

Notice is hereby given of

THE POLICY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

on

Wednesday 21st February 2024 at 7pm at The Harlington

All Committee members are summoned to attend.

To Councillors:

P. Einchcomb, S. Engström, R. Fang, L. Holt, R. Richmond, R. Robinson, B. Schofield, D. Taylor, S. Tilley and G. Woods

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Rochelle Halliday, Executive Officer 14th February 2024

AGENDA

1.	APOLOGIES Schedule 12 of the LGA 1972 requires a record to be kept of members present, and that this record forms part of the minutes of the meeting. A resolution must be passed on whether the reason(s) for a member's absence are acceptable.
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2.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST Under the Local Authorities Localism Act 2011, members must declare any interest and the nature of that interest, which they may have in any of the items under consideration at this meeting.
	Members are reminded that they must disclose both the existence and the nature of a personal interest that they have in any matter to be considered at this meeting. A personal interest will be considered a prejudicial interest if this is one in which a member of the public with knowledge of the relevant facts would reasonably regard as so significant that it is likely to prejudice the members' judgement of the public interest.
3.	QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC (3 min per person maximum 15 minutes) To receive questions and statements from members of the public.
4.	MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING To receive and approve as a correct record the minutes of the Policy and Finance Committee meeting held on 18 th October 2023 (<i>copy attached</i>).
Par	t 1 – ITEMS FOR DECISION
5.	QUARTERLY FINANCIAL MONITORING REPORT To consider and agree the quarterly report of the Executive Officer and The Harlington General Manager (copies attached) for the period ending 31 st December 2023 and to receive: A) Reports for 2023/24 as at 31 st December 2023: Included in the agenda pack a. Quarterly Report b. Harlington Monthly Performance Totals c. Review of Panto financials d. 2023/24 Year to Date and Budget Projections report e. Balance sheet as at 31 st December 2023
	On FTC portal and website f. Bank & Investments Reconciliation g. List of Purchase Ledger Payments h. List of Debtors (as at date report is produced)

	B) To confirm that the bank reconciliation and the list of payments for December 2023 have been verified and signed off against the original bank statement by Councillor Robinson.
	RECOMMENDATIONS
	 a) To receive and accept the Quarterly Report and accounts for the period ending 31st December 2023.
	 b) To confirm that the bank reconciliation and the list of payments for December 2023 have been verified and signed by Councillor Robinson.
6.	GRANT APPLICATIONS
•	 A) To consider and agree the following applications for grant funding (applications and accompanying documents attached):
	a) Fleet and District Carnival – requesting £1,000 towards the cost of providing toilets at the Fleet and District Carnival on 6 th July 2024.
	b) Fleet Market CIC - requesting that £1,000 to fund three special events at Fleet Market over the next few months.
	B) To consider and agree other expenditure from grant funding (see Executive Officer's report):
	 The transfer of £2,084 surplus funds allocated for the Coronation event to a new control account for the prospective Music on The Views 2024 event.
	b) The transfer of £2,034 of available funding from the 110 Grants cost centre to the prospective Music on The Views 2024 event control account, subject to there being no further grant requests received for the financial year.
	C) Record of grants awarded this financial year.
	 a) To note the record of grants awarded for 2023/24 and proposed allocations.
	RECOMMENDATIONS A)
	a) Fleet and District Carnival - to approve the request.b) Fleet Market CIC - to approve the request.
	В)
	 a) To approve the transfer of £2,084 surplus funds allocated for the Coronation event to a new control amount for the prospective Music on The Views event 2024.
	b) To approve the transfer of £2,034 of available funding from the 110 Grant cost centre to the prospective Music on The Views 2024 event control account, subject to there being no further grant requests received for the financial year.
	 C) a) To note the record of the grants awarded for 2023/24.
7.	INVESTMENT REPORT
	To consider the quarterly investment report (copy attached).
	RECOMMENDATION
	To note the balances held in the Fleet Town Council investment accounts.

8	3.	THE HARLINGTON DEVELOPMENT – EVALUATING THE IMPACT ON OPERATIONS To consider and agree setting up a Working Group from the Committee to evaluate the
		financial and operational impact of the proposed development of The Harlington (see Executive Officer's Report).
		RECOMMENDATION
		To approve setting up a Working Group as proposed, that will make the appropriate recommendations to the Committee and Council, as required.
g).	FLEET REPAIR CAFÉ
		To consider and agree providing space at The Harlington rooms free of charge as a venue for the Fleet Repair Café (<i>see Executive Officer's Report</i>).
		RECOMMENDATION
		To approve the request.
1	0.	POLICY REVIEWS
		To consider and agree the following draft policies (<i>copies attached</i> & see Officer's report on <i>Policies</i>):
		a) Freedom of Information Policy / Publication Scheme
		b) Fire Safety Policy
		c) Rules and Regulations Fleet Cemetery
		d) Stress in the Workplace Policy
		e) Credit Card Policy
		f) Grievance Policy
		g) Disciplinary Policy
		h) Lone Worker Policy
		i) Risk Management Policy
		RECOMMENDATIONS To approve the following policies as proposed:
		a) Freedom of Information Policy / Publication Scheme
		b) Fire Safety Policy
		c) Rules and Regulations Fleet Cemetery
		d) Stress in the Workplace Policy
		e) Credit Card Policy
		f) Grievance Policy
		g) Disciplinary Policy
		h) Lone Worker Policy
		i) Risk Management Policy

Par	t 2 – ITEMS TO NOTE
11.	
	To receive and note the update report from the Executive Officer (copy attached).
12.	DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING The next meeting of the Policy and Finance Committee is scheduled for Wednesday 15 th May 2024 at 7pm in the Harlington.
Par	t 3 – CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS
	Under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 Exclusion of the public in accordance with Section 1(2) and by reason of the confidential nature of the business of the Town Council, the Public and Press will be excluded from the meeting. The following types of business will be treated as confidential:
	 a. Engagement, terms of service, conduct and dismissal of employees b. Terms of tenders, and proposals and counter-proposals in negotiations for contracts c. Receipt of professional legal advice and preparation of cases in legal proceedings d. The early stages of any dispute e. Matters of a commercial nature



FLEET TOWN COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE POLICY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

Wednesday 18th October 2023 at 7pm At The Harlington

PRESENT

Councillors: P. Einchcomb, L. Holt (Chairman), R. Richmond, R. Robinson, B. Schofield, S. Tilley and G. Woods.

Also Present: Rochelle Halliday – Executive Officer Alex Robins – Harlington General Manager Sarah Moore – Finance and Administration Manager Louise Rogers – Administration Support Officer

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Members received and accepted apologies of absence from Cllrs Engström (away), Fang (work commitments) and Taylor (work commitments).

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 3 QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

There were no members of the public present.

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 4 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes of the Policy and Finance Committee held on 19th July 2023 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 5 QUARTERLY FINANCIAL MONITORING REPORT

Members considered the reports with an overview of the financial performance for the period ending 30th September 2023.

The Committee reviewed the following reports, as at 30th September 2023:

- a) Quarterly Report
- b) Harlington Monthly Performance Totals
- c) 2023/24 Year to Date and Budget Projections report

- d) Balance sheets as at 30th September 2023.
- e) Statutory Income & Expenditure
- f) Bank & Investments Reconciliation
- g) List of Purchase Ledger Payments
- h) List of Debtors

The quarterly report and Harlington monthly totals were reviewed. The following items were discussed:

Quarterly report- Members discussed the Hart District Association of Parish and Town Council's (HDAPTC) woodland management, members agreed to discuss in more depth at the next RLA meeting.

Harlington monthly totals- Harlington events are all going well, and budgeting for this continuing in the future. Tickets sales are higher than previous years although costs have also increased, the customer base is continuing to grow with new customers but there is also a good level of returning customers.

Members discussed the marketing of the hall hire. The Harlington General Manager will provide a more detailed report on the hall hire income and marketing of the hall hire at the next RLA meeting.

The Harlington has had some general repairs such as plumbing and lighting.

Year to date and Budget Projections- Budget predictions are positive for the year end at this point. Members discussed that ticket sales are showing as zero for the Harlington and should be reflected in the actual Year to Date report.

Members discussed to check if the underspend at the Cemetery is for the Cemetery extension and to also check where the badger activity works is accounted for.

Balance sheets- Members discussed the high level of funds in the current account as second payment of precept was received in the month.

Statutory Income and Expenditure- Members agreed to remove the Statutory Income and Expenditure report as the Year to Date actuals are shown on the budget report.

List of Debtors- the report is showing the following month's ledger balance, it was discussed to check with the software company if the debtors account should not pull through the following month's ledger balance.

RESOLVED

1. To accept the Quarterly Financial Monitoring reports for the period ending 30th September 2023.

2. To accept from Cllr Robinson that the bank reconciliation and list of payments for September 2023 have been verified and signed.

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 6 INVESTMENT REPORT

Members considered the quarterly investment report and discussed the level of funds in the Council's current account with a higher rate of interest. It was discussed moving £500,000 into a short term access account with a higher rate of interest. This can be transferred over by the Executive Officer as long as it is countersigned by two bank signatories.

RESOLVED

1. To note the balances held in the Fleet Town Council accounts.

2. To approve that the Executive Officer transfers £500,000 to a short term access account with the countersigning of two bank signatories.

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 7 BUDGET 2024/25 - FIRST DRAFT

Members received a summary of the first draft of the Council's budget for 2024/25 financial year. And commented on the following:

The ongoing effects of inflation and underbudgeting for playground works, tree works and utility bills in the current year has meant there is additional expenditure drafted in next year's budget to catch up.

It is advised that it is not usual or good practice to fund operational expenditure from general reserves.

