



**PARISH COUNCIL FINANCE MEETING
AGENDA**

**Monday 25th November 7.30pm
The Library, Ash Village Hall, Queens Road, Ash CT3 2BG**

Sir/Madam,

You are hereby summoned to attend a Finance Council meeting of Ash Parish Council at 7.30pm Monday 25th November 2024 at The Library, Ash Village Hall, Queens Road, Ash, for the purposes of considering and passing such resolutions as may be deemed necessary or desirable in respect of the matters contained within the agenda. If you are unable to attend this meeting, will you, please advise the Clerk in advance by email so that your apologies and reasons for absence can be given at the meeting.

- 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE** - To receive any apologies of absence.
- 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** - Members are requested to disclose any interest they may have for items on the agenda.
- 3. APPROVAL AND SIGNING OF MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 13th NOVEMBER 2023**
- 4. REPORT ON CURRENT AND YEAR END AND ESTIMATED SPEND FOR 2024-25** - Spending to date review and major items likely to be completed by the end of financial year
- 5. PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 2025-26 EXPENDITURE**
 - Administration
 - Allotments
 - Biodiversity
 - Contingencies
 - Employment Costs
 - Events
 - Grants & Donations
 - HIP – Traffic Calming
 - Planning
 - Recreation Ground Toilet Block
 - Recreation Ground
 - Village Maintenance
 - Earmarked Reserves
- 6. GRANTS** – Consider grants to Ash and Westmarsh Village Halls, Parochial Church Council, Heritage Centre, Ash Wildlife Friendly Village, S137
- 7. NEW EXPENDITURE** – To consider any new expenditure for 2025-26 including Traffic Calming and Phase 2 of the Play Area
- 8. ALLOTMENT CHARGES 2026** – To consider the charges for 2026
- 9. SETTING INDICATIVE PRECEPT.**

Mrs Joanna Jones RFO to Ash Parish Council, 19th November 2024