



Up Holland Parish Council

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The next meeting of Up Holland Parish Council will be held on **Tuesday 9th January 2024 at 7.30pm** in the Up Holland Methodist Church, Alma Hill, WN8 ONR.

Parish Councillors are hereby summoned to attend: Cllr Jenny Whiting (Chairman), Cllr Christopher Mackrell (Vice-Chairman), Cllr Barry Hale, Cllr Linda Jones, Cllr John Gardner, Cllr Andrew Grant, Cllr Mike McGunigle, Cllr Gaynar Owen, Cllr Gill Sinnott, Cllr Alex Stoddart, Cllr Richard Taylor.

Note: From 7.15pm to 7.30pm there will be 15 minutes for public participation

Members of the public do not take part in council meetings themselves. However, members of the public who wish to make comments may address the Council at this point. There is a normal time limit of four minutes per speech.

AGENDA

- 1. To record apologies for absence**
- 2. To receive declarations of interest**
- 3. To ratify as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held 12th December 2023**
- 4. To record any police issues**
- 5. Ward Reports: Update the meeting on issues Councillors are attending to**
- 6. Financial Matters:**
 - **Accounts for ratification and payment**
 - **To note next meeting of the Financial Committee**
 - **To confirm Parish Precept Request**
- 7. Update from LALC (Lancashire Association of Local Councils)**
- 8. Any Update from Borough or County Councillors**
- 9. To consider any planning issues or applications**

10. Resolution for the Exclusion of Press and Public

It is recommended that members of the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items of business in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act and as, in all circumstances of the case the public interest in maintaining the exemption under Section 12A outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

11. Provision of Goods and Services

- (a) Update on creation of a Miyawaki Woodland* at Mill Lane Play Area
- (b) Update on proposal to provide additional land to rear of St Thomas the Martyr for a non-denominational memorial garden or burial site
- (c) Update on play equipment provision

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3rd January 2024

**Miyawaki Woodland = The Miyawaki method is an afforestation technique for cultivating fast-growing groves of native plants, with the dense, mixed planting intended to simulate the layers of a natural forest. Originally developed by Japanese ecologist Akira Miyawaki in the early 1970s for Nippon Steel. 600-1,000 trees planted on a tennis-court-sized plot to offset effects of climate change.*