# **BOW PARISH COUNCIL**

A meeting of BOW PARISH COUNCIL will be held on Wednesday 11 June 2025 at 7:30pm at the Community Room of Bow Village Hall, Station Road, Bow, EX17 6HS

BOW PARISH COUNCILLORS are hereby summoned to attend

for the purpose of transacting the business itemised in the agenda set out below.

Signed ... Brenda Ware... (Parish Clerk)

# AGENDA

Members are reminded of the need to declare any interest, including the nature and reason for that interest, prior to any discussion which may take place.

- 1. To Receive Apologies for Absence.
- 2. Public Open Forum (max. 10 minutes).
- 3. **Minutes**. To agree the minutes of the meeting held on 14 May 2025 as a complete and accurate record.
- 4. Matters Arising:-

Nil

5. Planning

APPLICATION INFORMATION ONLY

25/00678/PNCOU

Proposal: Prior notification for the change of use of land to a temporary campsite under Class BC for a period of 60 non-consecutive days from 01/06/2025 to 30/07/2025 for 10 pitches with 2 compost toilets and connected to mains water.

Location: land at NGR 271592 101720 The Shire, Bow, Crediton

Site Vicinity Grid Ref: 271592 101720

Information conveyed electronically to Bow Parish Councillors, email dated 23/05/2025

# MDDC DECISIONS 25/00420/HOUSE

Proposal: Formation of hard standing for the parking of vehicles to include EV charging point

Location: Barns Cottage, Bow, Crediton Site Vicinity Grid Ref: 272267 / 101734

- 6. **Casual Vacancy**. Resignation of Parish Councillor Mr Vanstone.
- 7. DCC (Crediton Rural Division) Monthly Report. A report for May 2025 not yet received.
- 8. MDDC (Upper Yeo & Taw Ward) Monthly Report. A report May 2025 not yet received.
- 9. Annual Audit, Annual Governance and Accountability Return (AGAR) 2024-2025 Form 2
  - 1. Councils are required to annually review the effectiveness of their system of internal control reliable assurance required reference the council's internal controls and it's management of risk. Review to include a separate review of internal audit (two principle aspects compliance with standards and overall effectiveness).
  - 2. (i) Annual Governance and Accountability (A.G.A.R.) Annual Internal Audit Report. Completed.
  - (ii) A.G.A.R. Form 2, Section 1 Annual Governance Statement to be completed.
  - (iii) A.G.A.R. Form 2, Section 2 Accounting Statements to be approved.

# 10. D.C.C. Highways Matters.

Including:-

Speeding A3072 western approach to village. DCC information/response awaited reference Burston Cross works. Vehicle Activated Speed Sign (VAS). To report any progress – awaiting DCC advices/info. Any other highway issues.

#### 11. Monitoring of Services

D.C.C.

M.D.D.C.

#### 12. Correspondence

MDDC, Government response to consultation on holding remote meetings and proxy voting Remote attendance and proxy voting in local authorities: consultation results and government response - GOV.UK

MDDC, Armed Forces Day - flag raising - Monday 23 June at 10am Phoenix House, Tiverton, invitation. Circulated.

MDDC Press Release, successful return for Mid Devon's landlord networking event on 14/5/25.

MDDC Press Release, purchase of land marks a step forward for Cullompton relief road delivery.

MDDC Press Release, new e-newsletter to be launched soon for Mid Devon businesses.

MDDC Press Release, student (age 16 to 22) membership, £25 per month, offers full leisure access this summer.

MDDC Press Release, My Mid Devon – the personalised online self-service portal.

MDDC Press Release, introducing Councillor Martyn Stratton – new representative for Clare and Shuttern.

MDDC Press Release, Community gathers to mark VE Day 80 at Phoenix House, report.

MDDC Press Release, Mid Devon's Green Enterprise grant scheme (2025) open for expressions of interest.

MDDC Press Release, Paddling pools at Westexe Park and Newcombes Meadow reopen on 26 May.

Devon and Cornwall Alert, Volunteer recognition awards nominations are open (Neighbourhood Watch Week and Volunteer Week).

Devon and Cornwall Alert, Opening of Crediton and Tiverton paddling pools.

Devon and Cornwall Alert, Crediton Police attended a Community Alcohol Partnership launch, info.

Devon and Cornwall Alert, Commissioner's message: Independent custody visitors to be celebrated during Volunteers' Week (2 June - 8 June).

Devon and Cornwall Alert, Successful 'night bus' scheme funded by Commissioner to run again this year.

Devon and Cornwall Alert, Police and Crime Commissioner funds innovative business crime reduction pilotTorbay.

Devon and Cornwall Alert, Sceptre – the national initiative to reduce knife crime, info.

Devon and Cornwall Alert, Dogs die in hot cars <a href="https://www.devon-cornwall.police.uk/contact/ask-ned/question/ec07135c-0e49-e611-9c3e-a0369f5f0dfb">https://www.devon-cornwall.police.uk/contact/ask-ned/question/ec07135c-0e49-e611-9c3e-a0369f5f0dfb</a>

Devon and Cornwall Alert, new warning urges public to continue reporting phishy emails and texts with 41 million already reported.

Devon and Cornwall Alert, rise of extortion phishing email reports, info.

Devon and Cornwall Alert, OUR NEWS June 2025.

DALC, National Allotment Society Training with the YLCA.

 $Devon\ Communities\ Together,\ Devon\ Community\ Learning,\ new\ series\ of\ in-person\ and\ online\ training\ courses.$ 

*Publications:* DALC E-bulletin, NALC newsletter, NALC chief executive bulletin, NALC Events newsletter, Devon Climate Emergency June newsletter and DCC news round-up Connectme.

# 13. Finance.

Bank balances brought forward: Deposit a/c £8,105.07, Current a/c £29,663.43

HMR&C, vat reclaim for 2024/25, refund of £318.03 credited to Current a/c on 12/5/2025

**ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT** 

EDF Energy (electricity for DAAT community landing light) £ (invoice awaited)

### 14. Any Other Business.

# 15. Date of Next Meeting.

Wednesday 9 July 2025 at 7:30pm at the Community Room of Bow Village Hall.