

North Marston Parish Council

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Meeting of North Marston Parish Council Tuesday 10th June 2025 at 8.00pm in the Village Hall

To: Councillors I Mordue (Chairman), A Boyt (Vice Chairman), D Hogbin-Mills, K Du-Plessis, B Newman, S Hill and M Tanner.

Dear Councillors, you are hereby summoned to attend the above meeting of North Marston Parish Council to transact the following business. Members of the Public/Press are welcome to attend.

AGENDA

87/25 Present and Apologies: To receive apologies for absence.

88/25 Members Interests: To record any declarations of interest from Members.

Open forum for Parishioners: (under adjournment – 20 minutes. 3 minutes per person speaking) to include 100 Club Draw for June 2025

89/25 Buckinghamshire Council update: Buckinghamshire Councillor Phil Gomm.

90/25 Minutes: To approve minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday, 13th May 2025 (circulated).

91/25 To consider the following Planning application:

25/01588/APP - NORTH MARSTON

Manor Farm 26 High Street North Marston Buckinghamshire MK18 3PD
Householder application for the erection of a single-storey rear extension
(Consultee deadline 26th June 2025)

92/25 Update on BESS and/or solar farm proposals:

Appeal lodged with amended plans and possible attendance at the hearing for the proposed development of a battery energy storage system (BESS) **at Rookery Farm, Granborough MK18 3NJ**. Informal Hearing 22nd July 2025 in the Jubilee Room, The Gateway, Gatehouse Road, Aylesbury HP19 8FF commencing at 10.00 am.

93/25 Update on the dispute over the land to the north of Quainton Road

94/25 To receive relevant updates and agree any actions on the following:

1. Village Hall (i) Disabled parking space by Shop
2. Shop storage area
3. Play Area
4. Village Pond and Parsnip Pond
5. Defibrillators

95/25 To receive any updates and agree any actions on the following:

Environment

1. Highways

- (i) Any new and resolved road issues

- (ii) Parking
- (iii) MVAS
- (iv) Streetlighting

2. Grass and Hedges (i) Footpath No. 4 between Elmers Meadow and Gibbings Close overgrown.

96/25 Projects: To receive updates, discuss and agree on any actions on the following:

- (i) Replacement of the posts around the village's upper and lower greens (Councillor Mordue).
- (ii) The Parish Barn (Councillor Hill)
- (iii) Website (Councillor Tanner)
- (iv) New streetlight opposite Sports field entrance (Councillors Mordue and Hill)
- (v) Encouraging Wildlife/Aylesbury Vale Wild Project (Councillors Hogbin-Mills and Du-Plessis)

97/25 Sportsfield relevant updates (Councillor Mordue)

98/25 Finance

1. To acknowledge receipt of the Internal Auditor's Report.
2. To approve the Internal Auditor's preferred case of wine for up to £125.00.
3. To ratify the payment of the Insurance premium of £1,988 with Ecclesiastical Insurance.
4. To approve Parish Council's annual £1k grant support to the Sports field
5. To approve the following Receipts and Payments of Accounts:

Receipts and Payments of Accounts

Payments received by the Parish Council

HMRC VAT Return 2024-25 - £7,508.51, no VAT

Buckinghamshire Council – Devolution Grant - £2,155.59, not VAT

Yet unidentified receipt - £16.64

Payments made on behalf of the Parish Council

SSE Energy – Streetlighting 01/03 – 30/04 - £111.09, £6.92 VAT

SSE Energy – streetlighting 01/04– 30/04 - £98.66, £4.70 VAT

HP Instant Ink – Printer ink contract – Papers for Internal Auditor and mediation - £24.49, £4.08 VAT

Clear Insurance Management Ltd – Annual Insurance premium - £1,988.93, no VAT

LLP Law Group – continued instruction regarding Quainton Road land dispute - £504.00, £84.00 VAT

Blades – May grass cutting - £882.40, £147.07 VAT

North Marston History Club – Small Grant award new laptop - £200.00, no VAT

North Marston School PTA – Small Grant award for storage shed - £500.00, no VAT

VAT portion due to VH - £481.66 paid by transfer

VAT portion due to SF - £270.37 paid by transfer

Payments to be made on behalf of the Parish Council

Clerks Salary for May - £***. ** no VAT

HMRC – Clerk's PAYE tax - £***. **

Employers N.I £**. **

Office Reimbursement for May £26.00, £12.60 mileage (audit) and £3.25 sundries. Total £41.85, no VAT

Tesco Mobile – parish phone contract - £8.09, no VAT

North Marston ECC – Small Grant award towards sound system - £300, no VAT

Village Hall

Payments made on behalf of the Village Hall

Katherine Wetherell – VH cleaning May - £112.50, no VAT

E-on Next - electricity Village Hall – 1st- 30th April 2025 - £77.98, £3.71 VAT
E-on Next - electricity Schorne Room – 1st April – 3rd May - £56.09, £2.67 VAT
Speedy Fuels – Oil Delivery 02/06/25 (while prices low) - £235.99, £11.24 VAT

Payments received on behalf of the Village Hall

Schorne Pre-school – VH hire Spring Term 2025 - £2,383.80, no VAT
Schorne Pre-School – VH hire Autumn Term 2024 (invoiced late) - £2,959.20, no VAT
Post Office Counters - Monday Club VH Hire 2025-26 - £152.00, no VAT
Post Office Counters – Cash donations at VE Day Event - £229.60
Buckinghamshire Council – VH hire for Local Elections - £300.00, no VAT
Alicia Peasely – VH hire for child's party - £98.00, no VAT
VAT portion due from VAT return from PC account - £481.66

Sportsfield

Payments made on behalf of the Sportsfield

E-On Next Ltd - SF electricity 1st – 30th April '25 - £66.69, £3.18 VAT
Rebecca Parker-Marvellous Marigolds May cleaning - £72.90, no VAT
Anglian Water – 9th Feb – 8th May '25 - £37.03, no VAT

Payments Received on behalf of the Sportsfield

Granborough Parish Council Small grant award - £1,000, no VAT
1st Granborough Scout Group – hire of facilities 2025.26 - £500.00, no VAT
VAT portion due to SF from PC account - £270.37

Payments to be made on behalf of the Sportsfield

June 100 Club Prizes

000854 100 Club 100 Club 1st prize £30.00, no VAT
000855 100 Club 100 Club 2nd prize £20.00, no VAT
000856 100 Club 100 Club 3rd prize £10.00, no VAT

85/25 Date of the next meeting: The next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Tuesday, 8th July 2025 at 8.00 pm in the Village Hall.

Jan Roffe, Clerk to North Marston Parish Council, 5th June 2025