

BRINGTON & MOLESWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

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31st July 2026

Dear Member,

You are hereby summoned to attend the **Parish Council Meeting** which will be held on **Wednesday 5th August 2026 at 7.15pm at Molesworth Village hall**

to deal with the following business:

Public and Press are invited to attend

NOTICE and AGENDA

OPEN MEETING

Each person wishing to address the council will be allowed to speak for a maximum of 3 minutes subject to the Chairman's discretion. This part cannot be longer than 15 minutes.

08/046 To Receive and Approve Apologies and Reasons for Non Attendance

08/047 To receive declarations of disclosable pecuniary and other interests, and the nature of those interests relating to items on the agenda

To receive written requests for the new Disclosable Pecuniary interest dispensations

08/048 To Receive and Approve the Annual Parish Council Meeting Minutes 17th June 2026

08/049 Matters Arising from those Minutes (and not being dealt with elsewhere in this Agenda)

08/050 County and District Councillors reports

08/051 Update from UK Power Networks

The delivery of the Transformer is scheduled to take place on 13 August and is expected to arrive at approximately 9:00am.

08/052 Planning

08/052.1 Request re retirement homes was received

08/052.2 Parish Council asked HDC for an update on these Planning matters:

- 26/00429/FUL - Change of use of agricultural land to dog exercise - Validated March 2026
- 26/00355/S73 - Variation of condition 17 - Validated 31st March.
- 26/00179/PIP - Permission in Principle for erection of up to 9 dwellings - validated in February 2026. – HDC refused it

08/053 Regulation 15 - Brington & Molesworth Neighbourhood Plan - update

08/054 CIL – update, no change

Date	Description	Receipt	Balance	Expenditure GROSS	NET	VAT	Committed Expenditure	Notes
2025.26			£ 13,783.06					
25.04.25	20/02537/FUL	£1,475.54	£ 15,258.60					As at 25th Apr 2025
6.7.25				£7,079.04	5899.2	1179.84		Payment for NP as Government stopped the funding as on 6 Aug 2025
			£ 9,359.40					
23.10.25	20/02537/FUL	£4,426.62	£ 13,786.02					
11.12.25				462.36	385.30	77.06		NP - Andrea Pellegram Ltd
21.01.26				369.89	308.24	61.65		NP - Andrea Pellegram Ltd
25.02.26			£ 13,092.48	7911.29	6592.74	1318.55		as on 31 March 2026

Income in 2025.26		NEED Spending by April 2030	
£5,902.16			
Left to spend From Previous Years:	£ 226.59	need to be spent by Apr 2027	
£7,190.32	£ 6,963.73	need to be spend by Nov 2027	
Total left to spend:			
£13,092.48			

08/055 Finance – Budget Reports

08/055.1 To Note Cashbook and Income against Expenditure 2026.27

08/055.2 To Note June 2026 Bank Reconciliation:

25 May to 24 June 2026 PC and MUGA BANK RECONCILIATION		
Account Balance @ 24/06/2026		
Business Current a/c (30183547)	£2,200.00	
Business Money Manager a/c (01126210)	£16,950.15	
Savings accounts x 2		
1 Year Fixed £12,578.41 + interest £538.78 + transfer £159.18 = £13,276.37	£23,349.66	Based on assumption that balance remains unchanged
Instant Access deposit £10,000.63 + interest £72.66 = £10,073.29		
Total:	£42,499.81	
Unpresented cheques (carried forward)	£348.14	
Total Unpresented Cheques	£50.71	
Net Balance @ 24/06/26 (incl. unpresented cheques)	£42,449.10	
Cash Book 01/06/2026		
Opening Balance	£43,048.99	
Add receipts to date	£270.01	
Less payments to date	£869.90	
Balance as at 24/06/2026	£42,449.10	

To note July Bank Reconciliation - yet to be carried out

08/055.3 To Approve July 2026 Payments For Sanction (already made):

Date	Cheque / Reference no.	Date chq cleared the PC a/c	Payee	Description	For accounts Purpose only	Receipts	Payments GROSS	Balance	VAT
Jul-26									
19.07.26	BACS		Wages	Wages for hrs worked in June 2026			£467.81	£41,761.28	
19.07.26	BACS		HMRC	PAYE (employer and employee)			£87.97	£41,673.31	
19.07.26	DD		NEST	Pensions			£44.97	£41,628.34	
19.07.26	BACS		Expenses	Running cost of Parish Council - June 2026 (increase in mileage to £0.55 per mile)			£21.00	£41,607.34	
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				Bank Reconciliation to be carried out					
						£0.00	£621.75		£0.00

08/055.4 To Approve 5th August 2026 Payments For Sanction:

Date	Cheque / Reference no.	Date chq cleared the PC a/c	Payee	Description	For accounts Purpose only	Receipts	Payments GROSS	Balance	VAT
Aug-26									
5.8.26	BACS		Wages	Wages for hrs worked in July 2026			£467.61	£41,359.74	
5.8.26	BACS		HMRC	PAYE (employer and employee)			£88.17	£41,271.57	
5.8.26	DD		NEST	Pensions			£44.97	£41,226.60	
5.8.26	BACS		Expenses	Running cost of Parish Council - July 2026			£10.00	£41,216.60	
5.8.26	BACS		HDC	Elections cost May 2026			£102.25	£41,114.35	
5.8.26	BACS		CAPALC	Audit fee 2025.26			£179.80	£40,934.55	
5.8.26	BACS		Andrea Pellegram Ltd	Work on NP			£1,155.90	£39,778.65	£192.65
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								£39,778.65	
				Reconciled:		£0.00	£2,048.70		£0.00

08/056 Parish Assets

08/056.1 Move of the bin away from the bench Brington High street –

The bench in Brington adjacent to the old telephone box.