Although the Council's general reserves are within acceptable limits, due to the nature of our operations and assets they are vulnerable to major unforeseen events.

Utility bills have a good estimate in budget, risks to income should also be evaluated as part of the budget setting process.

There has been an assumption that inflation will continue to fall from the current level.

It was discussed that the management of income generation should also be a focus for this budget.

To start a risk modelling process for the Harlington development early 2024.

The first Budget Working Group meeting is to be arranged for November. Councillors are to feedback comments regarding the draft budget to the Executive Officer to prepare for the meeting.

The Harlington General Manager left the meeting at 9pm.

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 8 GRANT APPLICATION

Members received and discussed the following grant application:

a) Citizens Advice Hart - requesting £1,000 to run a project for Citizens Advice First Aid.

RESOLVED

- To approve issuing a grant of £1,000 to Citizens Advice Hart to run the project for one Advice First Aid course, materials, and to support 12 volunteers plus contribution to supervision and training of volunteers to support the increasing numbers of local clients dropping not Hart offices.
- 2. To note the record of the grants awarded for 2023/24.

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 9 POLICIES

Members reviewed the proposed changes to the polices required to bring it in line with legislation.

Uniform Policy- The heading in section 2 still reads 'Steel Toed Safety Boots' to correct to 'Steel Toed Safety Footwear'.

Eye Test Policy- In section 4.1 to remove 'on' before 'securely'.

RESOLVED

1. To approve the Uniform policy with the subject to change the heading for section 2 to 'Steel Toed Safety Footwear'.

2. To approve the Eye Test policy with the subject to removing 'on' before 'securely' in section 4.1.

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 10 EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

Members noted the report of the Executive Officer.

PF OCTOBER 2023 ITEM 11 DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Policy and Finance Committee will be held on Wednesday 21st February 2024 at 7pm in the Harlington.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.15pm.

Part 3- CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS

There are no confidential items.

Signed: Date.....

Chairman

Monthly Performance Totals (net of VAT)

April	Hall	Hire Income	Ti	cket sales	% of capacity	P	Perf costs	Cont	tribution	Anc	illary sales	Cos	st of stock	Co	ntribution	Casual S	taffing	Total performance income	Total performance costs	Total performance contribution
Comedy Club	£	-	£	1,875.00	69%	£	1,182.82	£	692.18	£	1,570.66	£	634.80	£	935.86	£	229.98	£ 3,445.66	£ 2,047.60	£ 1,398.06
Jazz Club	£	-	£	2,104.17	89%	£	1,364.23	£	739.94	£	732.65	£	294.46	£	438.19	£	71.50	£ 2,836.82	£ 1,730.19	£ 1,106.63
Roller Disco	£	245.00	£	-	n/a	£	-	£	-	£	783.99	£	331.16	£	452.83	£	106.81	£ 1,028.99	£ 437.97	£ 591.02
90's Rewind	£	-	£	6,966.67	93%	£	2,550.00	£	4,416.67	£	6,974.91	£	2,791.48	£	4,183.43	£	484.61	£ 13,941.58	£ 5,826.09	£ 8,115.49
Legend	£	-	£	3,228.33	83%	£	2,000.00	£	1,228.33	£	1,965.49	£	824.40	£	1,141.09	£	252.38	£ 5,193.82	£ 3,076.78	£ 2,117.04
Rock For Heroes	£	-	£	4,636.67	100%	£	3,224.60	£	1,412.07	£	2,175.41	£	870.65	£	1,304.76	£	233.54	£ 6,812.08	£ 4,328.79	£ 2,483.29
Film Club x 2	£	300.00	£	_	n/a	£		£	-	£	350.49	£	140.96	£	209.53	£	21.36	£ 650.49	£ 162.32	£ 488.17
Roller Disco drop in session	£	175.00	£	-	n/a	£	-	£	-	£	218.58	£	92.77	£	125.81	£	93.56	£ 393.58	£ 186.33	£ 207.25
Rock Choir x 1	£	100.00	£	-	n/a	£	_	£	_	£	50.41	£	20.16	£	30.25	£	_	£ 150.41	£ 20.16	£ 130.25
Ceroc x 4	£	1,139.20	£	_	n/a	£	-	£	_	£	464.41	£	186.25	£	278.16	£	174.52	£ 1,603.61		
TOTALS FOR APRIL	£	1,959.20		18,810.84		£	10,321.65	£	8,489.19	£			6,187.09	£			668.26			
May		Hire Income		cket sales	% of capacity		Perf costs		,				st of stock		ntribution	Casual S		Total performance income		Total performance contribution
Maet Live	f	-	£	3,349.17	85%	£				£		£	793.28		1,182.80		233.67		•	£ 2,135.85
Francis Rossi	£	_	£	8,666.67	85%	£		_	2,232.54	£	1,118.90	£	448.20	£	670.70		227.83			,
Ultimate Elton	- F	_	- f	3,387.50	88%	£	2.000.00	- F	1,387.50	£	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	£	713.18	£	1,063.07		224.45			
Black Sabbitch	÷	_	£	1,678.33	26%	£	,	-£	· ·	£	- 1	£	440.67		659.99		153.33			
Film Club x 2	£	300.00	-	1,078.55	20‰ n/a	£	2,000.00	£	521.07	£	· · · · · · ·	£	110.66		164.46		23.45			
Jazz CLub	L C	500.00	L L	- 1,404.17		£	-	L C	- 391.88	£			195.55		291.28		72.54			
	£	245.00	£	· ·	60%	£	1,012.29	L C	391.00	Ľ		£	253.41	£				,		
Roller Disco		245.00	t	-	n/a	-	-	£	-	t		£			346.75		116.57			
Comedy Club	£	-	£	1,744.17	65%	£	1,096.73	£	647.44	£	- 1	£	559.58	£	826.99		168.92	,	,	
Roller Disco drop in session	£	80.00	£	-	n/a	£	-	£	-	£		£	42.02		58.69		72.94			
Rock Choir x 4	£	400.00		-	n/a	£		£	-	£		£	57.80		86.70		-	£ 544.50		
Ceroc x 4	£	1,139.20		-	n/a	£	-	£	-	£		£	135.99	£			166.31			
TOTALS FOR MAY	£	2,164.20		20,230.01	0/ = 6 = = = = = 1 = =					£	9,304.86		3,750.34				460.01			
June	Hall	Hire Income	110	cket sales	% of capacity		Perf costs	Cont			illary sales					Casual S	-	Total performance income	•	Total performance contribution
Voodoo Room	£	-	£	2,469.17	70%	£	1,494.93	£	974.24	£	1	£	539.08	£	805.16		226.37	,		
Ultimate Commitments & Blues Bros	£	-	£	2,790.00	72%	£	1,706.04	£	1,083.96	£	- 1	£	684.04	£	1,017.61		200.44			,
Roller Disco	£	245.00	£	-	n/a	£	-	£	-	£		£	113.34	£	155.57		96.48			
Film Club x 2	£	300.00	£	-	n/a	£	-	£	-	£		£	68.54	£	102.37		23.45			
Jazz Club	£	-	£	2,154.17	91%	£	1,246.96	£		£		£	331.14		492.75		56.14	,		
Comedy Club	£	-	£	1,091.67	42%	£	1,000.00	£		£	- 1	£	462.08	£	683.00		233.05	,		
Money For Nothing	£	-	£	3,070.83	79%	£	2,000.00	£	1,070.83	£	1,718.57	£	690.87	£	1,027.70		252.99			
Bootleg Blondie	£	-	£	3,815.83	70%	£	1,250.00	£	2,565.83	£	2,310.08	£	926.20	£	1,383.88	£	283.61	£ 6,125.91	£ 2,459.81	£ 3,666.10
Rock Choir x 4	£	400.00	£	-	n/a	£	-	£	-	£	134.25	£	53.70	£	80.55	£	-	£ 534.25	£ 53.70	£ 480.55
Ceroc x 5	£	1,424.00	£	-	n/a	£	-	£	-	£	350.25	£	140.47	£	209.78	£	203.19	£ 1,774.25	£ 343.66	£ 1,430.59
TOTALS FOR JUNE	£	2,369.00	£	15,391.67		£	8,697.93	£	6,693.74	£	9,967.83	£	4,009.46	£	5,958.37		575.72	£ 27,728.50	£ 14,283.11	£ 13,445.39
July	Hall	Hire Income	Ti	cket sales	% of capacity	P	Perf costs	Cont	tribution	Anc	illary sales	Cos	st of stock	Со	ntribution	Casual S	taffing	Total performance income	Total performance costs	Total performance contribution
Starburst	£	3,931.00	£	-	62%	£	-	£	-	£	5,439.39	£	2,194.43	£	3,244.96	£	927.19	£ 9,370.39	£ 3,121.62	£ 6,248.77
Film Club x 1	£	150.00	£	-	n/a	£	-	£	-	£	110.66	£	44.31	£	66.35	£	20.84	£ 260.66	£ 65.15	£ 195.51
Albert Cummings	£	-	£	1,583.33	44%	£	1,200.00	£	383.33	£	855.49	£	343.63	£	511.86	£	189.75	£ 2,438.82	£ 1,733.38	£ 705.44
Benidorm Tom	£	-	£	2,692.50	69%	£	1,500.00	£	1,192.50	£	1,370.25	£	550.26	£	819.99	£	215.94	£ 4,062.75	£ 2,266.20	£ 1,796.55
Jazz Club	£	-	£	2,158.33	94%	£	1,088.27	£	1,070.06	£	674.24	£	270.74	£	403.50	£	67.21	£ 2,832.57	£ 1,426.22	£ 1,406.35
Ceroc x 4	£	1,139.20	£	-	n/a	£	-	£	-	£	225.49	£	90.43	£	135.06	£	170.35	£ 1,364.69	£ 260.78	£ 1,103.91
deree x 1			~	6,434.16		f	2 799 27	£	2,645.89	£	8 675 52	f	3 493 80	f	5,181.72	£ 1,	591.28	£ 20,329.88	£ 8,873.35	£ 11,456.53
TOTALS FOR JULY	£	5,220.20	£	0,454.10		-	3,700.27	-	-,		0,070.02	-	3,433.00	-	-,			-,		
		5,220.20 Hire Income		cket sales	% of capacity		Perf costs													Total performance contribution

