



# Colehill Parish Council

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11<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Dear Member,

You are summoned to attend a meeting of the **HIGHWAYS PLANS & THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE** of Colehill Parish Council which will be held on **Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> June 2025 at Colehill & Wimborne Youth & Community Centre at 7.15pm** to consider the following Agenda items.

Yours faithfully

Clerk

**The Councillors who are called to this committee are:** Cllrs Nigel Bridle, Susan Cowsill, Clare Davison, Ann Edwards, Leslie Gibson, Patricia Gray, KD Johnson, Ken Murgatroyd, Richard Palmer and Andy Todd

## A G E N D A

1. **Appointment of Chair of Committee**
2. **Appointment of Vice-Chair of Committee**
3. **Apologies for Absence**  
To receive apologies for absence.
4. **Declarations of Interest**  
To receive declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests from Members in respect of the following items.
5. **Public Discussion Period**  
Members of the public will have an opportunity to raise questions and make representations.
6. **Minutes**  
To confirm the Minutes of the meeting held on 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2025. ([HPE Minutes](#)).
7. **Matters Arising**  
Any questions arising from the Minutes of 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2025.  
*The Minutes have been approved by Council.*
8. **Planning Applications**  
To consider and comment upon the Planning Applications listed below and on the Council's planning webpage where the commenting period is still open and discussion is requested by any councillor or by any Colehill resident attending the meeting.

Application No: [P/FUL/2025/02905](#)

Location: 24 Canford Bottom Colehill BH21 2HE

Proposal: Demolition of existing dwelling and proposed change of use to provide soft landscaping in association with the proposed foodstore

## 9. Clerk's Report

To note items for information included in the Clerk's Report (attached).

## 10. Exclusion of Press and Public

*To propose, second and agree that in view of the nature of the business to be transacted it is likely that if a member of the public were present during the following item there would be a disclosure of 'confidential information' and they therefore be excluded from the meeting in accordance with Section 1(2) Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960.*

## 11. Highways Report

To receive a brief report on Highways Safety.

## 12. Road Safety Working Group

To receive a report from Cllr Leslie Gibson on the first meeting of the Road Safety Working Group and to resolve to agree to and fund a community engagement survey produced to seek resident's opinion on a 20mph proposal – cost £250.00

### 13. Local Plan Event

To resolve which members will attend the information and engagement event on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July in Dorchester for Dorset town and parish councils about the forthcoming public consultation on the Dorset Council Local Plan

## 14. Strimmer

To resolve whether to purchase a strimmer similar to below for vegetation cut backs.

<https://www.screwfix.com/p/hyundai-hytr2600x-26cc-split-curved-shaft-380mm-petrol-grass-trimmer/330hm>

## 15. Bench refurbishments

To resolve whether to accept either quote received for slat replacement and re-varnish on one bench and re-varnish on another – quotes for these works are:

Quote A - £917.62 +VAT

Quote B - £956 +VAT

## 16. Street Furniture

**(a) Public Benches**

To note the information from the public bench volunteers listed below:

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|---|--|---|---|
| a | Lapwing Road – <b>Cllr Cowsill</b>                 | h | Cnr of Middlehill Rd/Hayes Ln – <b>Cllr Gibson</b>      |
| b | St Michael's Church – <b>Cllr Palmer</b>           | i | Wimborne Rd, opp Beaucroft Ln – <b>Cllr Davison</b>     |
| c | Cannon Hill Road – <b>Cllr Johnson</b>             | j | Middlehill Road, outside 143 & 145 – <b>Cllr Gibson</b> |
| d | Five Ways Cross – <b>Cllr Palmer</b>               | k | Leigh Road (Bytheway) – <b>Cllr Cowsill</b>             |
| e | Colehill Post Office, opposite – <b>Cllr Todd</b>  | l | Corner of Weston Road – <b>Cllr Johnson</b>             |
| f | Corner of Pilford Heath Road – <b>Cllr Johnson</b> |   |   |
| g | Wimborne Road West – <b>Cllr Davison</b>           |   |   |

**(b) War Memorial/Bus Shelters**

The Clerk to report.

**(c) Oliver's Park Play Area and St Michael's Dirt**

## Updates on these two recreation areas

To further resolve inspectors of St Michael's Dirt following availability changes.

**(d) Speed Indicator Device (SID)**

Cllr Johnson to report.

**(e) Grit Bins**

To note that the next grit bin inspections will take place in July 2025:

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|---|------------------------------|---------------------|----|----------------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Park Homer Drive             | <b>Cllr Palmer</b>  | 9  | Giddylake (Burts Hill end) | <b>Cllr Palmer</b>   |
| 2 | Heron Drive (Pilford Hth Rd) | <b>Cllr Cowsill</b> | 10 | Cutlers Pl (Jessopp Rd)    | <b>Cllr Gibson</b>   |
| 3 | Bridleway (78 Canford Bott)  | <b>Cllr Bridle</b>  | 11 | Ashmeads Way               | <b>Cllr Gibson</b>   |
| 4 | Saddle Close                 | <b>Cllr Bridle</b>  | 12 | Ashmeads Cl                | <b>Cllr Gibson</b>   |
| 5 | Bridleway (Harness Close)    | <b>Cllr Bridle</b>  | 13 | Olivers Rd/(Olivers Way)   | <b>Cllr Keniston</b> |
| 6 | Glynville Close              | <b>Cllr Johnson</b> | 14 | Lonnen Rd/ (Rotary Cl)     | <b>Cllr Todd</b>     |
| 7 | Pilford Hth Rd (Lapwg Rd)    | <b>Cllr Cowsill</b> | 15 | Woodview/ (Lonnen Rd)      | <b>Cllr Todd</b>     |
| 8 | Brackenhill Road             | <b>Cllr Cowsill</b> |    |                            |                      |

## 17. Highway Matters for Report

## 18. Items for Discussion and Close of Meeting