

BROMPTON RALPH PARISH COUNCIL

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To Members of Brompton Ralph Parish Council, February 2024

You are duly summoned to attend a **Meeting** of Brompton Ralph Parish Council to be held at Brompton Ralph Village Hall at 7:30 pm on Thursday 29th February 2024

Public question time: There will be an open forum for any questions or concerns at the beginning of the meeting. Before the start of the meeting residents are welcome to raise any issues on this agenda, or simply to listen to the meeting. Because there is very limited time available in the meeting it would be preferable if any concerns are addressed to the Clerk or the Chair beforehand. Members of the public may not take part in the meeting itself.

AGENDA

1) Apologies: To receive apologies and to approve reasons for absence.

2) Declarations of Interest

- a. Register of Interests.
- b. To declare any personal interests in items on the agenda and their nature.
- c. To declare any pecuniary interests in items on the agenda. (Councillors with pecuniary interests must leave the room for the relevant items)

3) Minutes of the Previous Meeting

To consider the approval of the draft minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on 18th January 2024.

4) Planning

Planning Applications for Comment

- a. **3/02/24/001** Erection of agricultural storage shed with formation of access to highway land to the west of Cordings Ball and Bowden Farm to the north, Brompton Ralph
- b. **3/02/24/002** Variation of condition 6 of planning permission 3/02/23/010 to amend the wording in respect of the pre-commencement condition to apply to the installation of external lighting to the west elevation only and the information to be submitted for approval of details.

Planning Applications Awaiting Decision

- c. **3/02/23/008** Application for Prior Approval for the creation of a wetland habitat with extension of outpipe from existing pond for formation of additional pond and 4 No. bunded scrapes within a fenced area with filling in of defective pond Middle Stone Farm, Brompton Ralph to Gandstone Cross, Brompton Ralph, TA4 2RT
- d. **3/02/21/001** Erection of 1 No. agricultural workers dwelling and garage Sandpit Meadows, Brompton Ralph to Gandstone Cross, Brompton Ralph, TA4 2RT

5) Finance

- a. **Bank Balance** - 31st January 2024 £11,189.32 (unpresented payments = £313.30)
- b. **Payments Already Made** – HugoFox Website February @ £9.99 (+VAT)
- c. **Payments for Approval**
 - i. Clerk's Wages March - £304.17 (includes HMRC PAYE)
 - ii. Clerk's Wages April - £166.74 (includes HMRC PAYE)
- d. **Parish Council Risk Assessment** – to receive and consider an updated risk assessment prepared by the Clerk.

6) Brompton Ralph Village Hall – to receive any reports.

7) Matters Outstanding

- a. SALC Grant Funding – to receive report from Cllr Mowat and consider further action
- b. Grass Cutting – to review current arrangement. To receive and consider quotes to cut ‘The Triangle’.
- c. Exmoor LCN – date of the next meeting and attendance
- d. Defibrillator Training Session – update
- e. Roads & Traffic Issues – to report/update

8) Somerset Councillor Reports

- 9) Clerk’s Report including correspondence** – including an open letter from Williton Parish Council and consider a response.

10) Councillors’ reports and items for future agendas

Councillors are respectfully reminded that this is not an opportunity for debate or decision making.

- 11) Date of Next Meeting** - to confirm the date of the next meeting.

Patricia Bainbridge

Clerk to Brompton Ralph Parish Council

23rd February 2024