OTALS FOR AUGUST	£	1,424.00	£ -		£ -	£-	£ 54	4.08	E 217.81	£ 326.	27 £		£ 1,968.08	£ 217.81	£ 1,750.27
September	Hall	Hire Income	Ticket sales	% of capacity	Perf costs	Contribution	Ancillary	ales	Cost of stock	Contributi	on (Casual Staffing	Total performance income	Total performance costs	Total performance contribution
ary Ryan as Neil Diamond	£	-	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£		E -	£ -	f	- 1	£ -	£ -	£ -
medy Club	£	-	£ 1,531.67	61%	£ 1,000.00	£ 531.67	£ 1,27	1.65	E 511.36	£ 760.	29 <mark>f</mark>	237.05	£ 2,803.32	£ 1,748.41	£ 1,054.91
ller Disco	£	245.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 31	0.49	E 130.39	£ 180.	10 f	70.34	£ 555.49	£ 200.73	£ 354.76
timate Eagles	£	-	£ 3,625.00	51%	£ 2,678.80	£ 946.20	£ 1,58	5.08	E 637.17	£ 947.	91 <mark>f</mark>	288.75	£ 5,210.08	£ 3,604.72	£ 1,605.36
ast Off Kinks	£	-	£ 4,410.00	100%	£ 3,082.50	£ 1,327.50	£ 2,12	6.24	E 853.75	£ 1,272.	49 f	367.83	£ 6,536.24	£ 4,304.08	£ 2,232.16
lm Club x 2	£	300.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 34	3.9 9 ±	E 137.91	£ 206.	08 <mark>f</mark>	13.03	£ 643.99	£ 150.94	£ 493.05
zz Club	£	-	£ 1,537.50	65%	£ 1,117.89	£ 419.61	£ 54	3.66	E 218.80	£ 324.	86 <u>f</u>	67.73	£ 2,081.16	£ 1,404.42	£ 676.74
ock Choir x 4	£	400.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 7	0.58	E 28.23	£ 42.	35 f	- 1	£ 470.58	£ 28.23	£ 442.35
eroc x 4	£	1,139.20	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 59	7.74	E 239.29	£ 358.	45 <u>f</u>	145.61	£ 1,736.94	£ 384.90	£ 1,352.04
OTALS FOR SEPTEMBER	£	2,084.20	£ 11,104.17		£ 7,879.19	£ 3,224.98	£ 6,84	9.43	£ 2,756.90	£ 4,092.	53 f	E 1,190.34	£ 20,037.80	£ 11,826.43	£ 8,211.37
ctober	Hall	Hire Income	Ticket sales	% of capacity	Perf costs	Contribution	Ancillary	ales	Cost of stock	Contributi	on (Casual Staffing	Total performance income	Total performance costs	Total performance contribution
eesy Bingo Party	£	-	£ 2,881.67	100%	£ 2,005.02	£ 876.65	£ 2,87	0.90 ±	E 1,161.13	£ 1,709.	77 <u>f</u>	401.13	£ 5,752.57	£ 3,567.28	£ 2,185.29
ox School	£	687.75	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 35	0.33	E 142.93	£ 207.	40 <u>f</u>	61.22	£ 1,038.08	£ 204.15	£ 833.93
m Club x 2	£	300.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 31	5.49	E 126.97	£ 188.	52 <u>f</u>	21.88	£ 615.49	£ 148.85	£ 466.64
oller Disco	£	245.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 46	5.32	E 195.70	£ 269.	62 <u>f</u>	121.78	£ 710.32	£ 317.48	£ 392.84
zz Club	£	-	£ 1,637.50	70%	£ 1,126.69	£ 510.81	£ 60	6.99 ±	E 243.93	£ 363.	06 <u>f</u>	90.91	£ 2,244.49	£ 1,461.53	£ 782.96
ul Young	£	-	£ 9,237.50	90%	£ 6,902.26	£ 2,335.24	£ 1,53	8.33	E 617.65	£ 920.	68 <mark>f</mark>	252.68	£ 10,775.83	£ 7,772.59	£ 3,003.24
omedy Club	£	-	£ 1,643.33	60%	£ 1,032.66	£ 610.67	£ 1,27	7.33	E 516.57	£ 760.	76 <mark>f</mark>	213.20	£ 2,920.66	£ 1,762.43	£ 1,158.23
oller Disco drop in session	£	150.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 10	4.00	E 43.28	£ 60.	72 <mark>f</mark>	74.76	£ 254.00	£ 118.04	£ 135.96
e Bohemians	£	-	£ 3,716.67	65%	£ 2,576.00	£ 1,140.67	£ 2,23	8.99	E 898.71	£ 1,340.	28 <mark>f</mark>	254.88	£ 5,955.66	£ 3,729.59	£ 2,226.07
yd Effect	£	-	£ 4,895.83	100%	£ 3,407.31	£ 1,488.52	£ 2,62	1.99	E 1,051.57		42 <u>f</u>	307.63	£ 7,517.82	£ 4,766.51	£ 2,751.31
ock Choir x 3	£	300.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£9	4.91	E 37.96	£ 56.	95 <mark>f</mark>	- 1	£ 394.91	£ 37.96	£ 356.95
eroc x 4	£	1,139.20	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 53	2.41	E 213.09	£ 319.	32 <u>f</u>	177.77	£ 1,671.61	£ 390.86	£ 1,280.75
TALS FOR OCTOBER	£	2,821.95	£ 24,012.50		£ 17,049.94	£ 6,962.56	£ 13,01	6.99	£ 5,249.49	£ 7,767.	50 f	£ 1,977.84	£ 39,851.44	£ 24,277.27	£ 15,574.17
ovember	Hall	Hire Income	Ticket sales	% of capacity	Perf costs	Contribution	Ancillary	ales	Cost of stock	Contributi	on (Casual Staffing	Total performance income	Total performance costs	Total performance contribution
g Country	£	-	£ 7,975.00	73%	£ 4,500.00	£ 3,475.00	£ 2,88	6.74 d	E 1,157.01	£ 1,729.	73 <u>f</u>	257.49	£ 10,861.74	£ 5,914.50	£ 4,947.24
ıble Sinatra	£	-	£ 4,791.67	100%	£ 2,800.00	£ 1,991.67	£ 1,42	3.33 ±	E 574.34	£ 848.	99 <mark>f</mark>	335.77	£ 6,215.00	£ 3,710.11	£ 2,504.89
arti Pellow	£	-	£ 11,145.00	100%	£ 8,294.75	£ 2,850.25	£ 1,43	2.58 ±	E 575.57	£ 857.	01 <mark>f</mark>	367.69	£ 12,577.58	£ 9,238.01	£ 3,339.57
oller Disco	£	245.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 27	9.66	E 117.42	£ 162.	24 <u>f</u>	116.57	£ 524.66	£ 233.99	£ 290.67
medy Club	£	-	£ 2,442.50	88%	£ 1,558.51	£ 883.99	£ 1,84	0.91	E 741.65	£ 1,099.	26 <mark>f</mark>	234.30	£ 4,283.41	£ 2,534.46	£ 1,748.95
zz Club	£	-	£ 2,112.50	91%	£ 1,164.99	£ 947.51	£ 68	5.40	E 276.41	£ 408.	99 <mark>f</mark>	72.54	£ 2,797.90	£ 1,513.94	£ 1,283.96
lm Club x 2	£	300.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 31	5.40	E 126.94	£ 188.	46 <mark>f</mark>	21.88	£ 615.40	£ 148.82	£ 466.58
)'s Rewind	£	-	£ 7,483.33	100%	£ 3,200.00	£ 4,283.33	£ 6,02	9.65	E 2,412.59	£ 3,617.	06 <mark>f</mark>	538.25	£ 13,512.98	£ 6,150.84	£ 7,362.14
)'s Rewind	£	-	£ 7,516.67	100%	£ 3,200.00	£ 4,316.67	£ 6,86	1.66	E 2,746.76	£ 4,114.	90 <mark>f</mark>	539.62	£ 14,378.33	£ 6,486.38	£ 7,891.95
ock Choir x 3	£	300.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£8	9.83	E 35.93	£ 53.	90 <mark>f</mark>	- 1	£ 389.83	£ 35.93	£ 353.90
eroc x 5	£	1,424.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 61	6.99 i	E 247.72	£ 369.	27 f	224.25	£ 2,040.99	£ 471.97	£ 1,569.02
OTALS FOR NOVEMBER	£	2,269.00	£ 43,466.67		£ 24,718.25	£ 18,748.42	£ 22,46	2.15	£ 9,012.34	£ 13,449.	81 i	£ 2,708.36	£ 68,197.82	£ 36,438.95	£ 31,758.87
ecember	Hall	Hire Income	Ticket sales	% of capacity	Perf costs	Contribution	Ancillary	ales	Cost of stock	Contributi	on (Casual Staffing	Total performance income	Total performance costs	Total performance contribution
ainly Madness	£	-	£ 5,050.00	89%	£ 3,436.35	£ 1,613.65	£ 4,62	9.34 i	E 1,854.16	£ 2,775.	18 <mark>f</mark>	476.55	£ 9,679.34	£ 5,767.06	£ 3,912.28
medy Club	£	-	£ 3,800.00	100%	£ 1,701.74	£ 2,098.26	£ 3,17	3.33	E 1,277.77	£ 1,895.	56 <mark>f</mark>	380.69	£ 6,973.33	£ 3,360.20	£ 3,613.13
z Club	£	-	£ 3,194.17	100%	£ 2,268.93	£ 925.24	£ 72	8.07	E 293.28	£ 434.	79 <mark>f</mark>	101.47	£ 3,922.24	£ 2,663.68	£ 1,258.56
nto	£	15,869.10	£ -	62%	£ -	£ -	£ 13,88	3.12	E 6,018.78	£ 7,864.	34 f	5,189.04	£ 29,752.22	£ 11,207.82	£ 18,544.40
TALS FOR DECEMBER	£	15,869.10	£ 12,044.17		£ 7,407.02	£ 4,637.15	£ 22,41	3.86	£ 9,443.99	£ 12,969.	87 i	E 6,147.75	£ 50,327.13	£ 22,998.76	£ 27,328.37
nuary	Hall	Hire Income	Ticket sales	% of capacity	Perf costs	Contribution	Ancillary	ales	Cost of stock	Contributi	on (Casual Staffing	Total performance income	Total performance costs	Total performance contribution
m Club x 2	£	300.00	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 30	4.91	E 122.74	£ 182.	17 <mark>f</mark>	10.94	£ 604.91	£ 133.68	£ 471.23
Inchtime Jazz	£	-	£ -	n/a	£ -	£ -	£ 17	4.32	E 69.85	£ 104.	47 <u>f</u>		£ 174.32	£ 69.85	£ 104.47

