## Notice of Ordinary Meeting of BRADENHAM PARISH COUNCIL on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2023 at the Cricket Pavilion commencing at **7.00pm**

# Agenda

- 1. Apologies
- 2. Disclosure of interest in items on the agenda
- 3. To confirm the minutes of the ordinary meeting of 7<sup>th</sup> November 2022.
- 4. To report on matters arising from the minutes not on the agenda.

The meeting will be closed for a <u>Public Session</u> - (15 minutes in total) - Members of the public are invited to attend and speak on items on the agenda or on matters of concern within the parish at this point.

- 5. Reports:
  - a. County Councillors
  - b. RAF
  - c. Chairman
  - d. Clerk:
- 6. Meetings/training attended.
- 7. Updates on activities:
  - a. Monthly HMRC information submitted.
  - b. Defibrillator checked
  - c. Copy submitted to Contact via Cllr Peggy Ewart.
  - d. PC members are sent the regular updates from BC and other parties.
  - e. Reply from Affinity Water re frequent leaks and a permanent repair received and circulated.
  - f. Jubilee tree collected 28/11/22. To be planted with the NT.
  - g. Traffic issues:
- 8. Buckinghamshire Council Settlement Review as circulated. PC to consider.
- 9. Planning:
  - a. BC decisions:
    - 22/06364/FUL Bradenham Manor, Bradenham Wood Lane. Application for repairs to south boundary. Amended plans omitting the railing on top of the wall. BC permitted. PC no objection to the amended plan. BC permitted.
  - b. New planning applications:
    - 22/08010/CTREE up to 4m crown reduction x2 lime (663,664), fell to ground x young trees (G1), crown reduction up to 3m x1 cherry (OF1) and remove tree x 1 Bird cherry (OF2). Between meetings PC no objections, BC decided not to make a TPO.

10. Approve salary increase clerk:

- The NALC nationally agreed pay rise @ £1 per hour for the clerk back dated to 01/04/22.
- The additional one-day holiday from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023, taking the total from 22 to 23 days. Excluding bank holidays. The additional three days for those with five years' service or more remains the same. The clerk has 22 years' service hence already 25 days holiday.
- 11. Finance:
  - a. Set budget and precept for 2023/24.

- Consider donations for 2022/23. £154.99 left in budget. To date £200 b. donation to the cricket club and £5.01 donation to the RBL. Last year we donated to Saunderton hostel and the One Can Trust
- Approve S/O for staff costs December @ £ 346.04 per month and January @ c. £371.21
- Approve 9 months (April- December) back pay @ £25.17 per month= £226.53 d. for clerk.
- Approve clerk's working from home allowance for the year as suggested by e. NALC £500.
- f. Clerk hours:
  - Contracted 5.8 hrs /week •
  - Holiday 0.6 hrs per week. • Hours: from 31/10/22 to 09/12/22= 6 weeks (34.8-5.4=29.4) worked 26hrs plus 6hrs. Clerk on sick leave from 09/12/22
  - Review the accounts year to date

| g. Review the accounts year to date |              |               |  |  |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|---------------|--|--|
| Expenditure                         | Ytd 09/01/23 | Budget as set |  |  |
|                                     | £            | £             |  |  |
| Clerk's salary                      | 3,366.06     | 4,245         |  |  |
| Admin expenses                      | 378.13       | 450           |  |  |
| Bank charges                        | 72.00        | 0             |  |  |
| WFH allowance                       | 500.00       | 500           |  |  |
| Insurance                           | 328.54       | 330           |  |  |
| Audit fee                           | 50.00        | 50            |  |  |
| Subscriptions                       | 125.89       | 150           |  |  |
| Donation (rent) S137                | 200.00       | 160           |  |  |
| Donations S137                      | 5.01         | 200           |  |  |
| Fete/Jubilee party                  | 250.00       | 300           |  |  |
| Std maintenance                     | 130.00       | 400           |  |  |
| Devolved services grass             | 1,021.31     | 1014          |  |  |
| cutting                             |              |               |  |  |
| Training                            | 50.00        | 150           |  |  |
| Sundry                              | 0            | 100           |  |  |
| Dog waste collection                | 400.00       | 580           |  |  |
| HS2 road safety                     | 0            | 500           |  |  |
| 2021/22 budget                      |              |               |  |  |
| Project work                        | 0            | 500           |  |  |
| Track maintenance-                  | 0            | 250           |  |  |
| other<br>Information board          | 0            | 160           |  |  |
|                                     |              |               |  |  |
| Mvas batteries                      | 803.00       | 0             |  |  |
| insurance claim Subtotal            | 7,679.94     | 10,039        |  |  |
|                                     |              |               |  |  |
| Vat                                 | 473.56       | 0             |  |  |
| TOTAL                               | 8,153.50     | 10,039        |  |  |

| Income                   | Ytd £ 09/01/23 | Budget £ |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------|
| Precept                  | 7,732.00       | 7732     |
| WDC devolved<br>services | 108.91         | 108      |
| BC devolved services     | 592.55         | 593      |
| Vat                      | 376.93         | 350      |
| Interest NS&I            | 0              | 0        |
| Insurance claim          | 225.60         | 0        |
| TOTAL                    | 9,035.99       | 8783     |

#### h. To approve the following payments as listed below:

| Payments to be approved at the meeting: | Description           | £     |
|---|-----------------------|-------|
| TBS Hygiene Ltd                         | Dog bins emptying Nov | 48.00 |

| TBS Hygiene Ltd | Dog bins emptying Dec                            | 60.00  |
|-----------------|--|--------|
| D Hansen        | Clerk working from home allowance 2022/23        | 500.00 |
| D Hansen        | Clerk's expenses incl £101 SLCC membership 2023. | 144.33 |
| D Hansen        | Clerk backpay April- December (9 months)         | 226.53 |
| Total           |  | 978.86 |

| Funds available <b>:</b><br>Opening balances 20/12/22 | £               |
|---|-----------------|
| HSBC Current account                                  | 7,058.79        |
| Less December salary                                  | 346.04          |
| Less January salary                                   | 371.21          |
| Less January bank charges                             | 8.00            |
| Less expenditure incl Jan. payments                   | 978.86          |
| Current a/c funds Jan 2022<br>Add                     | 5,354.68        |
| NS&I @ 31/12/21                                       | <u>2,567.69</u> |
| Total Funds available                                 | 7,922.37        |

#### 12. Members' questions.

- 13. To confirm date of the next ordinary meeting as Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2023.
- 14. Future meeting dates:

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2023 incl. Annual Parish Meeting and Annual Parish Council meeting, 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2023, 11<sup>th</sup> September 2023, and 13<sup>th</sup> November 2023. All meetings start at 7pm

### D Hansen

02/01/23

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# The meeting is open to the public and members of the press.