SEVENHAMPTON PARISH COUNCIL

To all members of the Council

You are hereby summoned to attend the **Annual Parish Council Meeting** to be held at Rhodes Memorial Hall on **Wednesday 16th May 2018 at 7.30pm** for the purpose of transacting the following business.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND. There will be a **Question and Answer** session, if required, for Members of the Public wishing to raise questions.

	10 th May 2018
D	iana Cook (Clerk)

AGENDA

- 1. To accept apologies for absence
- 2. Questions & Answers (if required)
- 3. Declarations of interest in any item on the agenda
- 4. Election of Chairman and Vice-Chairman
- 5. To approve the minutes from the last Council meeting and consider matters arising:
 - a. Parish vacancy
 - b. Winter Provisions
 - c. Notice boards
 - d. Lengthsman scheme
- 6. To adopt updated Standing Orders based on NALC's recommendations
- 7. To discuss safeguarding village amenities under the Localism Act (2011)
- 8. To discuss the future of 'Village Live' newsletter
- 9. To identify and consider projects for 'Growing our Communities' funding
- 10. Clerk's report including:
 - a. Police report
 - b. Update on General Data Protection Regulations, including info re Data Officer
 - c. Request from 'Cotswold Friends' for donation
 - d. To advise on petty cash purchases
- 11. Financial Matters
 - a. To discuss items contained in the internal Auditor's report and approve Exemption Certificate (ie Council with <£25,000 budget)
 - b. To consider, approve and sign Annual Governance Statement
 - c. To consider, approve and sign Accounting Statement
 - d. To approve renewal of Discount Domains (£15.59)
 - e. To approve renewal of Insurance policy (£216.50)
 - f. To approve pay increase for Clerk in accordance with NALC guidelines
 - g. To receive financial update for Period 1 (to date)
 - h. To identify and approve the Council's budget for the forthcoming year
- 12. Planning Matters
 - a. Extension & Refurbishment at Puckham Farm, Nr Whittington (18/01394/FUL)
- 13. To identify meetings for the forthcoming year and to confirm

Date of next meeting as 18th July 2018

Members are reminded that the Council has a general duty to consider the following matters in the exercise of any of its functions: Equal Opportunities (race, gender, pregnancy & maternity, religion or belief, sex & sexual orientation, marital status and any disability), Crime & Disorder, Health & Safety and Human Rights.