Babraham Parish Council: Agenda 14th Sept 2023

To members of the Council

You are hereby summoned to attend the meeting of Babraham Parish Council to be held on **Thursday 14**th **Sept 2023** at **19:30** at **Babraham School** for the purpose of considering and resolving the business as set out below.

Please could Councillors ensure they read the agenda notes and any supporting documents circulated via email prior to the meeting.

Members of the public and press are invited to address the Council at this meeting during the Public Participation Time.

Members: 5 Quorum: 3

	Part I: Non-Confidential Information		
2309/01	To receive and approve apologies for absence		
2309/02	To receive members' declaration of interest for items on this agenda		
2309/03	To sign and approve minutes of meeting dated 20 th July 2023		
2305/04	Exclusion of the public To determine which items, if any, from Part 1 of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded		
2309/05	. Report from South Cambridgeshire District Councillor P McDonald		
2309/06	Report from Cambridgeshire County Councillors Brian Milnes and Maria King		
2309/07	Report from Babraham Research Campus (BRC) representative		
2309/08	Cheveley Park Development Plans		
2309/09	Greater Cambridge Partnership (GCP) Cambridge South East Transport (CSET) Officers are recommending that work on CSETS is paused due to the GCP no longer having sufficient funds for all its projects (due to inflation). As we had predicted the CSETS costs have inflated to £160m. This is certainly welcome news, however they plan to try and secure other funding in order to proceed with the project. There is no mention of reverting to their 2018 option (our alternative). At the present time they propose doing nothing and trying to find the funding		
2309/10	Public participation time – 15 minutes allowed		
2309/11	Forest Garden Project. To hear and comment on updates from Hannah Thomas		
2309/12	Neighbourhood Plan Cllrs to consider report and to resolve on any actions.		
2309/13	Gritting Scheme: this is a scheme where Local volunteers can help to keep their community moving in freezing weather. Under this scheme, the parish or town council decides on specific routes in their area which are important to the local community and agrees them with the county council.		

If you are a parish or town council looking to join the scheme, please send your completed form by 31st October 2023.

2309/14 General Village Matters and new items for discussion,

Defibrillator: to confirm who looks after this and if registered on National database

Local Highways Improvements-applications will be going is shortly- do we ask for the pavement to be repaired under this scheme?

State of the village

FINANCE

2309/15 Receipts and Transfers (as of 8th Sept 2023

HMRC Reclaimed VAT £2406.82

Transfer from savings to current account £5000

Groundwork UK NP £6235.00

2309/16 | Payments (as of 8th Sept 2023)

2309/17 Paid

Clerk	Salary/Tax/Expenses	£956.00
Hugo Fox	Website provider	£71.98
Ionos	Email subs	£45.60
Babraham School	School Hall hire	£360.00
Drax	Street Lighting	£22.60
CAPALC	Cllr Training	£50.00
SLCC	Subscription	£72.00
HCR Hewitsons	Legal fees re Village Hall	£3300
Brookfield	Bins/grass x 2 months	£792

• A full list of payments will be circulated and reviewed at the meeting

2309/18 | Balances and Bank Reconciliation at 8th Sept 2023

Unity Current A/C balance	£4606.30
Unity Savings A/C balance	£30,038.99
Cambridge Building Society	£80,361,37
TOTAL	£123,351.50

PLANNING

2309/19

21/03607/CONDF Information only

Site: Land At Babraham Research Campus High Street Babraham Cambridge Cambridgeshire CB22 3AT

Proposal: Submission of details required by condition 6 (Archaelogical work with a written scheme of Investigation) of planning permission 21/03607/FUL

https://applications.greatercambridgeplanning.org/online-

applications/PLAN/21/03607/CONDF

23/02719/S106A Pending Decision

Site H/1:B - Land North Of Babraham Road Sawston Cambs

Proposal: Modification of planning obligations contained in a \$106 Agreement dated 23 August 2019 made between (1) South Cambridgeshire District Council, (2) Cambridgeshire County Council, (3) Waterbeach Instruments Limited and (4) Hill Residential Limited to change the ratio to 45 rented and 18 Shared Ownership. Principal planning ref, \$/3729/18/FL.

Web Link https://applications.greatercambridgeplanning.org/online-applications/PLAN/23/02719/S106A

2309/20 | Planning decisions: None

2309/21 | Correspondence.

Bin collections are going to change for approximately 80% of households in Cambridge and South Cambridgeshire from the week beginning Monday 18 September 2023. This could be a change to the bin day or to which bins are collected on a particular week. Bins may also be emptied earlier or later than they are now, so all bins need to be out by 6am on your collection day. The frequency of collections will not change. If your bin collections are due to change, you will receive a letter in the post. You can find out more and check when your collections will be at www.scambs.gov.uk/binchanges.

Email received via website:

I emailed the parish Council about a couple of years ago about the brambles growing over the wall near Rowley lane and the danger they might cause to the public walking by. You dealt with the matter very quickly thank you. Reason I'm re emailing you is because this morning walking to school my granddaughter's face got scratched by them. Would it be possible to have them cut again please.

Thanking you in advance

BRC have been informed and they have said they will action getting this cleared.

2309/22 Items for inclusion in the next meeting

Date of next meeting: Thursday October 12th at 7:30pm

2309/23 | Part II: Confidential Information

Exclusion of the Press and the Public: To resolve that in accordance with Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 and by reason of the confidential nature of the remainder of the business, the Press and the Public be excluded from the meeting.

Signature: Anne Charteris 8th Sept 2023

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