



# ALSTON MOOR PARISH COUNCIL

To: Members of the Council, you are hereby summonsed to attend

## Alston Moor Parish Council Meeting

which will be held **Alston Town Hall**, on **Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2024 at 7.00pm.**

Members of the public are welcome to attend.

*Claire Thomson*  
Parish Clerk

## AGENDA

### Public Participation (Timed item 15 minutes)

This is at the Chair's discretion and no decisions can be made on items brought to the attention of Alston Moor Parish Council under this item.

**APCM/2425/130.** To receive **apologies & consider approval of the reasons** given for absence

**APCM/2425/131.** To receive **declarations of interest** in items on the agenda.

**APCM/2425/132.** To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on

7<sup>th</sup> November, 11<sup>th</sup> November & 18<sup>th</sup> November 2024

**APCM/2425/133.** To note councillor vacancies & review any co-option candidates

**APCM/2425/134.** **Chair's Report**

To receive for information a verbal report from the Chair

**APCM/2425/135.** **Council To Receive Reports (If Any):-**

*Written reports received will be placed in the appendix of the minutes, verbal reports will not be minuted.*

Westmorland & Furness District Councillors' Report

Police Report

Nenthead ward meeting update

**APCM/2425/136.** To receive reports from **Committees, working groups & consider** any actions required

i. **Committee** - Development, Governance & Personnel (DGP) – which includes staffing

### ii. Group Representatives

The Alston & Fellside Place Action Group

Alston Health Alliance

Alston Moor Fitness

Alston Moor Partnership

Alston Moor Traffic Management Group – agenda

items needed please send to clerk date of meeting to

be confirmed.

NWAS Alston Moor Working Group

Tree Wardens

Tyne Willows Management

**APCM/2425/137.** To **Consider** Matters arising, and actions required

1. Ongoing – Nenthead Fountain
2. W&F - a list of historical "assets" – Gathering of evidence
3. Updates Christmas Lights / Trees
4. Benches for removal / Repair / Replace / Sites for New Benches
5. Defibs - update
6. Bus Shelters - update
7. Grant applications received x 2 to discuss
8. MET office community resilience climate change

**APCM/2425/138.** To **Discuss Planning Applications & Consider Response** as a **statutory consultee**.

1. **2024/1637/FPA – Whitburn Cottage, Alston CA9 3DA – variation of condition 5 – variation of construction hours to include Saturday & Sunday 9am to 5pm.**
2. **Discussion on refusal of planning on Broadpot, Potters Loaning, Alston**

**APCM/2425/139.** **FINANCE REPORTS:**

1. Current Balance of the Community Account as at 30/11/2024
2. To consider payments for Approval
3. To approve any payments required between meetings. (tree invoice)
4. Additional Bank Signatories to Forms to sign – need any more?
5. Grant applications send out – 1 per organisation
6. To Note draft budget / reserves

**APCM/2425/140.** To **note** the status of **assets & consider** any **action** required.

Tyne Willows Playing Field

Village Seats

Notice Boards

Firs Woodland Walk

War Memorial

Defibrillators

Pavilion

Bus Shelters

Footway lighting

**APCM/2425/141.** To **note** the status of **Open spaces / Trees & consider** any action required.

- 1.Path Sign – update and matters arising
2. Trees to be felled/tidied up – see correspondence

**APCM/2425/142.** To **Note Correspondence** Received.

1. Trees Firs Walk
2. Publicity of proposed works to trees and/or TPO
3. Help shape future for waste collections
4. Alston Recycling centre
5. Nent Hags Mine Water Treatment
6. Review of polling stations
7. Defib Alston Fire Station
8. Remote/Hybrid meetings
9. Alston Moor Community Emergency Plan
10. Planning refusal on Broadpot, Alston
11. Conclusion of 20mph consultation in Nenthead
12. New street name in Alston
13. Link cash machine

**APCM/2425/143.** To consider items for the **Next Meeting Agenda**

**APCM/2425/144.** To consider any Councillor or Officer **Training**.

**APCM/2425/145.** Date and Time of Next Meeting

**APCM/2425/146.** **Exclusion of Press & Public (Public Bodies Admission to Meetings Act 1960)**

1. Resolve to close meeting
2. Update on staffing & progress
3. Tyne Willows entrance tenders received
  
4. Close Parish council meeting & open Fairhill Charity meeting

**APCM/2425/147.** **Fairhill Charity**

1. Applications received to discuss – 1 applicant received
2. Fairhill Charity accounts to discuss, last year's accounts

Close Fairhill Charity meeting