# GREAT WRATTING PARISH COUNCIL

A meeting of Great Wratting Parish Council will be held on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2022 at 7.30 p.m. in Thurlow Village Hall, The Street, Great Thurlow, Haverhill CB9 7LA

Members of the council are summoned to attend the meeting, which is open to the public and press.

Richard Bowler, Clerk 11th March 2022

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PUBLIC FORUM (15 minutes): Comments and observations from members of the public

# **AGENDA**

#### 1. Apologies for absence

To accept any apologies, with reasons for absence

#### 2. <u>Members' declarations of interest</u>

To receive members' declarations of interest in items on the agenda

#### 3. Minutes of previous meeting(s)

To approve the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2022

#### 4. Matters arising

#### 5. Local authority reports

- a) Suffolk County Council
- b) West Suffolk District Council

#### 6. Planning applications

Planning applications, District Council decisions, and appeals

#### a) **Planning applications**

(i) DC/22/0125/HH

Address: 1 Moor Pasture Way, Great Wratting CB9 7HE

Application: Single-storey side extension

Applicants: Mr and Mrs Mark Robertshaw, 1 Moor Pasture Way

(ii) DC/22/0272/TCA

82 Thurlow Road, Great Wratting CB9 7HG

One dead sycamore and one dead elm to be felled

Applicant: Robert Rush, 82 Thurlow Road

#### b) **Planning decisions** (made by District Council) – for information

(i) DC/21/2375/TCA

Address: Waterfields, Dwelling, School Road, Great Wratting CB9 7HA

Application: One sycamore, crown reduce by 3 metres on north side and crown

reduction in height by 2 metres

Applicant: Gary Fox

<u>District Council decision</u>: No objections

#### (ii) DC/22/0002/TCA

Address: Ash Tree House, Withersfield Road, Great Wratting CB9 7HD

Application: a) one beech, overall crown reduction by 0.5 metre; b) 19 Leylandii, overall crown reduction by 1 metre; c) six conifers, overal crown reduction by 1.5 metres; d)

one conifer, overall crown reduction by 4.5 metres

Applicant: Paul Allen, Ash Tree House, Withersfield Road

District Council decision: No objections

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#### 7. Queen's Platinum Jubilee

To discuss arrangements for celebrations including plans for beacon, and Village Fete<sup>(THo, THa)</sup>

### 8. Highways

# a) Quiet Lanes project

To receive a report from Cllr May

#### b) Road repairs

To urge the County Council:

- (i) to repair pot-holes in the village more quickly (DF)
- (ii) to repair damage to road surface and address drainage issues in School Road (BJ)

# c) Speeding

To discuss speeding in the village and the use of the VAS equipment

#### d) Construction traffic using B1061

To note District Cllr Peter Stevens' e-mails re: construction lorries

#### e) Other Highways issues

To discuss various highways issue, including

- (i) proposed speed limit between the Thurlows and Great Bradley
- (ii) road-sweeping
- (iii) condition of pavements in the village
- (iv) condition of verges outside 1 to 6 Moor Pasture Way<sup>(BJ)</sup>

#### 9. Environment & Wildlife

# a) Storm damage

To discuss debris and litter resulting from recent storms<sup>(NC)</sup>

#### b) Queen's Platinum Jubilee Tree-Planting

To receive an update<sup>(NC)</sup>

# c) Bird species project

To discuss proposals(NC)

#### 10. Litter pick

To arrange a date for a Spring Litter Pick<sup>(NC)</sup>

#### 11. Ukraine invasion

To discuss any local response

# 12. E-mail tree

- a) To clarify terms of reference for the use of the e-mail tree<sup>(THa)</sup>
- b) To discuss potential sponsorship of e-mail tree<sup>(THo)</sup>

#### 13. Annual Parish Meeting

To discuss arrangements for Annual Parish Meeting, Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2022

#### 14. Finance

- a) To receive monthly financial reports (Jan + Feb 2022)
- b) To note offer of £500 grant from District Cllr Peter Stevens' Locality Budget for Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations

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c) To authorise payment(s)

	ref	payee	details	amount
14(c)(i)	0320	The Village Link	91 copies of "The Village Link" per month (Feb 2021 – Jan 2022)	£510.00
14(c)(ii)	0321	SALC	Payroll service (1 Oct 2021 – 31 Mar 2022)	£54.00
14(c)(iii)	0322	Thurlow Village Hall	Hire of hall (10th Jan 2022)	£15.00
14(c)(iv)	0323	Thurlow Village Hall	Hire of hall (16th Mar 2022)	£30.00
14(c)(v)	0324	Richard Bowler	Clerk's salary (Jan 2022)	£178.57
14(c)(vi)	0325	Richard Bowler	Clerk's salary (Feb 2022)	£178.57

- 15. Confirmation of date of next meeting
- 16. Closure of meeting