

RODE PARISH COUNCIL

I hereby give notice of a Meeting of Rode Parish Council
To be held in Memorial Hall, Rode
on Monday 10th February 2025 at 7.30pm



Hugh Williams, Clerk to Rode PC

Dated: 3 February 2025

AGENDA

1. **Parishioners' Participation:** (to last no longer than 15 minutes) Comments/decisions will only be made during this session if appropriate. Items raised maybe added to the next agenda for full discussion.
2. **Apologies for absence**
3. **Approval of minutes of the meeting held on 13th January 2025**
4. **Councillors Declaration of interest**
5. **Highways issues**
Bradford Road/Rode Hill crossroads
20mph speed limit for Rode
6. **Report from Somerset Councillors**
7. **Actions from the previous meeting**
 - i) Drainage within village – to discuss Community Flood Action Fund paper prepared by Jim McAuliffe and progress
 - ii) Hoedowns and Clive Harrington – update on possible April clean up
 - iii) Grass cutting for 2025 and update on rewilding Marsh Road area
 - iv) Village allotments – shortage of sites to discuss
 - v) Signage on playing field
8. **Footpaths**
Church Lane footpath – possible involvement of Treecycle and digger – to agree Paths from Church Farm
9. **Planning matters**
 - a. New applications
2025/0106/TCA: Fell poplar tree – 11 Frome Road
2025/0150/TCA: Reduce crowns of 2 sycamore trees by 2m – 19 High Street
2025/0151/TCA: Reduce crown of yew by 1m – 1 Red Lion Gardens
 - b. Somerset decisions
2024/2119/HSE: Demolition of attached single-storey garage and utility room. Construction of a single-storey extension. New gateway and associated driveway works – 23 Lower Street. Approved
2023/2103/FUL and appeal APP/E3335/W/24/3347836: Development to erect 2 no. semi-detached houses – 4 The Mead. Rejected
 - c. Other planning matters
NB: The Council reserves the right to consider planning applications not listed on this agenda that may have been received by the Council after the agenda was issued.

10. Buses

Update and concerns over road closures

11. Conservation and Neighbourhood Plan

Conservation and Neighbourhood Plan – update from Context Planning and to agree next steps

12. Emergency Policy for Rode

To consider draft policy

13. Climate Working Group

Thermal Imaging Camera

14. Financial matters

- i) Asset register – to amend/approve (see attachment)
- ii) To agree payments

15. Items for next agenda/Items to report/Any other business

16. Date of next meeting

To confirm **Monday 10th March** at 7.30pm for next meeting in Committee Room at Memorial Hall

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