Roller Disco	£	245.00	£ -	n/a	£	-	£	-	£	515.33	£	222.41	£	292.92	£	72.94	£	760.33	£	295.35	£	464.98
Comedy Club	£	-	£ 2,235.00	82%	£	1,421.98	£	813.02	£	1,681.66	£	678.57	£	1,003.09	£	171.92	£	3,916.66	£	2,272.47	£	1,644.19
AC/DC UK	£	-	£ 7,500.00	100%	£	4,473.70	£	3,026.30	£	4,473.83	£	1,793.08	£	2,680.75	£	336.06	£	11,973.83	£	6,602.84	£	5,370.99
Stayin Alive	£	-	£ 3,750.00	86%	£	2,000.00	£	1,750.00	£	1,718.00	£	692.03	£	1,025.97	£	216.21	£	5,468.00	£	2,908.24	£	2,559.76
Rock Choir x 3	£	300.00	£ -	n/a	£	-	£	-	£	97.66	£	39.06	£	58.60	£	-	£	397.66	£	39.06	£	358.60
Ceroc x 4	£	1,139.20	£ -	n/a	£	-	£	-	£	232.91	£	96.19	£	136.72	£	46.49	£	1,372.11	£	142.68	£	1,229.43
TOTALS FOR JANUARY	£	1,984.20	£ 15,151.67		£	8,933.66	£	6,218.01	£	9,750.20	£	3,935.88	£	5,814.32	£	924.90	£	26,886.07	£	13,794.44	£	13,091.63
TOTALS	£	38,165.05	£ 166,645.86		£	103,501.51	£	63,144.35	£	118,271.92	£	48,057.10	£	70,214.82	£	19,244.46	£	323,082.83	£	170,803.07	£	152,279.76

OFFICER:	Alex Robins, The Harlington General Manager
DATE:	14 th February 2024
MEETING:	Policy & Finance Committee 21 st February 2024
SUBJECT:	Item 5.a.c. – Review of panto financials

2023's production of Dick Whittington took place across the same period structure as the previous year, however, with an increase of a further five shows. There were two clear days throughout the run, and all performance days featured two shows.

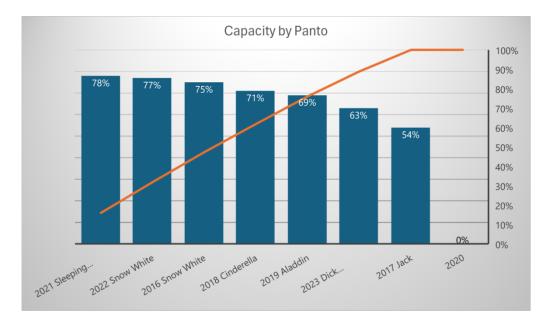
The production attracted a slightly smaller number of attendees than the previous year, which, given the increased number of seats to sell, shows a lower capacity occupation than previously. The increase in building occupancy together with additional staffing levels meant the hire costs to Starburst increased on previous years.

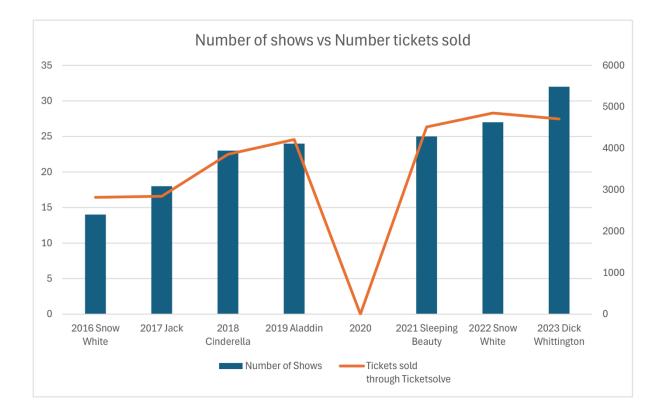
Sales trends tend to be the same year on year, with the first week of evenings being at low capacity, together with a dip in tickets sold after Christmas. However, the first week of the run allows local schools to attend the early performances, which is a good community initiative, so even lower capacity performances in the evenings don't harm the production financially.

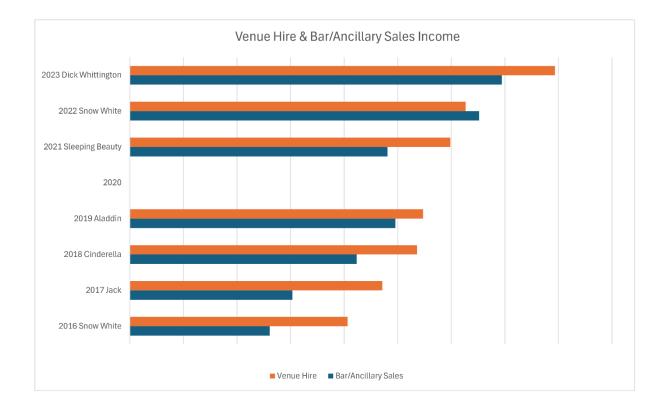
School performances and group deals (numbers of which are not accounted for in the figures on this report due to being invoiced directly through Starburst and not the Harlington box office) do sell at a greatly reduced price, so although it's understood that group numbers were higher than the previous year, the amount of income they generate doesn't have the same impact as general ticket sales.

In the lead up to the run, ticket sales were approximately 10% down on the previous year. This meant that Starburst needed to run last minute offers to close the shortfall. It helped to a degree to increase numbers, but income was at a lower average ticket price.

Graphs below show capacity percentages year on year, number of shows v number of tickets sold and bar/ancillary income plus hire income. (Due to commercial sensitivity, actual numbers haven't been included for hire income as this is customer information. Details available on request.)







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		2022-2	2023		2023-	2024			2024-2025	
		Budget	Actual	Total	Actual YTD	Projected	Committed	Agreed	EMR	Carried Forward
<u>101</u>	Central Administration									
1500	Miscellaneous Income	0	367	0	46	46	0	0	0	0
1870	Interest Income	500	31,564	14,000	48,744	70,000	0	69,000	0	0
	Total Income	500	31,931	14,000	48,790	70,046	0	69,000	0	0
4000	Salaries	140,511	130,727	163,764	110,638	150,200	0	169,894	0	0
4001	Employers National Insurance	14,051	13,038	16,376	11,532	15,500	0	17,983	0	0
4002	Employers Pension	7,026	7,195	9,145	6,230	8,500	0	9,488	0	0
4005	Contracted Staffing	0	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4011	Staff Recruitment	500	909	500	-300	-300	0	150	0	0
4015	Recharge staff hours	-19,219	-6,700	-8,700	0	-8,700	0	-8,700	0	0
4020	COVID19	1,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4030	Training	3,000	1,675	3,000	401	2,500	0	1,300	0	0
4041	Mileage/Travel/Sustenance	100	104	100	29	50	0	100	0	0
4130	Insurance	9,675	9,196	10,575	9,171	9,171	0	10,100	0	0
4156	Recycling	500	479	500	0	0	0	150	0	0
4175	Equipment Maintenance	600	0	600	0	300	0	800	0	0
4185	Equipment	6,750	461	5,000	2,282	3,000	0	6,000	0	0
4187	Health & Safety	8,000	8,000	8,800	-395	100	0	3,500	0	0
4400	Stationery & Consumables	3,640	3,566	3,600	2,008	2,800	0	2,300	0	0
4401	Document Management	5,000	0	3,000	3,000	3,000	0	0	0	0
4420	Bank Charges	3,182	2,370	3,000	1,643	2,300	0	2,500	0	0
4430	Promotion/Publicity/Vision	7,425	2,823	8,122	3,343	6,000	0	5,500	0	0
4435	Website	900	480	900	360	600	0	1,100	0	0

