



# NASSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL



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You are hereby invited to attend the meeting of Nassington Parish Council on **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December 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: 8<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 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 receive apologies for absence**, consider resolution to approve apologies
- 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 November 2023 as previously circulated.**  
Consider Resolution: To confirm the veracity of the minutes of the previous parish council meeting,
- 4. Session with consider** community and locally owned renewable and low carbon energy assets to make progress towards the Government's net-zero carbon emissions targets via the Community Energy Fund Background [HERE](#):

**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. Planning, Development and licensing:**

To consider and resolve the council's response to planning and licensing 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:

There are no planning applications at the time of preparation and publication of this agenda.

**7. Neighbourhood plan: Update**

**8. Governance:**

- a) Co-option policy – ratify updated co-option policy [HERE](#) (updated from 2018 to allow resignation by email)

**9. Community / Projects:**

- a) Nature recovery project update. Consider self-funding project.
- b) Approval of quote distributed in advance of meeting for community projects and playing field access road and car park works
- c) Consider invitation to join NACRE - [HERE](#)

**10. Playing field**

- a) Update regarding access road. Agree next steps.
- b) 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) Ratification of instructions to cut back vegetation to north of access road

**11. Financial:**

- a) Receive and approve [accounts](#) to end of previous month to date.
- b) Consider draft budget for consideration and
- c) Approve invoices / accounts for payment or paid under delegated authority: *HERE*

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

- *Progress reports*

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

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

The nature of future agenda items can be openly discussed at this point, but no binding decisions can be made.