



## **Abingdon-on-Thames Annual Parish Meeting**

The Annual Parish Meeting will be held on **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2018, in St Helen's Church, Abingdon-on-Thames at 7pm.**

This is a public meeting of the Local Government electors of Abingdon-on-Thames who are invited to attend and take part in discussions.

This is an annual statutory meeting of the town's electors and is not a Council meeting although the Council does take the opportunity for its Committee Chairmen to make a report to the meeting on the work being undertaken by the Council's Committees.

### **AGENDA**

#### **1 General Introduction**

Mayor of Abingdon-on-Thames, Councillor Jan Morter, will chair the meeting.

#### **2 Minutes of the Parish & Public Meetings**

To agree the minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting that took place on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2017 (attached pages 3 to 11).

To agree the minutes of the Special Parish Meeting which took place on 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018 (attached pages 12 to 37). In relation to item 2 (a), the Abbey Hall, where questions were asked or there was a query over the facts, then the Council's response, as approved by the Finance and General Purposes Committee, is shown in italics. In relation to item 2 (b), the Guildhall, the Council's draft response, subject to approval by the Guildhall Committee at its meeting of 19<sup>th</sup> March 2018, is shown in italics.

To agree the minutes of the Public Meeting which took place on 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2018 (attached pages 38 to 59). In relation to item 2 (a), the Abbey Hall, where questions were asked or there was a query over the facts, then the Council's response, as approved by the Finance and General Purposes Committee, is shown in italics. In relation to item 2 (b), the Guildhall, the Council's draft response, subject to approval by the Guildhall Committee at its meeting of 19<sup>th</sup> March 2018, is shown in italics.

### 3 **Reports by Committee Chairmen**

To receive reports from Chairmen of Town Council Committees:

- Amenities and Recreation Committee;
- Community Services Committee;
- Guildhall Committee;
- County Hall Museum Management Committee;
- Planning, Highways and Consultations Committee;
- Finance and General Purposes Committee.

### 4 **To discuss Parish (Town) affairs**

**Note:**

Members of the public are reminded that the limitation upon discussions in relation to Agenda Item 4 is generally considered to be fixed by the exclusion on the one hand of private matters (such as litigation between persons in their private capacity) and on the other, of public matters so general that they would affect the parish no more than any other parish. Subject to this, the parish meeting may discuss any public matter affecting the parish as a parish.

*Jan Morter*

**Councillor Jan Morter**  
**Mayor of Abingdon-on-Thames**

**28<sup>th</sup> February 2018 / signed electronically.**  
**Revised 7<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> March 2018.**