BARDNEY GROUP PARISH COUNCIL

30th May 2025

Dear Councillor,

You are hereby summoned to attend an Extraordinary Meeting of Bardney Group Parish Council to be held on Thursday 5th June 2025 at 7.00 p.m. at the Village Hall, Silver Street, Bardney.

Mrs Anne Wilson Locum Parish Clerk

Recording of Meetings

Under the Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014, members of the public may now film, photograph and make audio recordings of the proceedings of the formal Council meeting, though not, under current legislation, of the Public Participation session, as this is not part of the formal agenda of the meeting. Recording activity should be respectful to the conduct of the meeting and behaviour that disrupts the meeting (such as oral commentary) will not be permitted.

Agenda

1. Fire Safety Announcement

The Chairman will give a fire safety announcement.

2. Apologies for Absence

Members are asked to receive apologies of absence for this meeting.

3. Declarations of Interest.

To receive declarations of interest under consideration on this agenda in accordance with the Localism Act 2011 s32 and The Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012.

Members are reminded that should you declare a pecuniary interest at a meeting, it is your responsibility to inform the Monitoring Officer.

4. Public Question Time and Participation

Members of the public are advised that they are welcome to ask questions about items on the agenda. It is not always possible to give a verbal response at the meeting and questions may receive a written reply. No resolution can be made under this item.

Questions should relate to matters of Parish Council policy or practice and not relate to the individual affairs of either the questioner or any other named person.

5. Chairman's Announcements

The Chairman will welcome members to the meeting and give any announcements matters on the agenda.

6. Lottery Application for Bardney Children's Play Park

Councillor Laughton has asked that the following be an agenda item and considered at this meeting including agreeing a way forward.

Cllr. Laughton will give a verbal report and will ask the Council to consider them submitting a National Lottery grant application for the Playing Field Play Equipment which needs replacing.

7. Bardney Children's Play Park Match Funding

Councillors Percival and Sullivan have asked that the following be an agenda item and considered at this meeting including agreeing a way forward.

Members are therefore asked to consider the proposal and agree the way forward.

We propose the council support our local community & match the generous donation of £25k provided by the Kitchings charity towards the refurbishment of the local children's play park.

As highlighted by the public at our electors meeting, we achieved very little in 2024/2025 and have significant funds available. There was clear dissatisfaction with the councils work & this is an opportunity to have a really positive impact on our local community.

These funds should be provided to the play park working committee for them to decide how to best spend the funds as they understand what is needed, priorities etc.

8. Planning Application

Members are asked to consider the Planning Application below – Members are asked to note that the Locum Parish Clerk will bring more information to the meeting as the Planning Notice attached to the lamp post outside the property says it was registered on the 30th April 2025 yet no information is available on the planning portal about the application before the Parish Council meeting on the 27th April 2025. This means that the Council will need an extension to respond.

WL/2025/00400 The Goods Shed, Station Road, Bardney Planning application for the change of use of Take Away Food Outlet and café to 1no. holiday let

9. Exclusion of Public and Press

RECOMMENDED That in view of the confidential nature of the business about to be transacted, it is advisable in the public interest that the press and public be temporarily excluded, and they are instructed to withdraw, due to the nature of the business about to be transacted which is considered to be prejudicial to the public interest

COMMITTEE IN PRIVATE SESSION

10. Appointment of the Parish Clerk

Members are asked to receive an update from the Chairman of the Personnel and Review and Health and Safety Committee and agree the way forward.