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THE MEETING of the **WINGATE PARISH COUNCIL** will be held in the
WINGATE COMMUNITY CENTRE, Front Street, Wingate
on **MONDAY, 12th April 2021** at **6.30 p.m.**

Clerk

A G E N D A

1. **PUBLIC QUESTIONS 6.30 P.M. – 6.45 P.M.**
2. **MINUTES OF THE MEETING** of the Parish Council held on Monday 14th December 2021 (Appendix A)
3. **POLICE AND ASSOCIATED MATTERS**
4. **CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS**

To consider proposals to continue decorative lighting on the main front street area and to consider the potential for further decorative lighting in the Wellfield Road and Durham Road areas.
5. **FRONT STREET MEMORIAL AREA- DAMAGED FENCE**

To discuss the damaged boundary fence at the front street memorial area and the potential for it to be replaced.
6. **FRONT STREET REGENERATION PROJECT**

To consider proposals and respond to Durham County Council regarding a Towns and Villages project for Wingate which attempts to focus on the heart of the village as part of a built environment theme. Six areas/proposals are suggested as part of the project as follows:

Area 1, Top House/Industrial Estate Entrance Area- identified as an area used as a short cut for cars using the adjacent car park, posing a risk to pedestrian using the footway. (Photograph 1 attached)

Area 2, The Miners Memorial Site–identified as needing some improvements to create a welcoming focal point around the memorial as a place to rest and meet. Proposals include repaving the area, new seating, railings and planter to benefit from the restoration of the memorial. (Photograph 2 attached)

Area 3, Brick Flower Beds to the Front of the Community Centre- identified as an area with structural defect due to the trees planted and in need of a face lift. It is proposed to reduce the wall to street level and repave the area and add new railings. (Photograph 3 attached)

Area 4, Former TSB Square- identified as an area for improvement with the proposal for new seating, repaving area and to make good existing defaults.

Area 5, Access to Market Crescent- proposed to renovate the perimeter fencing. Discussions with the Durham County Council’s Clean and Green Team suggest they will be undertaking the work identified in area 5 for the perimeter fencing of the small park.

Area 6, Former Queenshead PH Area- identified as an area in need of a face lift. It is proposed to make good damaged area and repave with new blocks.

Further details will be provided at the meeting.

7. **PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

8. **CORRESPONDENCE**

9. **PAYMENTS AND FINANCIAL MATTERS**

- a) to authorise payments; and
- b) financial update; and

10. **REPORTS**

- (i) The Clerk
- (ii) Members
- (iii) County Councillor

11. **SCHEDULE OF ONGOING MATTERS**

To note the schedule of ongoing matters attached. (Appendix B)

TO: **ALL MEMBERS OF THE WINGATE PARISH COUNCIL**