QUEEN THORNE PARISH COUNCIL

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You are summoned to a Meeting of the Queen Thorne Parish Council to be held on Monday 2nd September 2024 commencing at 7.30pm in Sandford Orcas Village Hall. Members of the public are invited to address the Council during the Open Forum.

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- 1. Apologies.
- 2. Declarations of Interest
- 3. Co-option of new members for Nether Compton
- 4. Minutes to resolve the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 1st July 2024
- Business Items arising from Meeting 01/07/24
- Nether Compton Recreation Ground, including consideration of a replacement gate
- Allotments, update h.
- Neighbourhood Plan, update c.
- Highways issues, including updates on:
 - A30 road safety at the Marl Lane junction and unauthorised coach park i.
 - ii. Street sign replacement in St Michael's Close, Over Compton
 - iii. Unsuitable for HGVs sign for Compton Road & Penmore Lane/Marston Rd
 - iv. Hummer Bridge, road surface repairs
 - ٧. Shillers Lane, wall
 - vi. Mill Lane, Trent
 - vii. Damaged road sign at Crossfields, Nether Compton
- **Environment: Updates and issues** e.
- Wessex Internet fibre broadband connection f.
- g. Maintenance of the drainage ditch (swale) in Sandford Orcas
- Drain clearing and side verging contract, to consider quotation from Dorset Council and approve purchase order h.
- Tree growing in the stream in Sandford Orcas i.
- j. Exposed well at Stallen

7. **New Business:**

- Rights of Way: DMMO application submissions; Blocked paths
- Noticeboard repairs, Sandford Orcas and Over Compton
- BT plan to switch phone lines from analogue to digital
- d. Trees, maintenance
- Hedge maintenance around fingerposts e.
- f. Stray animals

8. **Financial Matters:**

- To receive the conclusion of audit report
- To receive financial report year to date and agree payment of invoices
- To consider and approve revised financial regulations
- 9. Correspondence

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10. Planning Matters:

- a. To report on applications for comment by the Parish Council
- b. To report applications determined by Dorset Council
- c. Primrose Lane, Mudford
- 11. Date of future Meetings.
- 12. Items for next Meeting