



CASSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

You are summoned to attend Cassington Parish Council Meeting at 7.30pm on Thursday 4th May 2023 in the St Peters School, The Green.

Minutes

- 1. **Apologies**
- 2. **Declarations of interest**
(Any pecuniary interests should be declared also a review of current declarations of interests circulated)
- 3. **Minutes of the previous meeting held on 6th April 2023**
- 4. **Comments from the Public –**
 - Botley West – The group are looking at doing a roadshow during the summer. A new initiative Forever Fields – inviting people to paint, sketch or draw fields.
 - Church Yard – The Church Yard has been cut as it had become so overgrown.
- 5. **Report from Clerk**
 - Yew Tree in the Closed Burial Ground – Clerk to email Climbing High to agree the quote
 - Grass Cutting Tender – Clerk to go back to Cassington Garden Services to ask about Tender.
- 6. **Planning**
 - a) Previous Planning Application Decisions

APPLICATION NO:	LOCATION:	PROPOSAL:	APPLICANT:	DECISION:
20/01734/OUT	Land North of A40 Section from Barnard Gate To Eynsham Roundabout Eynsham		Grosvenor Developments Ltd	UNDER CONSIDERATION

b) New Planning Applications

APPLICATION NO:	PROPOSAL:	LOCATION:	APPLICANT:	COMMENT DATE:

- c) **Botley Solar Farm – Report from Group**
- d) **Cllr King attended the Oxford Airport Consultative Committee Concerned the discussion was mainly around the Botley Solar Farm. Their main concerns are**
 - The glare that would come from the panels
 - Any electromagnetic from the farm effecting the planes
 - If there is a emergency where a pilot is going to crash land how are emergency services going to reach the plane
- 7. **Correspondence**
 - Green at Manor Close – People are parking on it and it makes it difficult for people to park on for residents to keep the grass cut. – Clerk to get signs for keep off the verge
- 8. **Reports from County and District & Parish Councillors – DUE TO ELECTIONS THERE ARE NO REPORTS**
 - a) County Councillor
 - b) District Councillors
 - c) Parish Councillors
 - Cllr King has advised that there are cars parked by the junction of St Peters Close that is stopping people from turning into St Peters Close or out.
 - A resident has erected a mirror by Bell Lane – Clerk awaiting to hear back from OCC Highways
- 9. **Ditches, Drainage and Flooding**
 - The ditch behind the allotments needs to be cleared and needs redigging – Clerk to contact Blenheim with regards them clearing the ditch – Roger Farm at Blenheim
 - Notice in CAWN to ask people not to put their garden waste in the ditches behind their houses.

10. Maintenance/ Grants

11. Traffic

- Speed Watch

12. Play Area & Recreation Ground

13. Finance

a) Payments to be approved:

Individual/Company	Reason	Amount
Tracey Cameron	Clerk Pay	£653.24
Rialtus	Accountancy Software	£178.19

b) Income:

Individual/Company	Reason	Amount
WODC	Precept	£13,403.00
St Leonards Church	Burials	£966.00

c) Balance of Unity Bank as of Sunday 30th April 2023 - £19,497.39

14. Any other business:

- Purchase of Speed Watch Signs for the village – Parish Council agreed to purchase one mobile sign and also 2 signs to go at either end of the village.
- Barbara has agreed to be Chair and main contact for the clerk.
- Bike Night St Johns Ambulance – Parish Council have agreed to pay for St Johns Ambulance

15. Questions from the Public

Jericho Farm – Flood drainage officer will not sign off for condition 6. Clerk to email WODC with regards to the timeline in the conditions if a drainage plan is not provided

16. Date of next meeting: Thursday 1st June @7.30pm in the Village Hall