



Great Coates Village Council
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Minutes of the Great Coates Village Council held on Thursday 23 July 2026 at 7.00pm at the Venue in the Village, Cooks Lane, Great Coates, Grimsby, DN37 9NW.

Present: Cllr S Hall (Chair), Cllr K Redgrift, Cllr A Hall, Cllr L Cutting

In attendance: H Hepworth (Clerk)

Members of the public present: 2 members of the public, Ward Cllr Paul

Agenda item	Detail	Actions
2607/1 Apologies	Apologies of absence – Cllr Masterton, Cllr A Matthews	
2607/2 Declarations of interest	a) Declarations of interest under the Localism Act 2011 - being any pecuniary or non- pecuniary interest in agenda items not previously recorded on Members Register of Interests: none	
	b) No dispensations were submitted to the Clerk or a Councillor in writing before the meeting	
2607/3 Public Session	The Macmillan Coffee Morning will be on the 6 th September The Europarc Bridge – could this be used by other vehicles and not just buses? The Clerk will write to the companies and ask them if they can encourage employees not to use the village if possible Lifestyle Project Zhabky can have their event for free provided their responsible adult does the booking and is on site and they have a prior meeting with Cllr S Hall A resident mentioned the noise level at the hall at a recent event which. Signs will be made for the doors, terms and conditions will be revisited and deposits reviewed.	The Clerk will make signs on the doors to say that the doors need to be shut if there is music playing
2607/4 Reports from organisations	a) Humberside Police statistics were shared	Clerk to send out crime statistics each month
	b) Report from Unitary Councillors Local Government Reorganisation – North Lincolnshire and North East Lincolnshire Council will remain the same. Complaints have been received regarding flies Grimsby came in the last 50 for the Town of Culture	
2607/5 Approval of minutes	Proposed: Cllr S Hall, Seconded: Cllr Redgrift Resolved: The draft minutes of the Village Council Meeting held on 23/7/26 were approved as a true record – 3 in favour, 2 abstentions	Clerk to put these on the website
2607/6 Finance	a) The Financial Report for the period ending 30/6/2026 was received	
	b) The Q1 Budget Reconciliation was received	
	c) Proposed: Cllr Greem, Seconded: Cllr Redgrift Resolved: It was noted that the bank statements reconciled with the month-end reporting - unanimous	



	d) Proposed: Cllr Redgrift, Seconded: Cllr Green Resolved: The schedule of payments for July and August were approved including Clerk expenses £35, salaries, July and August HMRC payments, Anglian Water £115, Octopus Energy £510.47, Octopus Energy £179.28, H3G £31.48, Biffa £103.39, – unanimous	Clerk to make payments
	e) Actions relating to HMRC correspondence	
	f) Plumbing Repairs Proposed: Cllr Masterton, Seconded: Cllr Redgrift Resolved:	Clerk to
	g) To receive an update on the bank mandate –	Clerk to inform payroll
	h) To receive pricing options for the newsletter	The Clerk will submit the form
2607/7 Reports from committees of the Village Council	a) Personnel Committee – no meeting	
	b) Great Coates in Bloom Working Party – no update	
2607/8 Village Events	To discuss and approve any actions relating to village events i) Summer Fayre ii) 32 amp socket installation iii) Any other issues	The Clerk will add these to the bookings dairy
2607/9 Parish Matters	a) To receive any report or consider any appropriate action relating to the Village Council Magazine – The next edition is in September and the deadline for materials is 7 th August.	Items to be with Cllr S Hall by 7/8/26
	b) Venue in the Village / Village Hall i) noise complaints ii) signage and terminology iii) Safer Roads Humber	
2607/10 Report of the Proper Officer	a) The Proper Officer / Clerk's Report was received	
2607/11 Correspondence	To note and discuss any correspondence received a) Complaints about noise levels at hall b) Complaints about overgrown planters c) Any other correspondence received	Clerk to contact CT
2607/12 Planning Applications	DM/0434/126/FUL 2 Blackthorn Drive – single storey extension with roof lights	
2607/13 Future meeting(s)	a) The Village Council Meeting will be on 24 September at 7pm Deadline for items for the agenda 17/9322aww z/26	Clerk to publish agenda
	b) Future agenda items to include at the next meeting to include Booking Terms and Conditions Licences for the Hall	Clerk to put on agenda The Clerk will send out the Terms and Conditions

Meeting closed 19:58