## **AGENDA**

## **FENCOTT & MURCOTT PARISH COUNCIL**

7.30 pm 6<sup>th</sup> August 2025 Murcott Village Hall All Parish Councillors are summoned to attend

## 1. Welcome

## 2. Apologies

- To receive apologies for absence

#### 3. Declarations of Interest

- Check all councillors have completed forms and sent in

# 4. Minutes of previous Parish Council meeting

Minutes from June as July was inquorate

# 5. Meeting Adjourned

Opportunity for members of public to propose matters for PC consideration. (Max 5 minutes per topic) Meeting Re-convene

# 6. County & District Councillor reports

County Councillor on Mat Leave, alternative contacts provided

#### 7. Parish Matters

### **Works Pending:**

- Contractor to clear undergrowth at Murcott bus stop and clean shelter
- Contractor to remove old fence panel behind the hall, and restain the wooden fence at the front of the car park
- Contractor to install new vehicle and pedestrian gate at Alice's Meadow
- Contractor to cut Alice Meadow hedge (roadside and internal) in the autumn
- Contractor to refence the Pound, crown lift trees and clear undergrowth
- Noticeboards to install at The Splash and Alices Meadow, displays currently blank.

## Works to Agree:

- The Splash noticeboard Rights of way? Alices Meadow Short History and management plans?
  Suggest a side committee/meeting to put this together
- Playground safety inspection report recieved. Contractors to clean equipment, PC to review recommendations
- PC to order a new bench for the Splash

### **Rights of Way**

Amendment to Pigeonhouse Lane footpath – legal change to Public Right of Way

# **Highways**

Advised to contact OCC Highways with request for resurfacing throughout the parish, also to pin down date for gulley and drain clearing

# Village Hall

Lease for Village Hall chair and Parish Council chair to sign and submit to Solicitor - pending

### Governance

Changes in Local Government – continue to encourage community to read and respond Parish Councillor vacancy

# **Flooding**

Clerk liaising with Charlton on Otmoor PC and Ambrosden PC to have a coordinated response using road signs when there are significant floods affecting the roads.

# **8.** Finances Report for current year to date

Internal Audit carried out, submission to external auditor successful

# 9. Planning Applications

New: None

Decisions:

Village Farm, Blackbull Lane: Amendments Permitted

Field adjacent the Splash: Equestrian works Permitted

# 10. Items for next meeting: 4<sup>th</sup> September 7.30 Murcott Village Hall

C/F Buryfields Trust: Parish Council is current trustee and needs to liaise with the new Vicar when appointed