

Bradenham Parish Council

Policy and procedures of the Parish Council for the consideration and awarding of grants and donations

Bradenham Parish Council sets aside a sum of money each year to donate to good causes in the parish as either a grant or a donation. The sum allocated by the Parish is part of the annual precept the Parish Council collects from the electorate and is available for distribution from 1 April each year.

The Parish Council is governed by rules set out in the Local Government Act 1972 (section 137) which states the money must be spent on purposes for the direct benefit of the parish and be commensurate with the expenditure incurred, for example, spending a large amount for the benefit of only one or two people is not acceptable.

Contributions may be made to charities and bodies providing a public service on a non-profit making basis, but only in furtherance of their work in the United Kingdom. It is unlawful for a council to contribute to an individual or a charity or a public service body operating overseas. Contributions to UK charities and bodies providing a public service do not have to bring any direct benefit to the council's area or to its inhabitants.

Policy

All grants and donations are made in compliance with S137 of the Local Government Act 1972

Grant / donation application form

If you consider your organisation is eligible to apply for a grant or donation please apply in writing to the Parish Council office at Riva, Naphill Common, Naphill High wycombe HP14 4SZ or via email clerk@Bradenham.org.uk. If you have any queries please contact the Clerk of the Council to discuss your application on 01494 562254

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