# Biddulph Town Council



11 March 2015

**Dear Councillor** 

There will be a meeting of the Town Council at **7.00** pm on **Tuesday 17 March 2015.** Minutes of the last meeting are enclosed and the Agenda is set out below.

Councillors shall be entitled to have an item of business included in the Agenda of the next meeting of Council and its Committees, provided that notice of the business to be included is given <u>in writing</u> to the Chief Officer no later than seven working days before the date of the next meeting.

Yours sincerely

K S Thacker CHIEF OFFICER

# AGENDA

#### 1. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

a) PCSO Report

#### 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

- a) To declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests & Dispensations:
- b) To declare any Other Disclosable Interests

#### 3. APOLOGIES

To receive apologies

#### 4. MINUTES

- a) To Approve and sign the Minutes of the Town Council meeting held on 17 February 2015
- b) To Receive the Minutes of the General Purposes Committee meeting held on 17 February 2015
- c) To Receive the Minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held on 10 March 2015
- d) To Receive the Minutes of the Civic Committee meeting held on 10 March 2015

# 5. MAYOR'S COMMUNICATIONS

- a) Mayor's Engagements
- b) Any other communication





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#### 6. YOUTH ADVISOR REPORT

# 7. MEETINGS CALENDAR FOR MAY 2015-APRIL 2016

Copy of proposed meetings calendar for the next Council year (herewith)

# 8. ACCOUNTS & FINANCE

# a) The following accounts were received for payment:

Askey & Sutcliffe Associates (Property) Ltd — annual garage rent, Artisan Market (due 1 April)	1,560.00
CommuniCorp - Local Councils Update – annual subscription (due 1 April)	75.00
SMDC – non-domestic rate for Burial Ground <i>due 1 April)</i>	263.97
Radplant – 2 <sup>nd</sup> payment for work on Wharf Rd steps	16,024.80
Shaw & Sons – stationery (receipt books)	118.08
Severn Trent Water – Woodhouse Burial Ground	32.39
Staffordshire Ecological Services Ltd – appraisal for Springfield Rd	639.48
Moorside Memorials – repair to broken water tap at Burial Ground	28.61
D W Lovatt – additional work to divert water from graves at Burial Ground	200.00
Viking – stationery & stamps	290.12
V Brown - Events Director	743.33
HM Revenue & Customs (to be paid by direct debit 6/4/15)	1,703.18
Salaries	4,148.77
Staffordshire Pension Fund	1,569.73

# b) Supplementary agenda (to be tabled):

# c) The Ernest & Mrs Mary Wells Ambulance Fund War Stock:

HM Treasury has announced that all 31/2% War Stock will cease and be redeemed in its entirety and a cheque has now been received for £2,072.48. There is £37.12 remaining in the Wells Account, a charity set up from the sale of the Wells ambulance when the NHS came into being. The interest from the stock was donated to the elderly or sick of Biddulph each Christmas. A decision should now be taken how to utilise this money.



