HAUGHLEY PARISH COUNCIL

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The Parish Councillors of HAUGHLEY PARISH COUNCIL are summoned to attend the Council Meeting on Tuesday 19th December commencing at 7.00pm in the Ron Crascall Pavillion on Green Road

The Council, members of the public and press may record/film/photograph or broadcast this meeting when the public and press are not lawfully excluded.

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence

- 1. Councillors to note any apologies for absence
- 2. Councillors to vote on acceptance of apologies for absence

2. Declarations of Interest

To receive any Councillor's Declarations of Local Pecuniary and Non-Pecuniary interest

3. Dispensations

To receive any requests for dispensations

4. Minutes

Councillors to review and approve the minutes of:

1. Parish Council Meeting Tuesday 21st November 2023

5. Action Log

To review the action log arising from previous meetings and agree further action

6. Public Forum

The public will be invited to address the Parish Council. Each member of the public will be allowed a maximum of 3 minutes to address the Parish Council with their questions

7. To receive written reports for information only from County Councillor Andrew Stringer

To respond to any questions on reports previously submitted to the Parish Council

8. To receive written reports for information only from District Councillors Rachel Eburne and Janet Pearson

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9. Planning

 Councillors to review and approve a response to the following planning applications: DC/23/05654 - Proposal: Application to determine if Prior Approval is required for a proposed Change of Use of Agricultural Buildings to Dwellinghouses (C3) and for building operations reasonably necessary for conversion. Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 as amended Schedule 2, Part 3, Class Q - Conversion to form 1No dwelling. Location: Old Hall Farm, Haughley Green, Haughley, Stowmarket Suffolk IP14 3RR

2. Councillors to note that no decisions were issued by Mid Suffolk District Council

10. Traffic Count

Councillors to note the results of the November traffic Count

11. Haughley Railway junction upgrade

Councillors to note information on the planned upgrade of Haughley Railway Junction

12. Playing Field Committee

To agree the request of £2,000 from the Playing Field Committee for a contribution towards the Electrical Conditioning Works

13. Grant Funding

Councillors to agree the following grant applications for funding during 2024-25:

- 1. Haughley Village Hall £2,000 New Front Door
- 2. Haughley WI -£250 Start up for the return of Evergreen a club for the over 70's
- Haughley and Wetherden Twinning Association £3,000 Contribution towards the hosting of the twinned French families visiting during 2024 and return visit
- 4. Haughley and Wetherden Parish News £700 Printing costs
- 5. Haughley Royal British Legion £300 D-Day celebration 2024
- 6. Playing Field Committee £6,000 Running cost of Pavilion
- 7. Haughley PCC £500 Contribution towards insurance

14. Budget 2024-25

- 1. To agree the budget request of £778.00 from Haughley in Bloom Working Group
- 2. To consider the budget and precept for 2024-25

15. Finance

- 1. Councillors to receive the November Finance Reports:
 - I. Bank reconciliation
 - II. Budget to actual
 - III. Reserves
- 2. Councillors to note the receipts received since the last meeting
- 3. Councillors to authorise the December payments (BACS, SOs and cheques)
- 4. Councillors to agree to dissolve the Kings Coronation and Haughley Castle Reserve and the monies to be transferred into the general reserve

16. Clerk Report

Councillors to note the Clerks Report and make any comments

17. Councillor's Issues

Councillors to highlight any parish issues arising

18. Correspondence

Councillors to note correspondence circulated and consider any action

19. Dates of next meetings

- Haughley Parish Council Meeting scheduled on Tuesday 16th January 2024 at Ron Crascall Pavilion at 7.00pm
- Bio-Diversity and Wildflower Working Group scheduled for Monday 15th January 2024 at Maxwell Charnley Room at 7.00pm

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