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		Budget	Actual	Total	Actual YTD	Projected	Committed	Agreed	EMR	Carried Forward
4440	Telephone & Broadband	2,496	1,193	3,000	825	1,200	0	3,300	0	0
4445	Mobile Phones	680	158	300	178	270	0	160	0	0
4455	Postage	106	325	150	75	100	0	150	0	0
4460	Subscriptions	3,208	3,108	3,200	2,982	2,982	0	3,100	0	0
4480	Computer Maintenance	1,060	545	1,500	1,000	1,000	0	1,500	0	0
4481	Software/Licenses	2,600	2,435	3,000	851	3,000	0	6,000	0	0
4484	Computer Support	6,360	4,418	6,300	3,774	5,500	0	9,000	0	0
4485	Computer Storage	1,800	1,320	1,800	1,336	1,800	0	0	0	0
4486	E-mail Exchange	3,712	3,655	3,850	3,492	4,623	0	0	0	0
4530	Councillor Development	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4550	Payroll Services	650	761	800	472	660	0	800	0	0
4551	HR Services and staff welfare	2,590	1,809	2,500	2,932	4,409	0	3,300	0	0
4555	Legal Fees and Costs	2,120	738	3,000	0	2,000	441	2,000	0	0
4560	Accountancy fees	990	990	1,450	323	1,450	0	900	0	0
4561	VAT Consultancy fees	210	200	250	210	210	0	250	0	0
4564	Procurement fees	3,120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4580	Audit Fees	3,640	3,592	3,700	1,350	3,450	0	4,120	0	0
4997	Unplanned Expenditure	0	670	0	31	31	0	0	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	227,983	200,438	263,082	169,773	227,706	441	256,745	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(227,483)	(168,507)	(249,082)	(120,983)	(157,660)		(187,745)		
<u>105</u>	Civic and Democratic									
4012	Pension liability	0	0	10,000	0	0	0	10,000	0	0
4041	Mileage/Travel/Sustenance	160	32	160	0	50	0	100	0	0

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		Budget	Actual	Total	Actual YTD	Projected	Committed	Agreed	EMR	Carried Forward
4430	Promotion/Publicity/Vision	3,550	2,038	2,500	0	200	0	2,500	0	0
4530	Councillor Development	1,110	402	1,000	698	800	0	500	0	0
4535	Chairman's Expense Allowance	1,230	348	1,230	60	100	0	1,230	0	0
4537	Members Expense Allowances	2,120	149	1,000	531	650	0	800	0	0
4540	Elections	25,000	7,900	6,250	0	0	0	5,000	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	33,170	10,868	22,140	1,289	1,800	0	20,130	0	0
6000	less Transfer to EMR	0	0	0	16,250	16,250	0	0	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(33,170)	(10,868)	(22,140)	(17,539)	(18,050)		(20,130)		
<u>110</u>	Grants									
4241	Grant - Fleet Phoenix	0	0	10,656	10,656	10,656	0	11,656	0	0
4242	Grant - Sashas Project	0	0	7,540	7,540	7,540	0	7,540	0	0
4538	Community Support	6,590	1,320	7,200	0	7,200	0	1,500	0	0
4800	Fleet Connect	11,560	11,729	12,902	12,304	12,902	0	13,153	0	0
4810	Basingstoke Canal	19,041	18,309	19,041	18,309	19,041	0	15,600	0	0
4855	Community grants	11,244	9,780	3,704	2,200	3,704	0	3,700	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	48,435	41,138	61,043	51,009	61,043	0	53,149	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(48,435)	(41,138)	(61,043)	(51,009)	(61,043)		(53,149)		
<u>115</u>	Precept									
1900	Precept - operational	733,823	733,824	846,115	846,115	846,115	0	903,236	0	0
1902	Precept - New Harlington	412,017	412,017	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total Income	1,145,840	1,145,840	846,115	846,115	846,115	0	903,236	0	0
6000	less Transfer to EMR	0	403,377	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	1,145,840	742,463	846,115	846,115	846,115		903,236		
<u>120</u>	Projects									
4235	Play Equipment	0	0	20,000	0	0	0	38,000	0	C
4435	Website	0	0	10,000	0	10,000	0	0	0	(
4440	Telephone & Broadband	0	0	3,500	0	3,500	0	0	0	C
	Overhead Expenditure	0	0	33,500	0	13,500	0	38,000	0	(
6000	less Transfer to EMR	0	0	0	20,000	20,000	0	0	0	(
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	0	0	(33,500)	(20,000)	(33,500)		(38,000)		
<u>150</u>	Events, Town Centre and Climat									
1051	Gurkha Square Market	7,800	0	7,800	0	0	0	7,800	0	(
1053	Grant money and funding	0	0	0	2,835	2,835	0	0	0	(
	Total Income	7,800	0	7,800	2,835	2,835	0	7,800	0	(
4176	Action Day	954	476	900	334	500	0	500	0	(
4210	Floral Displays	18,610	16,847	19,837	19,962	19,962	0	20,100	0	(
4222	Friends Group Get Together	150	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	(
4655	Town Centre Xmas Decorations	22,880	20,065	22,880	19,553	22,880	0	20,000	0	(
4656	Christmas Gurkha Square	4,342	2,923	4,300	6,949	6,949	0	4,000	0	(
4657	Christmas Day Lunch	1,060	1,998	1,166	1,474	1,474	0	1,500	0	(
4660	Remembrance Day	315	229	439	290	290	0	400	0	(
4661	Gurkha Sq Market	7,200	0	7,200	0	0	0	7,200	0	(
	Climate Change	0	0	5,000	312	1,000	110	5,800	0	(

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		Budget	Actual	Total	Actual YTD	Projected	Committed	Agreed	EMR	Carried Forward
	Overhead Expenditure	55,511	42,539	61,822	48,874	53,055	110	59,500	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(47,711)	(42,539)	(54,022)	(46,039)	(50,220)		(51,700)		
<u>160</u>	Harlington Development									
1902	Precept - New Harlington	0	0	412,017	412,017	412,017	0	439,622	0	0
	Total Income	0	0	412,017	412,017	412,017	0	439,622	0	0
4015	Recharge staff hours	28,219	8,200	13,900	0	13,900	0	13,900	0	0
4041	Mileage/Travel/Sustenance	400	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4400	Stationery & Consumables	1,100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4430	Promotion/Publicity/Vision	20,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4455	Postage	2,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4555	Legal Fees and Costs	20,000	440	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4560	Accountancy fees	1,500	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4562	Design Consultancy fees	77,000	0	0	100	100	0	0	0	0
4563	Planning and Building fees	45,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4564	Procurement fees	15,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4565	Survey and consultation	43,000	0	0	2,282	2,282	3,518	0	0	0
4570	Project Management	100,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4890	Earmarked New Harlington	0	0	398,117	0	0	0	425,722	0	0
4999	Contingency	58,798	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	412,017	8,640	412,017	2,382	16,282	3,518	439,622	0	0
	160 Net Income over Expenditure	-412,017	-8,640	0	409,635	395,735	-3,518	0	0	0
6000	less Transfer to EMR	0	0	0	206,009	395,735	0	0	0	0

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	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(412,017)	(8,640)	0	203,626	0		0		
<u>201</u>	Harlington - Events									
1000	Hall Hire	90,000	113,331	102,000	50,944	90,000	0	96,000	0	0
1002	POINT Hall Hire	0	153	18,196	18,196	18,196	0	18,196	0	0
1033	Fleet Phoenix	1,000	1,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1036	Fleet Baptist Preschool	4,500	4,402	4,750	3,324	4,750	0	4,750	0	0
1420	Bar Sales	112,500	112,292	107,000	100,986	131,000	0	138,000	0	0
1431	Confectionery	3,000	3,766	2,750	2,940	3,350	0	2,750	0	0
1432	Ices	2,500	2,562	2,750	2,704	2,800	0	2,500	0	0
1433	Snacks	2,500	3,016	3,000	2,482	3,350	0	3,000	0	0
1435	Box Office Charges	17,500	12,296	15,000	10,058	14,000	0	15,500	0	0
1436	Technical Income	5,000	0	0	3,500	3,500	0	0	0	0
1450	Ticket Sales	190,000	181,591	207,000	78,390	218,000	0	244,000	0	0
	Total Income	428,500	434,408	462,446	273,523	488,946	0	524,696	0	0
4000	Salaries	189,500	146,541	225,772	147,036	183,000	0	229,671	0	0
4001	Employers National Insurance	15,950	11,434	17,124	11,726	14,500	0	18,223	0	0
4002	Employers Pension	9,500	6,146	8,562	6,478	8,000	0	8,845	0	0
4015	Recharge staff hours	-7,000	-1,500	-5,200	0	-5,200	0	-5,200	0	0
4182	Technical Equipment Sundries	1,000	415	1,000	1,337	1,337	0	750	0	0
4183	Technical Equipment Hire	500	410	500	0	500	0	500	0	0
4185	Equipment	3,000	2,985	3,000	4,146	6,500	0	3,000	0	0
4422	Bank & Card Transactions	12,000	10,076	11,000	10,222	14,500	0	13,500	0	0
4432	Marketing	18,000	17,248	20,000	19,771	20,000	0	20,000	0	0

