GREAT WRATTING PARISH COUNCIL

A meeting of Great Wratting Parish Council will be held at 7.30 pm on Wednesday 17th January 2024 at the Red Lion, School Road, Great Wratting CB9 7HA.

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

Richard Bowler, Clerk 12th January 2024

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. Members' declarations of interest

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 15th November 2023

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

None

- b) Planning decisions (made by District Council) for information
 - (i) Ref: NMA(A)/21/1991

Address: Le Eadron, The Street, Great Wratting CB9 7HQ

Applicant: Mr Robert Town, Le Eadron, The Street

Application: Non-material amendment to DC/21/1991/HH – to allow for changes to doors and windows from wood to very high quality UPVC wood grain effect and large windows/sliding doors on rear lounge and bedroom in aluminium

District Council decision: Approved

7. Highways

- To discuss the issue of the large numbers of HGVs using B1061 between the Karro crossroads and Newmarket^(BJ)
- b) To discuss purchase of vehicle-activated speed signs (THO)
- c) To consider responding to Leader and Deputy Leader of West Suffolk Council re: Strategic Priorities 2024-28^(Tho)
- d) To discuss overgrown hedges on roadways (BJ)
- e) To consider request for the installation of roadside posts to prevent parking on the verge near The Drey in Withersfield Road^(Tho)

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f) To receive update on reinstatement of street sign in The Street^(DF)

8. Grit bins

- a) Refilling of grit bins^(DF)
- b) Repositioning of grit bin by The Green^(DF)

9. Village clean-up/litter-pick

To consider proposal to have litter-pick in January, to avoid risk of litter on verges being shredded by mowers^(Tho)

10. Litter and dog waste bins

- a) Dog-fouling on footpaths(BJ)
- b) To discuss provision of dog waste bins (BJ)
- c) To discuss cost of bins being emptied by District Council (BJ)
- 11. To consider celebration of 80th anniversary of D-Day (6th Jun 2024)
- 12. To receive notification of Suffolk Spring Classic cycling event (Sunday 21st Apr 2024)
- **13.** <u>To receive invitation to West Suffolk District Council's Parish and Town Forum</u> (Mildenhall, Monday 18th Mar 2024, 7 8.30 p.m.)
- **14.** To receive invitation to Community Action Suffolk's virtual presentation on rural and community-led housing (Tues 13th Feb 2024, 11 a.m. 12 noon)
- 15. To consider responding to Police and Crime Commissioner's precept survey

16. Policies

To consider adopting 2020 Code of Conduct

17. Administration

The lack of timely responses from the Clerk, namely provision of draft minutes and approved minutes to put on the website and noticeboard. (DF)

18. Finance

- a) To receive monthly financial reports (Nov + Dec 2023)
- b) To agree 2024-25 budget
- c) To agree 2024-25 precept request
- d) To authorise payment(s)

	ref	payee	details	amount
18d(i)	0388	Richard Bowler	Clerk's salary (Nov 2023)	£212.87
18d(ii)	0389	Richard Bowler	Clerk's salary (Dec 2023)	£212.87
18d(iii)	0390	HMRC	PAYE (6 Oct 2023 - 5 Jan 2024)	£159.60
18d(iv)	0391	Great Wratting PCC	Use of Red Lion as meeting venue on 17th	£30.00
			Jan 2024	

19. To agree meeting dates

- a) To confirm date of next meeting (20th Mar 2024)
- b) To consider changing date of Parish Council's Annual Meeting (Tho)

20. Closure of meeting