

**Minutes of the Grateley Parish Council Meeting held on Tuesday 5th July
2022 in the Grateley Village Hall at 7.00pm.**

Present: Cllr Mr D Atfield – Vice Chairman
Cllr Mr I Wingfield
Cllr Mr A Bradford
Richard Waterman – Parish Clerk
Members of the Public – 4

Apologies: Cllr Mr K Smith – Chairman, Cllr A Bettle-Shaffer, Cllr Mr M Horne,
County Councillor Mr C Donnelly and Borough Councillors Mrs M Flood and
Mr D Coole.

WELCOME.

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

DECLARATION OF INTEREST.

There were no Declarations of Interest recorded.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING.

Cllr Mr D Atfield signed the minutes of the June Meeting as a true record. Matters
Arising from those minutes:

PLAY AREA – Cllr Mr D Atfield that the questionnaire has been printed and will now be
delivered to every property in the Parish, the questionnaire has been forwarded to Cllr
A Bettle-Shaffer to put onto the Website.

One the questionnaire has been filled in the data will be collated and the Play
Equipment Contractors will be contacted to re-quote. Cllr Mr D Atfield hoped to have
this done by the September Parish Council Meeting.

HIGWAYS – It was noted that on closer inspection the hole on the Cholderton/Wallop
Road bridge has not been repaired, the sandbags have fallen into the hole!

Cllr Mr I Wingfield reported that he has reported to Highways:

- Two areas of subsidence – one has been marked up for repair.
- Four areas needing attention on Grateley Drove.
- Three potholes.
- The yellow markings outside the school need redoing as they have faded.
- The whole on the Cholderton/Wallop Road bridge.
- Cllr I Wingfield now has the contact details for Mandy Ware at Hampshire
County Council and he will make contact to revisit the installation of village
gateways and their possible locations.

SPED LIMIT SIGNS FRO WHEELY BINS – Cllr A Bettle-Shaffer is ordering the signs
using the Village Hall PayPal account.

FOOTPATHS – The footpaths are clear and walkable.

SPEEDING – The Clerk reported that unfortunately the Company that supplies the
Flashing Speed Sign had gone into liquidation and that he is now sourcing alternative
signs. The Parish Council had not paid any deposit so have not lost anything!

BUS SHELTER – The working party have the painting of the inside in hand.

DOG BIN – The Clerk reported that he has chased up Test Valley Borough Council on the siting of the new dog bin and the moving of the rubbish bin adjacent to the Bus Shelter in Streetway Road.

GRATELEY NEIGHBOURHOOD DEVELOPMENT PLAN – Mrs Jane Lynch reported that a licence has been obtained from ordinance Survey to access maps. A formal application to Test Valley Borough Council has been submitted for Grateley being listed as a designated Neighbourhood area. TVBC have very helpful in getting the Grateley NDP started.

The Grateley NDP Team are meeting with the Over Wallop NDP Team on the 11th of July 2022 to discuss how they found the process of putting together their Neighbourhood Development Plan.

RESILIENCE PLAN – No New to report.

PLANNING.

There were no new Planning Applications to discuss. The Clerk now forwards the weekly planning list to all Parish Councillors.

FINANCE.

1ST April 2021 to 5th July 2022

Opening Balance	£ 22,824.16
Plus ½ Precept	£ 4,200.00
	<u>£27,024.16</u>

Less Expenditure	
Audit	£185.00
Dog Bin Emptying	£205.43
Clerks Wages	£1,100.00
Village Hall Grant	£1,664.00
Church Grant – 3 years	£1,800.00
	<u>£4,954.43</u>

Money in the bank = £22,069.73

CORRESPONDENCE.

There was no correspondence to report.

PARISH COUNCILLOR'S REPORTS.

CLLR MR A BRADFORD – Reported on Village Hall issues.

- The field hedging at the back of the hall has been cut back to make access easier.
- A working party will be held to put together and fix the new metal storage cupboards to the wall behind the stage.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC.

Issues raised:

- Station users parking on Station Road

- The Green Wheely Bin and its use. Adjacent to the Telephone Box Library. TVBC will be consulted.

CLOSE OF THE MEETING.

The Vice - Chairman thanked everyone for coming and closed the meeting.

DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING.

6th September 2022 at 7pm in the Grateley Village Hall.

WEBSITE.

www.grateley.net