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To: All Members of Council

Dear Councillor,

You are hereby called by The Chairman, Councillor McGregor to attend an Extraordinary (TEAMS) meeting of Full Council **on Monday 25th January 2021 at 7p.m** for the transaction of business as set out on the agenda below.

Yours sincerely,

The Chairman

AGENDA

1. THE CHAIRMAN TO ADVISE THOSE IN ATTENDANCE OF THE PROTOCOL FOR THE MEETING

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

3. ADMISSION OF THE PUBLIC

To consider whether members of the public should be excluded from the meeting.

RESOLUTION REQUIRED

4. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

A Councillor with voting rights who has a disclosable pecuniary interest or another interest as set out in our Council's Standing Orders code of Conduct (Item 13) in a matter being considered at a meeting is subject to statutory limitations or restrictions under code of conduct and his right to participate and vote on the matter (guidelines are available at the meeting and all Councillors have received a copy prior to the meeting).

5. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION – NOTIFIED AND IMPROMPTU (Total 15 Minutes)

Members of the public who wish to speak at this meeting please email the Town Clerk. Email: townclerk@wallingfordtowncouncil.gov.uk a link will then be provided to the virtual meeting.

6. CHANGES TO GOLDSMITHS LANE CAR PARK

South Oxfordshire District Council, (SODC), will be considering the consultation on the proposed changes to the car park fees and charges at its meeting on 4 February 2021. The Town Council's comments as per minute 422/11/2020 (attached).

It has been identified that in the agreement for South Oxfordshire District Council to manage all of Goldsmiths Lane car park on behalf of the Wallingford Town Council dating back to 1982 (currently being updated), it states that, "The District Council hereby agrees not to alter the parking charges set out in the Order or to alter the designation of the Car Park as a short term vehicle parking place without prior consultation and agreement with Waitrose the Town council and the Society".

SODC, specifically in relation to the Goldsmiths Lane car park, are asking the Town Council to consider the following options:

1. Reduce to one hour immediately **or**
2. Reduce to one hour when we implement civil parking enforcement due later this year **or**
3. Maintain two hours free parking but agree to review in a year's time.
4. The proposal is to charge 9am to 5pm Mon to Sat. If this is not acceptable, what time charging the town council would agree to?
5. In respect of Sunday charging would starting the charging at a later time such as 10am or 11am be acceptable?
6. Would Council support half price permits for electric vehicles?

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Distribution: Town Council Website, Noticeboard and Press.

Any member of the public wishing to join the meeting should contact the Town Clerk by email: townclerk@wallingfordtowncouncil.gov.uk A link will be provided to the virtual meeting.

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