

BRAFIELD ON THE GREEN PARISH COUNCIL

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PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT PARISH COUNCILLORS ARE SUMMONED AND THE PUBLIC INVITED TO ATTEND THE MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL AT THE SARGEANT MEMORIAL HALL ON WEDNESDAY 15th MARCH 2023 AT 7.00PM.

1. Apologies for Absence and Quorum
2. Co-option of new Councillor and signing of Acceptance of Office
3. Review of and Approval and signature of previous meeting's minutes (18.1.23).
4. Members Declarations of Interest on any Agenda items
5. Questions from Parishioners in attendance (note 3 minutes per parishioner)
6. West Northamptonshire Council Report if available
7. Planning Applications for comment (see annexed list)
8. Estate Matters:
 - Footpaths – any issues for report
 - Street lighting – any issues for report
9. Play Area – update - new swings installed. Any health and safety concerns.
10. Highways
 - Updates on Fix my Street reports
 - Review of WNC verge cutting
 - Billing Road – traffic calming – Council to decide which VAS speed sign to purchase if grant funding awarded, and whether to apply for the required license before applying for the grant or only after Council knows if it is successful.
 - To note proposals to introduce a 40mph speed limit Order on Bedford Road, Northampton and a 50mph speed limit on A428 Northampton Road, through Great Houghton, Little Houghton, Brafield on the Green, Denton, Castle Ashby and Yardley Hastings.
 - The proposals have been put forward for maintaining safety and have been agreed through the Speed Limit Review Panel.
11. Council to discuss the degradation of the triangle next to the Green.
12. Finance
 - Approval of Payments and Bank Reconciliation (see annexed list) –
 - Internal Control Review – Council to review effectiveness.
 - Council to review Fidelity Insurance currently at £250,000.
13. Website Enhancement – Council to review
14. Council to consider Internet access at Village Hall
15. Items for Village Newsletter

16. Any other items for future meetings
17. Summary of Action points for each councillor.
18. Date and time of next meetings

VM Hartley 8.3.23

Payments to be agreed at meeting on 15th March 2023

Payee	Detail	Total	Net	Vat	Ref
Church and Poors Land Charity	Rent for Play Area	60.00	-	-	53
CPRE	Annual membership	36.00	-	-	54
V Hartley	Salary Jan-Mar	1087.12*			55
R Aldridge	Salary Feb and Mar	273.61*			56
S Gautrey	Salary Oct - Dec	136.90*			57
B Osborne	Payroll services	67.50*	-	-	58
ICO	Annual fee	35.00			dd
Ford and McHugh	Light rprs – 22 Bridle path, Grove Rd	408.00	340.00	90.00	59
NetWise UK	Domain renewal	24.00	20.00	4.00	60
V Hartley	Microsoft sub	59.99			61

Total £2188.12

*Exact figures to be confirmed from pay roll officer

Bank Reconciliation

Balance at 8.3.23 - £3181.90

Balance at 15.3.23 Less above payments of £993.78

Planning Applications since 18.1.23

1. Planning consultation WNS/2023/0266/FUL, 5 Green Road, Brafield On The Green, NN7 1BE
2. Planning consultation/Information for application WNS/2023/0223/FUL at Riverview Caravan Park Station Road Cogenhoe NN7 1NH