



# ALSTON MOOR PARISH COUNCIL

Mrs C. Johnson  
Clerk to the Council

Alston Town Hall  
Front Street, Alston

Notice is given that a meeting of Alston Moor Parish Council will be held on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2021 in Alston Town Hall at 7pm. You are summoned to attend.

Yours sincerely  
*Chris Johnson*  
Clerk to the Council

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## AGENDA

1. Minutes: to approve the minutes of the parish council meeting held on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2021
2. Broadband for the Rural North – short presentation from Stan Jenkins of B4RN.
3. Chair, County & District Reports
4. Public participation – *residents may speak for up to 5 minutes on matters relevant to the community. Written representations may also be received.*
5. Progress reports
  - a) Nenthead - litter bins & noticeboard update
  - b) Tyne Willows funding application
  - c) Valuation of garden land, Tyne Willows
  - d) Nenthead Road litter bin request
  - e) Unregistered path alongside the South Tyne Railway
  - f) Clerk's Cybersecurity course
6. Reports from representatives
  - a) Alston Alliance
  - b) Alston Ambulance
  - c) Nenthead Ward
  - d) Safer Streets Fund
7. Planning applications
  - a) 21/0666 Replacement of front elevation timber windows to first and second floor with PVC double glazed sash windows. Turks Head Inn, Market Place, Alston.
  - b) 21/0726 Discharge of condition 4(surface drainage) attached to approval 20/0580. Land at High Galligill Farm, Nenthead CA9 3LW for Mr G. Cook.
  - c) 21/0745 Full application. Removal of existing 25m Airwave tower and replace with a 27.5m tower upon which will be attached antennae and dishes for Airwave, the ESN (EAS) and SRN networks. At ground level, additional cabins/cabinets will be positioned on new bases, along with a standby generator. A VS dish will also be positioned on the new tower base in the North West of the compound. Airwave Tower at Ashgill Wood, Garrigill CA9 3HD for Galloway Estates Ltd - Mr P Hickson.
8. Report from J. Glendinning on Alston War Memorial repairs to correct the misspelt name
9. Request to EDC/CCC to claim ownership of the Old Potato Market in Front Street for the avoidance of future maintenance issues before the new unitary authority is set up
10. Resident's request for a dropped kerb at the entrance to The Firs from Church Road
11. Community grant application from Alston Gala for a Drive-in cinema event on Tyne Willows Playing Field

12. Future woodlands maintenance and requirement to complete outstanding tree works from last year. Woodland work specifications
13. Request from Nick Mason that the parish council considers setting up a Youth Council
14. Parish council vacancies – notice that the parish council can co-opt two councillors for the Nenthead ward and one councillor for the Alston ward
15. Recommendations from DGP Committee
  - a) That the council approves the draft Memorial Benches policy
  - b) That the council approves the review of the Recording of Meetings protocol with no amendments
  - c) That the council accepts the revised name of Development, Governance and Policy Committee
  - d) That the council approves the recommendation for the same councillors to be on both the DGP and Staffing Committees
  - e) That the council approves the recommendation to retire the Community Warden post.
16. Consultations & Correspondence
  - a) Correspondence (Appendix 1)
17. Accounts for Payment (Appendix 2)
18. Agenda items for next meeting & urgent business

*The meeting will close to the public to consider quotations for tree works besides Alston Youth Hostel*

*Members will then re-convene as Fairhill Estate Charity trustees to consider any applications received.*