



# NASSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL



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You are hereby invited to attend the meeting of Nassington Parish Council on **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2023, at 7.30pm**, at Nassington Village Hall, Church St, Nassington for the purpose of transacting the following business:

*Sarah Rodger*

SARAH RODGER, CLERK TO THE COUNCIL

DATE: 3 APRIL 2023

**You are reminded that it is unlawful to make decisions at the meeting re matters not specified on this agenda**

### **AGENDA**

**Background papers and information can be accessed by clicking the [hyperlinks](#)**

1. **To note attendance and apologies for absence**
2. **To receive declarations of Interest and/or application for a [dispensation](#) on items for discussion on this agenda.**
3. **To approve [Minutes](#) of the Meeting(s) held in March 2023 as previously circulated.**  
Consider Resolution: To confirm the veracity of the minutes of the previous parish council meeting,
4. **Presentation: [Rockingham Forest Vision](#) and in particular Parish Nature Recovery Plans from Sophie van den Bergh from Nene Rivers Trust, followed by Q&A session**
5. **Questions or address from members of the public:**

Guidelines for public participation are available at [www.nassington.org.uk](http://www.nassington.org.uk) . No decisions or representation can be made regarding matters about which the parish council has not previously been fully apprised.

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6. **Opportunity to consider co-option of new member of the parish council.**
7. **Planning and Development:**

To consider and resolve the council's response to planning applications listed below plus any other planning applications advised by North Northamptonshire Council and available [on its website](#) between the circulation of this agenda and the meeting to which it pertains. (Such planning applications which arrive after the preparation of this agenda that are considered at the meeting, may be subject to review at a later stage). Click on underlined hyperlinks to view: (members should acquaint themselves with the details of the application prior to the meeting – any problems with doing so should be addressed to the clerk). Only [MATERIAL PLANNING CONSIDERATIONS](#) should be considered:

- a) [NE/23/00296/FUL](#) | Construction of four single storey E(g) business units and associated car parking | Former Station Yard Station Road
- b) [NE/23/00284/TCA/](#) | Coniferous Tree (T1) Remove small tree at front of property to ground level, to be replaced with similar specimen in a more suitable spot; Eucalyptus (T2) Re-pollard to previous cuts, to a maximum of 2-3m. | 63 Church Street Nassington
- c) [NE/23/00235/PNA](#) | Agricultural Livestock Building | Walnut Farm Mill Road
- d) East Northamptonshire Local Plan Part 2: [consultation](#)

- e) Neighbourhood Plan – Opportunity for update.

## **8. Governance:**

- a) Consider and approve section 1 of the [AGAR](#), in conformity with guidelines laid out by [JPAG Practitioners Guide](#).
- b) Confirm [dates](#) for exercise of public rights (to inspect accounts and associated papers) 5<sup>th</sup> June – 14<sup>th</sup> July 2023.
- c) Public space protection order [consultation](#): Opportunity to consider [response](#)
- d) Opportunity for discussion to acknowledge submission of application for [23.00375.LAPNEW](#) under the Licensing Act 2003, for the supply of alcohol Oak Lake Store Rockingham Forest Park, Kings Cliffe Road
- e) Receive update regarding electricity supply for AED units:
  - Note re-negotiated rate for AED in phonebox
  - Receive clarification of situation with supply to stand alone units on verges

## **9. Playing field**

- a) Receive [concerns raised](#) regarding access road and carpark at the playing field
- b) Opportunity to further consider public liability implications and agree action in conjunction with opportunity to further consider licences / agreements for users of the playing field as per ongoing correspondence.
- c) Update re zip slide surfacing and outstanding maintenance works
- d) Further consideration of coronation bench – agree siting and budget

## **10. Community / Projects:**

- a) Litter pick and community event on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> April
- b) Nature recovery updates:
  - i. Hedge planting
  - ii. Churchyard – nature conservation
  - iii. Verge maintenance (recovery)
  - iv. Tree(s) at playing field

Agree further budget and ratification of [expenditure](#)

- c) History group expenditure: Ratification of expenditure for display materials and presentation event sundries. (budget brought forward from 22/23 budget balance)
- d) Biscuit Tin: Ratification of expenditure from donated carol singing fund. Receive activity [report](#)

## **11. Financial matters:**

- a) Receive and approve accounts year end [31st March 2023](#).
- b) Receive Section 2 of the AGAR. Recommendation: Approve Section 2 of the [AGAR](#)
- c) Approve invoices / accounts for payment or paid under delegated authority: [HERE](#)

## **12. Receive Official announcements, notices or reports / Correspondence / representations of note:**

## **13. Agree Newsletter / Social Media / community communications.**

## **14. Matters to note – not for decision. Future agenda items / matters to be carried forward –**

Reminders to the clerk regarding previous resolutions can be noted. The nature of future agenda items can be openly discussed at this point, but no binding decisions can be made.