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4433	Marketing Support	8,000	3,817	10,000	3,600	10,000	0	10,000	0	0
4481	Software/Licenses	0	168	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4490	Sales System Costs	13,500	14,784	12,000	11,242	16,200	0	13,500	0	0
4700	Bar Purchases	45,000	48,594	42,800	37,678	52,400	0	55,200	0	0
4710	Bar Consumables	2,000	1,690	2,000	722	2,000	0	2,000	0	0
4715	Stocktaking	175	185	500	0	500	0	500	0	0
4720	Performance Costs	124,000	118,208	132,500	55,735	145,000	0	161,500	0	0
4728	Till App	1,200	840	1,200	630	1,200	0	1,200	0	0
4740	Licences	7,000	6,882	7,000	0	7,000	0	6,000	0	0
4752	Hospitality	500	177	500	346	500	0	500	0	0
4761	Confectionery	1,800	1,554	1,650	911	1,200	0	1,650	0	0
4762	Ices	1,000	955	1,050	1,080	1,080	0	1,000	0	0
4763	Snacks	1,125	1,502	1,350	731	1,350	0	1,350	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	447,750	393,111	494,308	313,390	481,567	0	543,689	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(19,250)	41,296	(31,862)	(39,868)	7,379		(18,993)		
<u>204</u>	Building									
1031	HCC Library	16,000	9,522	16,000	15,869	15,869	0	13,500	0	0
1053	Grant money and funding	0	16,051	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1431	Confectionery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total Income	16,000	25,573	16,000	15,869	15,869	0	13,500	0	0
4000	Salaries	78,500	78,497	62,485	32,520	62,485	0	72,964	0	0
4001	Employers National Insurance	7,850	7,851	6,248	3,166	6,248	0	7,712	0	0

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4002	Employers Pension	4,000	3,989	3,124	1,572	3,124	0	3,648	0	0
4011	Staff Recruitment	400	987	500	262	500	0	500	0	0
4015	Recharge staff hours	-2,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4030	Training	750	745	1,000	1,150	1,150	0	1,000	0	0
4041	Mileage/Travel/Sustenance	500	451	500	107	500	0	500	0	0
4110	Rates	15,000	14,829	15,000	16,825	16,824	0	17,000	0	0
4115	Water & Sewerage	10,500	3,267	5,500	7,780	9,400	0	5,500	0	0
4120	Gas	21,000	37,630	25,200	14,415	37,000	0	40,000	0	0
4122	Electricity	34,000	50,397	40,800	24,433	47,000	0	56,100	0	0
4130	Insurance	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,000	0	0
4150	Cleaning	34,000	32,368	37,400	24,436	33,000	0	39,250	0	0
4151	Cleaning - Equipment	500	19	500	192	500	0	500	0	0
4152	Cleaning - Supplies	10,000	8,794	10,000	6,960	10,000	0	7,500	0	0
4155	Refuse Collection	6,250	8,204	6,875	3,687	4,500	0	4,000	0	0
4156	Recycling	2,000	1,940	2,200	1,274	1,400	0	500	0	0
4170	Building Maintenance	18,000	36,585	21,000	24,540	31,500	0	25,000	0	0
4172	Building Compliance	1,000	3,048	2,000	6,402	10,500	541	6,000	0	0
4175	Equipment Maintenance	0	0	0	185	185	0	0	0	0
4180	Equipment Hire	0	0	0	50	50	0	0	0	0
4185	Equipment	1,000	1,091	1,000	830	1,000	0	1,000	0	0
4187	Health & Safety	1,000	2,189	1,000	965	1,025	0	1,000	0	0
4188	Fire and Intruder Monitoring	500	112	550	361	550	0	575	0	0
4207	Fire & Intruder Systems	1,750	1,913	1,925	2,665	3,000	0	2,025	0	0
4400	Stationery & Consumables	1,000	104	1,000	333	700	0	500	0	0

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4445	Mobile Phones	500	507	500	389	500	0	500	0	C
4455	Postage	400	115	400	8	50	0	250	0	C
4481	Software/Licenses	500	1,162	2,000	1,416	2,000	0	2,000	0	C
4487	Wi-Fi	1,700	939	1,700	800	1,400	0	2,500	0	(
4745	Uniforms	300	298	300	119	300	0	300	0	C
4997	Unplanned Expenditure	0	3,268	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
	Overhead Expenditure	250,900	301,297	250,707	177,841	286,391	541	302,324	0	C
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(234,900)	(275,724)	(234,707)	(161,972)	(270,522)		(288,824)		
205	Ancells Community Centre									
1000	Hall Hire	25,000	26,930	26,000	20,884	26,000	0	27,500	0	C
	Total Income	25,000	26,930	26,000	20,884	26,000	0	27,500	0	(
4000	Salaries	17,500	17,480	25,564	16,875	25,564	0	22,478	0	C
4001	Employers National Insurance	1,750	1,751	2,014	1,238	2,014	0	1,791	0	(
4002	Employers Pension	2,000	2,005	2,167	1,569	2,167	0	2,100	0	C
4041	Mileage/Travel/Sustenance	500	420	500	315	500	0	500	0	C
4115	Water & Sewerage	750	-559	825	338	750	0	900	0	C
4120	Gas	1,600	3,209	1,920	1,114	3,300	0	3,200	0	C
4122	Electricity	1,500	2,155	1,800	1,021	2,200	0	2,200	0	C
4150	Cleaning	7,350	6,871	8,100	4,666	7,700	0	8,500	0	C
4152	Cleaning - Supplies	1,500	1,492	1,500	1,338	1,800	0	1,000	0	C
4155	Refuse Collection	1,000	1,246	1,100	648	850	0	500	0	C
	Building Maintenance	2,000	4,083	3,000	2,850	3,000	439	3,000	0	(

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4187	Health & Safety	0	755	0	77	100	0	150	0	0
4280	Ancells Car Park	7,500	5,869	7,500	5,944	6,000	0	7,500	0	0
4445	Mobile Phones	300	300	300	225	300	0	300	0	0
4455	Postage	100	0	100	0	0	0	100	0	0
4740	Licences	2,500	2,576	3,000	1,294	3,000	0	2,500	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	47,850	49,652	59,390	39,512	59,245	439	56,719	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(22,850)	(22,723)	(33,390)	(18,629)	(33,245)		(29,219)		
<u>208</u>	Ancells Farm Park and Pavilion									
1050	Outdoor Space Hire	0	0	0	10	10	0	0	0	0
1052	S106 Money received	0	0	0	12,980	12,980	0	0	0	0
1060	Pitch Hire	2,250	2,758	2,300	2,279	2,500	0	2,300	0	0
1610	Utilities Refunds	0	0	0	356	356	0	0	0	0
	Total Income	2,250	2,758	2,300	15,625	15,846	0	2,300	0	0
4110	Rates	1,232	1,185	1,300	1,185	1,185	0	1,200	0	0
4115	Water & Sewerage	400	333	440	688	800	0	850	0	0
4120	Gas	800	440	960	236	350	0	400	0	0
4122	Electricity	350	355	420	371	530	0	600	0	0
4150	Cleaning	1,445	1,391	1,590	1,157	1,536	0	1,600	0	0
4170	Building Maintenance	4,455	2,887	4,500	1,291	2,200	388	2,500	0	0
4175	Equipment Maintenance	485	580	500	261	300	0	500	0	0
4185	Equipment	0	0	0	12,980	12,980	0	0	0	0
4187	Health & Safety	325	630	325	56	100	0	300	0	0

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4200	Grounds Maintenance	23,566	24,289	25,923	20,145	26,950	0	29,470	0	0
4202	Additional Ground Works	1,808	541	1,800	3,180	3,180	0	500	0	0
4205	CCTV	111	0	100	0	100	0	100	0	0
4206	Lamppost Maintenance	0	0	0	76	0	0	0	0	0
4220	Friends Group support	122	90	120	0	120	0	100	0	0
4225	South and South East in Bloom	110	80	100	66	66	0	70	0	0
4230	Playground Maintenance	5,300	7,961	5,300	3,364	5,300	0	10,600	0	0
4250	Tree Surgery	2,120	735	2,000	1,490	4,000	350	4,100	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	42,629	41,497	45,378	46,545	59,697	738	52,890	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(40,379)	(38,740)	(43,078)	(30,920)	(43,851)		(50,590)		
<u>301</u>	Open Spaces									
1053	Grant money and funding	0	4,095	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1059	Refreshment Kiosk	0	2,500	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total Income	0	6,595	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4000	Salaries	13,987	13,630	15,534	11,650	15,530	0	19,890	0	0
4001	Employers National Insurance	1,398	1,592	1,553	1,173	1,640	0	2,287	0	0
4002	Employers Pension	699	757	777	583	780	0	994	0	0
4041	Mileage/Travel/Sustenance	848	519	800	255	350	0	500	0	0
4169	Street and Park Furniture	1,060	0	1,100	805	800	0	500	0	0
4170	Building Maintenance	328	140	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4185	Equipment	1,591	342	1,500	53	500	0	500	0	0
4200	Grounds Maintenance	14,917	15,374	17,050	12,751	17,100	0	18,650	0	0

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4202	Additional Ground Works	1,144	3,691	2,500	650	2,500	0	1,500	0	0
4206	Lamppost Maintenance	210	166	200	-102	100	0	700	0	0
4208	Speedwatch and SIDS	1,040	5,275	1,040	0	1,040	0	1,100	0	0
4250	Tree Surgery	1,080	1,105	1,188	1,135	2,500	120	2,500	0	0
4445	Mobile Phones	432	112	150	106	150	0	150	0	0
4740	Licences	100	70	100	70	70	0	100	0	0
4745	Uniforms	116	63	100	41	100	0	200	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	38,950	42,836	43,592	29,169	43,160	120	49,571	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(38,950)	(36,241)	(43,592)	(29,169)	(43,160)		(49,571)		
<u>310</u>	Calthorpe Park									
1050	Outdoor Space Hire	300	420	300	517	520	0	300	0	0
1057	Fleet Football Club Rent	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,500	2,000	0	5,000	0	0
1059	Refreshment Kiosk	0	2,500	5,500	6,604	8,000	0	6,500	0	0
1060	Pitch Hire	0	2,178	1,800	694	1,200	0	1,800	0	0
1064	Tennis Membership card	7,800	8,962	8,500	6,978	8,100	0	8,000	0	0
1065	Tennis Hire	2,000	1,976	2,000	2,499	2,650	0	2,000	0	0
	Total Income	12,100	18,036	20,100	18,793	22,470	0	23,600	0	0
4115	Water & Sewerage	500	680	550	575	730	0	1,200	0	0
4122	Electricity	300	2,862	720	1,894	3,000	0	3,300	0	0
4130	Insurance	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,000	0	0
4150	Cleaning	1,544	735	1,698	520	700	0	1,000	0	0
4170	Building Maintenance	1,622	7,266	1,600	0	500	388	1,000	0	0

