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Conserving our Past: Building Our Future

Chairman Cllr. Harvey Neve

In accordance with Paragraph 7 & 10 (2)(b) of Schedule 12a of the Local Government Act 1972 You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of Bishop Middleham Parish Council, at the Village Hall, Bishop Middleham on Wednesday 3rd December 2025 at 7.00pm

Members of the Public and Press are welcome to attend. Members and the public are advised all, or part of the meeting maybe recorded, or photographs taken.

AGENDA

1. **7.00pm Notice of Meeting** - Public Notice of the Meeting has been given in accordance with Schedule 12 paragraph 10(2) of the LGA 1982.
2. **Apologies** - to receive apologies and to approve reasons for absence.
3. **Declarations of Interest** To notify of any items that appear in the agenda in which you may have an interest, including those that have previously been recorded in the Members Register of Interests. (Members are reminded of the need to declare any interest prejudicial or personal in accordance with the Code of Conduct as agreed by Council).
4. **7.10pm Minutes** - To approve the Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 12th November 2025.
5. **7.20pm Public Participation**
6. **7.40pm County Councillor's Report**
7. **7.50pm PCSO Report**
8. **8.00pm Community and Outdoor**
 - a) Christmas Event update
 - b) Update regarding the Pavilion conditions
 - c) Report from Cllr Turner on the Relief in Need Charity
 - d) To review the situation and quote for clearing of gullies in the park
9. **8.15pm Finance** - To approve the following:
 - a) To approve payments and invoices since 12th November 2025
 - b) To review and discuss initial budget proposal 2026/2027
 - c) Audit 2025/2026 - Assertion 10
10. **8.35pm Projects and Planning**
 - a) To report on the working group meeting held on 16th October and subsequent action plan.
11. **8.45pm Health and Safety** - to discuss and report on any health and safety issues arising since the last meeting.
12. **Planning**
 - a) Anaerobic Digestion Plant update following Inspectorate Hearing on 27th August 2025
 - b) Beacon Avenue Housing Development, Sedgfield
13. **Councillor Vacancies**
14. **Correspondence**
 - a) CDALC nominations for Executive Committee and Smaller Councils Forum
 - b) Consultations
15. **8.55pm Member Sharing**
16. **Date of Next Meeting** Wednesday 14th January 2025 at 7pm (Bishop Middleham Village Hall)

Parish Clerk/RFO, 26th November 2025