Tidenham Parish Council

To: Members of the Public & Press **13th November 2026**

You are invited to attend a meeting of Tidenham Parish Council that has been arranged for **Wednesday 18th November 2026 at 7.00pm in Sedbury and Beachley Village Hall, King Alfred's Road, Sedbury**, for the transaction of business according to the enclosed agenda.

Yours faithfully

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Note: Members of the public are welcome to attend meetings of the Council and Committees, unless specifically excluded due to the confidential nature of the business. Members of the public can ask questions or make representation during item 4 but the council cannot make a decision on any matter which is not specified on the agenda.

AGENDA

1. ATTENDANCE

a) To receive apologies for absence from those councillors unable to attend.

b) To consider for acceptance those apologies received with reasons for absence.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

a) To receive Declarations of Interest in respect of matters contained in this agenda, in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1972 in respect of officers and in accordance with the provisions of the Localism Act 2011 in respect of members.
Interests may be declared at any time during the meeting should they become apparent.

b) To consider any Dispensation Requests received by the Parish Clerk and not previously considered.

3. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

a) To consider for approval as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held 21st October 2026.

b) To consider any questions arising from those minutes.

4. PUBLIC CONSULTATION ***

To receive and consider any questions from the Public, which may be answered but not debated.

5. TO CONSIDER PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

a. P1277/26/TPO – 84 Bigstone Meadow, Tutshill, Chepstow, NP16 7JU.
Prune Sycamore covered by A1 of DFTPO 50 to give a clearance of 2-3 metres from 84 Bigstone Meadow in accordance with BS3998:2010.

b. P0692/26/FUL – Land South East of Garden Cottage Stroat.
Change of use of land from agricultural to equine, including the construction of a new stable block and menage.

c. P1195/26/FUL – Underwood, Rosemary Lane, Stroat, Chepstow.
Change of use of 3 No. holiday lets into dwelling houses.

d. P1297/26/FUL – Oakdene, Beachley Road, Tutshill, Chepstow.
Demolition of an existing outbuilding used as a home office and erection of a detached holiday let.

6. TO REPORT ON PLANNING DECISIONS TAKEN UNDER DELEGATED POWERS (s101)

None.

7. TO CONSIDER CORRESPONCE RECEIVED RE HIGHWAY ISSUES

a. To note Glos Road Safety have confirmed that a speed camera has been placed on Beachley Road in the 50mph limit and data collected will be shared with the PC once available.

b. To note Glos CC are conducting speed surveys across the County during November – no specific locations.

8. POLICING IN THE PARISH

To note Police crime statistics for Tidenham and Sedbury can be accessed following this link.
Tidenham and Sedbury | Police.uk (www.police.uk)

9. COMMITTEES

To receive reports, minutes and recommendations from committees and to consider any questions arising from them.

i). Amenities Committee meeting held on 11th November 2026.
Questions to Councillor Swambo, Chairman of the Committee.

10. CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

To receive and note any announcements from the Chairman of the meeting.

11. REPORTS FROM COUNTY AND DISTRICT COUNCILLORS

To note reports from Chris McFarling and the District Councillors who may attend the meeting.

12. PARISH CLERK'S REPORT

To receive and consider the Parish Clerk's Report. All items requiring the council to make a decision are specified separately on this agenda.

13. FINANCE

a) To approve payments according to the Financial Statement for October 2026.
b) To receive and approve the Financial Statement for October 2026.

14. COUNCILLOR TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT SESSION 21st NOVEMBER 2026

a) To confirm availability for attendance.
b) To consider purchase of wipeable tripod easel with markers pens, magnets and paper for £73.98 inc VAT from Amazon from training budget – no postage.

15. PARISH AND TOWN COUNCIL CLUSTER MEETING 19TH NOVEMBER

To note cluster meeting at Beachley Barracks, rearranged so that Tidenham councillors can attend – original was planned for evening of November full council meeting.

16. FOREST OF DEAN BIOSPHERE – TOWN AND PARISH COUNCIL SURVEY

To consider Parish Council responses to the Biosphere Survey sent by the FoDDC.

17. OPENSPACES GROUP UPDATE

a) To note Orchard Fundraising process has now begun and Clerk to send more detailed information to accompany applications.
b) To note Family Park potential sponsorship Q and A's.

18. PARISH COUNCIL LOGO

a) To consider a competition to design a new Parish Council logo amongst the four schools in the Parish. Cllr Burgess to co-ordinate.
b) To consider rules of the competition, including that the Council has final choice of a winning logo and may choose not to use any of the submitted logos if none deemed suitable.
c) To consider voucher prizes totalling £110 to be awarded to the winning entries.

19. ARMED FORCES COVENANT

To consider Tidenham Parish Council to commit and sign up to the Armed Forces Covenant.

20. GLOUCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL – SPATIAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY

To note Glos CC survey helping shape a future Spatial Development Strategy that supports sustainable growth over the next 25 years and beyond. Spatial Development Strategy (SDS) | Gloucestershire County Council

21. CORRESPONDENCE

To receive and consider any other correspondence as detailed in the Clerk's Report.

22. COUNCILLORS' REPORTS

To receive and note any matters which councillors wish to raise and where appropriate add to the agenda for the following meeting or meetings of committees.

23. FUTURE MEETINGS

To note the dates of future council and committee meetings:
Wednesday 25th November 2026 – Finance and Probity Committee meeting, followed by Mopla Cottages and Sedbury and Beachley Village Hall Committee meetings.
Wednesday 9th December 2026 – Full Council Meeting.

*** Allows a period not exceeding fifteen minutes for members of the public to make statements and ask questions of the Council. This item does not preclude Suspension of Standing Orders by the Council to allow participation on Items on the Agenda:**

- **i) Each person will be required to state their name and address.**
- **ii) Each person will be allowed no more than three minutes plus a brief follow-up to any answers given by the Council.**
- **iii) Questions may be answered but not debated by the Council.**
- **iv) Any issues that the Council considers require consideration should be referred to the next meeting of the Full Council or one of its Committees.**