Hall CIO (£488.04, office heating); PKF Littlejohn LLP (£420+VAT, external audit 2023-24); K. Catford (£400, admin support for Market); and Bedale Window Cleaning (£195, bus shelter and bandstand cleaning).
- 24.49** **Planning matters** – to consider planning applications including ZC24/01324/FUL for a single-storey rear extension and conversion of reef space to form a bedroom with Velux windows, at 31 South End

Also to note planning decisions made by principal authorities since July's meeting

- 24.50** **40mph limit on South End** – to note the proposal to reduce the speed limit from the national limit to 40mph from the Javelin Way junction for 312m south-east, and consider whether the Council has any comment to make
- 24.51** **CCLA Investment Management mandate** – noting that the current mandate is out of date, to agree three Councillors to act as signatories on the CCLA Public Sector Deposit Fund account, with any two out of the three to sign instructions, along with the Clerk as main contact but not a signatory
- 24.52** **Footpath from Masham Road to Calvert Way** – to consider adopting this path, which is currently owned by Bedale Allotment Society, should North Yorkshire Council not wish to do so, with no financial implication beyond regular maintenance
- 25.53** **2025 car boot sales** – noting that the Bonfire and Fireworks Working Group and Bedale Scouts and Guides are automatically given car boot sale dates, and noting that the Twinning Association and Bedale Litter Pickers now have the status of Council working groups, to consider offering the latter two organisations automatic car boot sale dates
- 25.54** **Tug of War** – to reaffirm the decision necessarily arrived at between meetings to accept the offer from the Green Dragon pub to run a tug of war at Bedale Beck on August Bank Holiday Monday, and to cover the cost of medical cover (£180) and the purchase of a tug of war rope (£184.69+VAT)
- 24.55** **Correspondence** (background papers provided)

Members of the public may speak on any matter at the discretion of the Chair of the meeting