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4175	Equipment Maintenance	830	160	300	92	100	0	200	0	0
4185	Equipment	919	0	900	0	100	0	500	0	0
4187	Health & Safety	328	630	330	279	300	0	300	0	0
4200	Grounds Maintenance	40,872	41,311	45,808	34,262	45,810	0	50,120	0	0
4202	Additional Ground Works	3,072	4,062	4,500	100	200	0	3,000	0	0
4205	CCTV	3,000	3,050	3,000	1,434	3,000	0	3,000	0	0
4220	Friends Group support	110	-107	110	0	110	0	110	0	0
4225	South and South East in Bloom	74	55	70	60	60	0	70	0	0
4230	Playground Maintenance	1,040	225	2,000	597	2,000	930	4,100	0	0
4250	Tree Surgery	3,000	1,899	3,300	2,380	7,500	0	6,900	0	0
4445	Mobile Phones	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4590	Repairs and Renewals	7,000	0	7,000	0	0	0	7,000	0	0
4651	LTA Registration - membership	962	360	1,000	408	500	0	500	0	0
4653	Tennis Software	825	820	902	881	881	0	950	0	0
4740	Licences	72	70	70	70	70	0	70	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	66,070	64,077	73,858	43,551	65,561	1,318	86,320	0	0
	310 Net Income over Expenditure	-53,970	-46,042	-53,758	-24,759	-43,091	-1,318	-62,720	0	0
6000	less Transfer to EMR	0	0	0	7,000	7,000	0	0	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(53,970)	(46,042)	(53,758)	(31,758)	(50,091)		(62,720)		
<u>315</u>	Oakley Park									
1050	Outdoor Space Hire	100	318	100	291	300	0	100	0	0
1053	Grant money and funding	0	18,676	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1060	Pitch Hire	2,177	2,127	2,127	2,291	2,500	0	2,800	0	0

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	Total Income	2,277	21,121	2,227	2,582	2,800	0	2,900	0	0
4122	Electricity	350	654	660	406	770	0	770	0	0
4150	Cleaning	1,379	1,262	1,517	1,041	1,400	0	1,500	0	0
4170	Building Maintenance	1,080	407	1,080	0	200	388	500	0	0
4175	Equipment Maintenance	58	0	60	0	60	0	50	0	0
4185	Equipment	0	11,676	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4187	Health & Safety	328	630	330	0	100	0	300	0	0
4200	Grounds Maintenance	21,366	22,021	24,420	18,264	24,500	0	26,720	0	0
4202	Additional Ground Works	1,638	9,117	1,700	0	200	0	500	0	0
4205	CCTV	1,260	1,153	1,260	1,260	1,260	0	1,200	0	0
4220	Friends Group support	108	75	110	0	80	0	110	0	0
4225	South and South East in Bloom	90	90	90	100	100	0	100	0	0
4230	Playground Maintenance	1,080	2,377	1,188	68	2,200	880	2,400	0	0
4250	Tree Surgery	1,620	1,205	1,782	450	3,100	0	3,700	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	30,357	50,667	34,197	21,588	33,970	1,268	37,850	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(28,080)	(29,547)	(31,970)	(19,006)	(31,170)		(34,950)		
<u>320</u>	Basingbourne Park									
1050	Outdoor Space Hire	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1060	Pitch Hire	4,249	2,327	2,130	521	900	0	1,500	0	0
	Total Income	4,249	2,357	2,130	521	900	0	1,500	0	0
4115	Water & Sewerage	550	227	330	354	450	0	700	0	0
4122	Electricity	250	377	432	197	350	0	450	0	0

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4150	Cleaning	1,382	1,262	1,520	1,041	1,400	0	1,500	0	0
4170	Building Maintenance	2,160	4,563	2,376	113	2,300	671	1,000	0	0
4185	Equipment	328	0	361	0	100	0	100	0	0
4187	Health & Safety	328	630	330	56	330	0	160	0	0
4200	Grounds Maintenance	18,168	18,726	20,768	15,531	20,800	0	22,720	0	0
4202	Additional Ground Works	1,390	7,746	1,529	1,160	1,200	0	400	0	0
4205	CCTV	1,248	1,153	1,250	1,250	1,250	0	1,250	0	0
4220	Friends Group support	118	105	120	120	120	0	120	0	0
4225	South and South East in Bloom	108	90	100	100	100	0	100	0	0
4230	Playground Maintenance	0	2,506	1,188	68	4,000	3,700	2,400	0	0
4250	Tree Surgery	2,705	4,861	2,700	2,607	9,200	0	5,500	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	28,735	42,247	33,004	22,596	41,600	4,371	36,400	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(24,486)	(39,891)	(30,874)	(22,075)	(40,700)		(34,900)		
<u>325</u>	The Views									
1050	Outdoor Space Hire	1,000	1,427	1,500	1,387	1,387	0	1,500	0	0
1500	Miscellaneous Income	0	0	0	500	500	0	0	0	0
	Total Income	1,000	1,427	1,500	1,887	1,887	0	1,500	0	0
4122	Electricity	200	436	504	379	580	0	550	0	0
4169	Street and Park Furniture	0	836	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4185	Equipment	110	54	100	99	100	0	100	0	0
4200	Grounds Maintenance	7,529	7,759	8,608	6,435	8,610	0	9,420	0	0
4202	Additional Ground Works	575	41,312	633	353	353	0	900	0	0

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Annual Budget - By Centre (Actual YTD Month 9)

Note: Budget Report as at 31.12.23

		2022-2	2023		2023-	2024			2024-2025	
		Budget	Actual	Total	Actual YTD	Projected	Committed	Agreed	EMR	Carried Forward
4225	South and South East in Bloom	0	0	0	50	50	0	60	0	0
4230	Playground Maintenance	4,284	126	4,712	519	4,305	2,840	9,600	0	0
4250	Tree Surgery	328	0	361	0	361	0	800	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	13,026	50,524	14,918	7,835	14,359	2,840	21,430	0	0
	325 Net Income over Expenditure	-12,026	-49,097	-13,418	-5,948	-12,472	-2,840	-19,930	0	0
6001	plus Transfer from EMR	0	40,598	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(12,026)	(8,499)	(13,418)	(5,948)	(12,472)		(19,930)		
330	Edenbrook									
4200	Grounds Maintenance	3,182	3,280	3,641	2,721	3,640	0	3,980	0	0
4202	Additional Ground Works	240	0	400	0	400	0	300	0	0
4230	Playground Maintenance	2,163	466	1,500	475	1,500	0	500	0	0
4235	Play Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	60,000	0	0
4250	Tree Surgery	0	65	0	0	0	0	750	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	5,585	3,811	5,541	3,196	5,540	0	65,530	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(5,585)	(3,811)	(5,541)	(3,196)	(5,540)		(65,530)		
<u>350</u>	Cemetery									
1053	Grant money and funding	0	55,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1100	Interment Fees	18,000	18,450	18,600	18,280	24,000	0	21,000	0	0
1110	Scattering of Ashes	500	0	500	0	100	0	100	0	0
1120	Sale of Exclusive Rights	17,000	30,385	20,000	24,990	36,000	0	28,000	0	0
1121	Transfer of Exclusive Rights	1,750	1,970	1,750	2,400	3,300	0	2,000	0	0

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Note: Budget Report as at 31.12.23

		2022-2	023		2023-2024				2024-2025		
		Budget	Actual	Total	Actual YTD	Projected	Committed	Agreed	EMR	Carried Forward	
1130	Memorial Cemetery Fees	7,000	6,800	7,000	6,760	9,500	0	7,000	0	0	
1132	Memorial Kerbstones	3,000	3,256	3,000	1,145	2,000	0	2,500	0	0	
1133	Memorial Sanctums	10,000	15,162	12,000	7,136	12,500	0	8,100	0	0	
1134	GoR Planted Area	700	1,916	700	1,670	1,800	0	1,000	0	0	
1137	GoR Ashes digging	1,000	350	1,000	420	500	0	1,000	0	0	
1140	Bench contribution	0	2,985	0	1,353	1,353	0	0	0	0	
1145	Plaque contribution	0	0	0	167	167	0	0	0	0	
	Total Income	58,950	136,275	64,550	64,321	91,220	0	70,700	0	0	
4000	Salaries	5,928	4,145	7,592	4,769	6,200	0	6,185	0	0	
4001	Employers National Insurance	0	0	0	2	2	0	15	0	0	
4002	Employers Pension	592	207	400	238	310	0	310	0	0	
4041	Mileage/Travel/Sustenance	294	451	450	318	450	0	500	0	0	
4110	Rates	2,542	2,445	2,500	2,096	2,096	0	2,100	0	0	
4115	Water & Sewerage	230	260	253	1,530	2,000	0	500	0	0	
4150	Cleaning	520	0	572	0	100	0	200	0	0	
4155	Refuse Collection	2,120	2,284	2,332	1,853	2,000	0	1,100	0	0	
4169	Street and Park Furniture	0	0	0	1,215	1,215	0	0	0	0	
4170	Building Maintenance	540	117	500	162	170	0	400	0	0	
4187	Health & Safety	0	93	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	
4200	Grounds Maintenance	15,826	26,017	19,157	9,647	13,000	0	14,120	0	0	
4201	Ground Works (Badgers)	0	0	0	3,039	3,039	0	4,000	0	0	
4202	Additional Ground Works	1,040	45,998	1,000	6,361	6,361	0	500	0	0	
4203	General Upkeep	1,600	-345	1,200	0	1,200	0	100	0	0	
4220	Friends Group support	108	0	110	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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Annual Budget - By Centre (Actual YTD Month 9)

