



GROVE PARISH COUNCIL

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Members of **Grove Parish Council** are hereby summoned to a meeting of the Parish Council to be held on Tuesday 22 October 2024 at 7.30 pm in Old Mill Hall, Grove.

Members of the Press and Public are welcome to attend Council Meetings. As a matter of courtesy, if you intend to record the meeting, please inform the Clerk that you wish to do so prior to the start of the meeting.

Please note that residents who have difficulty getting up-stairs are to notify the Clerk prior to the start of the meeting. Item 91 on this agenda has been set aside for members of the public to ask questions. A time limit of 5 minutes will be allocated for each questioner.

17 October 2024

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Parish Clerk

AGENDA

87. To receive apologies for absence.
88. To receive any declarations of Personal or Pecuniary Interests in respect of items on the agenda for this meeting.
89. To sign the minutes of the Council meeting held on 10 September 2024.
90. To receive and note the Clerks report summary from the previous meeting.
91. To receive questions from the public relevant to items on the agenda for this meeting.
92. To receive any County and District Councillor reports received in advance of this meeting.
93. To receive any updates on the Grove Airfield and or Crab Hill Developments.
94. To agree the percentage increase in Precept to allow the Clerk to DRAFT a workable budget for 2025/26.
95. To formally agree Council letter GM/GPC/24/LR12 dated 26 September 2024 and to discuss and consider any follow up action by the Parish Council regarding the District Councils Leisure Needs Assessment and Playing Pitch Strategy 2023 – 2041.
96. To review and comment (as appropriate) on the District Council's Joint Local Plan www.southandvale.gov.uk/jlp
97. To adopt the new Anti-harassment and anti-bullying policy.
98. To consider fees and charges across all services of the Parish Council.
 - a. Cemetery fees and Charges (to come into force on 1 April 2025).
 - b. Old Mill Hall fees and charges (to come into force on 1 April 2025).
 - c. Allotments fees and charges (to come into force on 1 October 2025).
 - d. Pitch and Floodlight fees and charges (to come into force on 30 June 2025).

99. To receive and accept the External Audit report and opinion for the financial year ending 31 March 2023.
100. To receive a request from Sarah Henderson (Parent and Governor), St John's Academy to discuss the Speed limit and traffic calming near St John's CE Academy Primary site.
101. To further discuss Remembrance Day services and attendance.
102. To receive and consider a response to Wantage Town Council's Neighbourhood Plan - <https://www.whitehorsedc.gov.uk/vale-of-white-horse-district-council/planning-and-development/local-plan-and-planning-policies/neighbourhood-plans/emerging-neighbourhood-plans/wantage-neighbourhood-plan/>
103. To receive consultation information on a proposal to construct a traffic calming feature on Denchworth Road at its junction with The Maples and Barley Way in Grove, namely a raised table - https://letstalk.oxfordshire.gov.uk/grove_denchworthmaples_calming2024
104. To receive Council Chairman communications.
 - a. To receive a note of thanks from Wantage and Grove Cricket Club for the Council's support for their s106 funding application for a new compact tractor.
105. To discuss and consider bringing forward the repainting of the Millbrook Square car park and putting a sign at the entrance saying it is one way.
106. To receive and note the following outside body reports:
 - a. Wantage Neighbourhood Action Group meeting dated 10 July 2024.
107. To receive and comment on the following planning applications:
 - a. P23/V1966/RM - Reserved matters application for Phase 2 Sports Pitches (As amended by plans and additional information received 10 October and 15 October 2024).
108. To receive and note the income and expenditure to-date for this financial year and to receive and consider accounts for payments, cash and bank balances (including reserves and investments) since the last meeting and to note any losses or gains in the CCLA Property Fund.
109. To consider any Confidential matters.
 - a. To sign the minutes of the Confidential meeting held on 10 September 2024.

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be the Finance and General Purposes committee which will be held on Tuesday 19 November 2024 in Old Mill Hall, Grove commencing at 7.30 pm. Items to be included in the agenda are to be submitted to the Clerk by 1 pm on Wednesday 13 November 2024