# **GRAFHAM PARISH COUNCIL**

# Parish Clerk: Lisa Hazel, 2 Brampton Road Chair: Mr I Gardener, 5 Haycraft Close, Grafham

## To the members of the Council:

You are hereby summoned to attend the **Meeting** of the **Parish Council on Tuesday 7th of October 2025** for the purpose of enacting the following business. The meeting will be held in the Village Hall which will commence at **7:30pm.** 

Members of the public and press can address the Council at its Public Forum by invitation.

Lisa Hazel Clerk / Proper Officer to the Council, 30th September 2025

# **AGENDA**

## **Public Forum**

21/846	County and District Councillors Reports
21/847	Apologies for absence
21/848	Declarations of interest in any agenda item
21/849	To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 2nd September 2025
21/850	<ul> <li>Matters arising from previous minutes not on the agenda</li> <li>Village Shop Lease - Note now signed by all parties</li> <li>Tree Works - Update</li> <li>Hedge Cutting Children's Play Area - Now Completed.</li> <li>EV Charge - Update</li> </ul>
21/851	Playing Field • Football Consider proposal to hire playing field for football matches - Review new information received. • Playing Field Boundaries • Wildflower Meadow Review wildflower meadow proposals
21/852	Brampton Cross - Update - Consider request for financial contribution towards costs
21/853	<ul> <li>Local Highways Improvement Scheme</li> <li>Outcome of 2024 / 2025 proposal</li> <li>Consider options for 2025 / 2026 proposal</li> </ul>
21/854	Grass Cutting Schedule  Review / add in additional areas to be cut ready for tender process
21/855	<ul><li>Autumn Litter Pick</li><li>Consider undertaking Autumn litter pick on 25th October 2025</li></ul>
21/856	Remembrance Day  • Consider donation in lieu of new wreath's
21/857	To Receive Written Reports for Noting: Village Hall Committee - PC Village Shop - PC

Playing Field / Playground - JD

Highways + Footpaths - SG

Trees / Hedge Cutting / Verge Maintenance AL

Wild Flower Meadow Update - AL

MVAS - DR MUGA - PC

Village Hall Finance / Bookings - DT

Grass Cutting - IG / LH

#### **21/858 Banking**

#### 1.To approve / note the following payments

Grafham Gossip	£55.00
Lisa Hazel Clerk Salary	£379.60
BEAM Churchyard Summer Meadow Cutting	£70.00
BEAM Grass Cutting	£180.00
HDC Litter Bin Emptying	£303.17
PKF Littlejohn External Audit	£252.00
Bank Charges	£6.00
Clear Insurance	£705.88

#### 2. Report on current financial position.

- To receive financial situation of Council and to note Bank Reconciliation
- Note External Audit Report
- Consider funding request from East Anglian Air Ambulance
- Note purchase of desk name plates for Councillors
- Precept To consider future items to be included in next budget
- Note works carried out to damaged bollard, Village Hall.
- Note renewal of PC Insurance
- Note Defibrillator requires new battery + software upgrade

#### 21/859 Correspondence for Information Only

- CCC Grief Spaces across Huntingdonshire
- Women's Health & Wellness Event Huntingdon One Leisure Centre 4th October 2025
- Brampton Cross Newsletter
- Community Food Initiatives Small Grant Opportunity
- RCE Wellbeing Hub for Mental Health and Wellbeing
- The National Garden Scheme Funding for 2026 Community Garden Grants
- Cambridgeshire Deaf Association Befriending for Individuals with Hearing Loss
- CO-OP collaboration with Local Communities
- Cambridgeshire Deaf Association/Hearing Help Autumn Newsletter
- CIL Funding Round 2 2025-2026
- Save the date Huntingdonshire District Council's Annual Climate Conversation 2025
- Cambridgeshire County Council Aurora Newsletter August
- Highway Events Monthly Diary
- Alzheimer's Society Cambridgeshire Dementia Support Service Newsletter
- Grants available for community projects on electrical safety. Apply now.
- Launch of Local Government Reorganisation (LGR) Phase 2 Public Engagement Survey
- Combined Authority Members' Newsletter September 2025
- Mens Wellbeing Cafe Huntingdon
- Invitation to RVT Service of Remembrance in Huntingdon 16th November 2025
- Invitation to Annual Climate Conversation 2025 5th November 2025
- National Highways A14 Junction 16 21 Roadworks (overnight) Monday 29th September 2025
- HDC Press release Paxton Pits Nature Reserve extension approved
- Wildlife Trust BCN Apple and Harvest Fair 2025 Ramsey Rural Museum and Walled Garden
- Introduction to Camsight Sight Loss Charity
- CAPALC Training Events
- Dr Bike Sessions November
- Local Government Reorganisation Message from Executive Leader, HDC
- Town & Parish Council Newsletter September 2025 Edition
- HDC Minutes and Follow Up From Hunts Youth Workers Forum
- Communities Service Bulletin

#### 21/860 Any other business for information only

## 21/861 Note 2025 dates for meetings: 4th November, 2nd December.

2026 dates: 6th January, 3rd February, 3rd March, 7th April and 12th of May (APM).