



# Ashley Parish Council

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## **To members of the council:**

You are summoned to attend the next meeting of Ashley Parish Council which is being held at The Pavilion, Ashley on Monday 9th October 2023 at 7.00 pm. This meeting is being held for the purpose of transacting the following business. Members of the public are invited to address the Council at its Open Meeting.

## AGENDA

### 01. PUBLIC MEETING

### 02. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

### 03. TO SIGN & APPROVE MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 11<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023.

### 04. MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

Item 04 - Appearance of site at 28 High Street - Clerk to update.

Item 04 - Clerk to update following ROSPA report.

Item 04 - Pride of Place Grant - Clerk to update re application for funding of bat box's.

Item 04 - Trees/Bushes in Closed Churchyard - Cllr MacLachan to report.

Item 06 - Stud Farm on Mill Road - Clerk to update.

Item 13 - Damaged signpost at pond - Clerk to update

### 05. DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

### 06. PLANNING MATTERS

a) Ref 23/00849/FUL 1.7m timber fence behind new hedging retrospective (resubmission 22/01415/FUL) Location: The Paddock 1B Gazeley Road Ashley- Previously circulated to Cllrs. **REFUSED**

b) Ref 23/00591/VAR To vary conditions 1 (approved drawings) and condition 4 (tree protection plan) of previously approved 22/00908/FUL for proposed two storey & single storey extensions along with internal additions & alterations. Location: Butchers Farm 8 Mill Road Ashley

### 07. FINANCE MATTERS

a) To note following receipts in September/October

	£
Cambs County Council – Precept 2 <sup>nd</sup> instalment	9,550.00

b) To authorise the following payments

	£
McGregor Services – Grass cutting September £408.00 - Annual hedge cut £660.00	1,068.00
K Dadds – Clerks salary Jul - Sep	1,236.57
HMRC – PAYE on Clerks salary Jul - Sep	309.00
K Dadds – Clarks Expenses, including working from home allowance	84.00

c) Clerk to present half year Responsible Finance Officers Report.

**08. PAVILION TRUST**

Cllr Howell/Clerk to update.

**09. POND GROWTH**

Cllrs to discuss management of the vegetation at the Pond

**10. HEDGEROWS**

Cllrs to discuss overgrown vegetation in the village.

**11. SOLAR LIGHTS**

Cllrs to discuss potential lighting solutions for top of Mill Road

**12. WEBSITE**

Cllrs to discuss

**13. URGENT MATTERS/ITEMS FOR NEXT AGENDA**

**14. CORRESPONDENCE**

a) Polling District Review

**15. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

**KEVIN DADDS**