1) Dig up the litter bin adjacent to the bench and supply concrete and re set the litter bin to the right hand side of the yellow salt bin £147.00 + VAT

2) Raise the canopy of the Lime tree which is over hanging the bench to 3m to allow access to the bench £115.00 + VAT

08/056.2 A14 fund for the new noticeboard installation

08/057 Website review following the recent issues

08/058 To approve Policies

To Review and Carry out Assets Risk Assessment – this item was brought forward from May's meeting.

08/059 Highways and Maintenance

08/059.1 To discuss loan/rental of an AutoSpeedWatch device to Catworth Parish Council for HGV Watch.

To note:

- <https://one.network/> includes details on emergency roadworks.

06/037.2 PFHI scheme - Molesworth Extension of 30mph zone – the 30 speed signs in Molesworth near the village hall have been installed on 6 July 2026. CCC Highways removed our tall post near Molesworth business park and replaced it with a short repeater post and 30mph sign, so we cannot move the ASW to the new post

Brington Road near Brington Gorse - Missing Sign - 'No Heavy Goods Vehicles'. This sign was to be

installed by CCC in conjunction with HDC / RAF Molesworth as a condition of the current planning conditions for works at Molesworth – *it is going to be actioned - planned maintenance programme, CCC will be carrying out work to address this issue this financial year. At this stage they cannot provide any further timescales or specific dates for this work to be carried out.*

- *Request was sent to National Highways for better 'No HGV' signs through the village whilst the A14 is closed / repaired as this was not actioned yet*

B660 / A14 over bridge junction - General Road Condition is deteriorating across the whole stretch of the junctions/bridge. Large crevices appearing along joins, uneven surface over the bridge with delamination of the road surface occurring over large swathes. It would seem prudent a full resurfacing of the entire junction would be the most cost-effective resolution. – *21 day repair ticket raised by CCC*

Reply to CCC officers on 24th June – PC sent email to CCC officer of 18th August 2025. Back in August 2025 both members of the public and the Parish Council raised concerns in regards the preparation of the new footpath. Parish Council particularly commented on the footpath preparation and substrate being laid. CCC then reassured us that preparation and the Cold Recycled Bound Material (CRBM), now used as standard across the county, is fit for purpose. It is clear it is not fit for purpose, as it is deforming and weeds are growing through. There should not be weeds and cracks in a footpath that is less than one year old – complaints logged to CCC.

RAF Molesworth B777 – Abnormal Load Through Brington Village – dealt with

A14 - many tens of HGVs and hundreds of vehicles in Brington High Street on 27th July due to an incident at Spaldwick. This was reported to CCC and was raised with officers at the Highways & Transportation committee.

08/060 Speedwatch Report, update by Cllr Bowles

08/061 Footpaths and Bridleways – footpath which is int a footpath

08/062 The defibrillators, monthly update by Cllr G Rule – all working

08/063 Venue and dates for the PC Meetings

- No meeting in July
- Wed 5th August 2026 at 7.15pm at Molesworth Village Hall + Millennium Green meeting starting 7pm
- Wed 23rd September 2026 at 7.15pm Molesworth Village Hall
- No meeting in October
- Wed 4th November at Brington school + Millenium Green meeting starting 7pm
- Wed 16th December at Brington school

08/064 Training

08/065 Correspondence

08/065.1 Cambridgeshire County Council - Guided Bus

08/065.2 Huntingdonshire District Council - Council fraud team protects more than £585,000 of public funds

08/065.3 *Invite to the Chair: The Commander, 501st Combat Support Wing*
Colonel Michael J. Jewell requests the pleasure of your company at the Civic Leader and Community Information Event Wednesday 23rd September 9am to Noon

08/065.4 With regard to Local Government Reorganisation, the government has decided to delay its decision until October. This delay also brings into question the deliverability of the Government's self imposed timescale for LGR of April 28. In the absence of a decision from government there will be no changes to existing council services, these will continue to be commissioned as they are now.

08/065.5 HDC media release - Residents and businesses invited to help shape the future of parking in Huntingdonshire: Residents, businesses, and organisations are invited to complete the survey online at <https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/huntparkingstrategy/> by 16 August. Media contact communications@huntingdonshire.gov.uk

08/065.6 Have your say on the future of parking in Huntingdonshire - HDC Parking Strategy: Phase 2 User Survey. To take part in the survey, visit: <https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/huntparkingstrategy/> - the survey closes on 16 August 2026.

08/065.7 New date - Town and Parish Forum will take place on Thursday 26 November at Burgess Hall, St Ives, register via the link sent in the email.

08/065.8 HOLD THE DATE - Meeting with Brampton Cross developers - **Wednesday 23 September 2026 at 7.00pm** at Alconbury Memorial Hall

08/066 Councillors' questions/items for information only

Please, note that no decisions can lawfully be made under this item. Business must be specified therefore the Council cannot lawfully raise matters for decision.

EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

That in view of the confidential nature of the business about to be transacted, it is advisable in the public interest that the public and press be excluded, and they are instructed to withdraw, Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960

08/067 To consider co-option to fill one Councillor vacancy following the Elections in May 2026

08/068 Date of the next meeting is: on Wed 23rd September 2026 at 7.15pm at Molesworth Village Hall