Note: Budget Report as at 31.12.23

		2022-2023			2023-2024			2024-2025		
		Budget	Actual	Total	Actual YTD	Projected	Committed	Agreed	EMR	Carried Forward
4225	South and South East in Bloom	145	75	75	80	80	0	80	0	0
4250	Tree Surgery	1,080	972	1,100	0	4,100	0	2,300	0	0
4400	Stationery & Consumables	0	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4445	Mobile Phones	265	280	100	105	140	0	80	0	0
4455	Postage	0	0	0	75	75	0	0	0	0
4460	Subscriptions	100	95	100	0	100	0	100	0	0
4481	Software/Licenses	705	466	760	600	600	0	500	0	0
4935	GoR Memorial inscriptions	1,040	2,701	1,800	1,723	2,800	0	2,000	0	0
4936	GoR Ashes digging	500	320	500	1,145	1,640	0	1,000	0	0
4938	Bench Memorial Costs	0	525	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4942	H and S Memorial repairs	325	0	325	0	0	0	325	0	0
4944	H and S Memorial inspections	1,550	0	1,000	0	0	0	1,000	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	37,050	87,154	41,826	34,958	47,678	0	37,515	0	0
	350 Net Income over Expenditure	21,900	49,120	22,724	29,363	43,542	0	33,185	0	0
6000	less Transfer to EMR	0	0	0	1,325	1,325	0	0	0	0
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	21,900	49,120	22,724	28,038	42,217		33,185		
475	Lengthsman Scheme									
1053	Grant money and funding	3,300	3,300	3,300	3,300	3,300	0	3,300	0	0
	Total Income	3,300	3,300	3,300	3,300	3,300	0	3,300	0	0
4202	Additional Ground Works	3,300	3,010	3,300	0	3,300	0	3,300	0	0
	Overhead Expenditure	3,300	3,010	3,300	0	3,300	0	3,300	0	0

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Note: Budget Report as at 31.12.23

	2022-2	2023	2023-2024						
	Budget	Actual	Total	Actual YTD	Projected	Committed	Agreed	EMR	Carried Forward
Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	0	290	0	3,300	0		0		
Total Budget Income	1,707,766	1,856,548	1,880,485	1,727,061	2,000,251	0	2,091,154	0	0
Expenditure	1,789,318	1,433,508	1,953,623	1,013,508	1,515,454	15,704	2,160,684	0	0
Net Income over Expenditure	-81,552	423,041	-73,138	713,554	484,797	-15,704	-69,530	0	0
plus Transfer from EMR	0	40,598	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
less Transfer to EMR	0	403,377	0	250,584	440,310	0	0	0	0
Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(81,552)	60,262	(73,138)	462,970	44,487		(69,530)		

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Month 9 Date 31/12/2023

A/c	Description_	Actual	
	Current Assets		
101	Debtors Control	29,871	
120	Vat Control	10,047	
150	Stock - Bar	9,308	
200	Bank Current/Deposit Account	1,220,554	
210	Petty Cash - FTC	48	
211	CCLA Pub Sector Deposit Fund	1,700,000	
216	Nationwide deposit account	800,458	
220	Cash Floats	2,000	
251	Petty Cash - Harlington	120	
	Total Current Assets		3,772,406
	Current Liabilities		
500	Creditors Control	56,830	
503	Christmas Festivities Town Cen	5,659	
504	Christmas Day Lunch	5,113	
508	Coronation 2023	(2,916)	
515	Paye/NI Due	11,748	
645	Marti Pellow Pillow Talk Nov23	2,738	
700	The Paul Young Show – Oct 23	2,334	
709	The Floyd Effect Oct 23	1,489	
720	Comedy Apr 23	183	
721	Comedy May 23	97	
729	Jazz Jul 23	(88)	
749	Buble meet Sinatra Nov 23	1,452	
750	Fleet Film 3 Apr 23	9	
751	Fleet Film 24 Apr 23	9	
752	Fleet Film 8 May 23	5	
753	Fleet Film 22 May 23	14	
755	Fleet Film 26 Jun 23	42	
757	80s Rewind Nov 23	7,460	
759	Starburst Noughty 90s Jul 23	3,832	
761	Mainly Madness Dec 23	(120)	
769	John Lydon May 24	9,537	
772	Neil Diamond Sept 23	1,282	
773	Mainly Madness Dec 23	6,483	
774	AC/DC UK Jan 24	5,483	
775	Stayin Alive Jan 24	2,235	
776	T-Rextasy Feb 24 Los Pacaminos Feb 24	3,163	
777 779	Paul Jones & Dave Kelly Feb 24	875 2,771	
778 770	ELO Encounter Feb 24		
779 780	Oasish Feb 24	2,868	
781	Genesis Mar 24	3,900 3,583	
782	Guns 2 Roses Mar 24	1,515	
783	From Gold to Rio Mar 24	1,050	
784	The Jam'd April 24	817	
785	Dick Whittington Dec 23	28,502	
786	Fleet Film July 23	20,502	
789	Comedy Oct 23	643	
790	Comedy Nov 23	1,445	
791	Comedy Dec 23	3,688	
792	The Bohemians Oct 23	856	
793	Big Country Nov 23	1,895	

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Detailed Balance Sheet - Excluding Stock Movement

Month 9 Date 31/12/2023

A/c	Description	Actual		
794	Fleet Film 11th Sept 23	24		
795	Fleet Film 25th Sept 23	13		
796	Fleet Film 9th Oct 23	15		
797	Fleet Film 23rd Oct 23	33		
798	Fleet Film 13th Nov 23	20		
808	Fleet Jazz 14th Nov 23	845		
809	Fleet Jazz 5th Dec 23	2,474		
810	90s Rewind Jun 24	(825)		
812	Steve Harley Apr 25	1,587		
813	Comedy Jan 24	475		
814	Comedy Feb 24	50		
815	Comedy Mar 24	25		
816	Lunchtime Jazz Sept 23	17		
817	Grotto Dec 23	1,820		
818	Shaun Ryder Nov 24	1,150		
819	Rock for Heroes Mar 24	450		
820	Fleet Jazz Jan 24	(387)		
821	Fleet Jazz Feb 24	67		
823	Nine Below Zero Dr Feelgood De	229		
	- Total Current Liabilities		186,595	
	Net Current Assets	-		3,585,812
Total	Assets less Current Liabilities			3,585,812
			-	
	Represented by :-			
300	Current Year Fund	703,554		
310	General Fund	130,209		
321	EMR - Pension Obligation	40,000		
329	EMR - Cemetery Mem Test 2024	4,750		
330	EMR - CP Tennis Sinking 2026	58,563		
332	EMR - S106 Sensory Garden 21	10,981		
340	EMR - Cemetery Works (Badgers)	10,000		
345	EMR - Play Equipment	20,000		
350	EMR - Elections 2026	6,250		
360	Harlington Development Fund	2,601,505		
	– Total Equity		-	3,585,812

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			Account Description	Balance	
Bank Statement E	3alan	ces			
	1	29/12/2023	HSBC	1,219,764.34	
	2	30/11/2023	Petty Cash	47.70	
					1,219,812.04
Other Cash & Bar	nk Ba	alances			
			CCLA Pub Sector Deposit Fund	1,700,000.00	
			Cash Floats	2,000.00	
			Nationwide deposit account	800,458.16	
			Petty Cash - Harlington	120.00	
					2,502,578.16
					3,722,390.20
Receipts not on B	3ank 3	Statement			3,722,390.20
Receipts not on E	Bank : 0	Statement	All Receipts Cleared	0.00	3,722,390.2(
Receipts not on E			All Receipts Cleared	0.00	
Receipts not on B	0		All Receipts Cleared	0.00	0.00
	0	31/12/2023	All Receipts Cleared	0.00	0.00
Closing Balance	0	31/12/2023	All Receipts Cleared Bank Current/Deposit Account	0.00	0.00
Closing Balance	0 e Accou	31/12/2023		0.00	0.00 3,722,390.20 1,220,553.94
Closing Balance	0 e Accou	31/12/2023	Bank Current/Deposit Account	0.00	3,722,390.20 0.00 3,722,390.20 1,220,553.94 47.70 2,502,578.16

Bank - Cash and Investment Reconciliation as at 31 December 2023

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Bank Current/Deposit Account

Payments made between 01/12/2023 and 29/12/2023

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					Nominal Led	Nominal Ledger Analysis				
Date	Payee Name	Reference	£ Total Amnt	£ Creditors	£VAT A/c Centre	£ Amount Transaction Details				
01/12/2023	NPower - Direct Debits	dd367	27.32	27.32	500	Elec 1/9-30/9/23				
01/12/2023	NPower - Direct Debits	dd368	14.26	14.26	500	Elec 1/10-31/10				
01/12/2023	NPower - Direct Debits	dd369	51.40	51.40	500	Elec 1/9-30/9/23				
01/12/2023	NPower - Direct Debits	dd370	137.38	137.38	500	Elec 1/9-30/9/23				
01/12/2023	NPower - Direct Debits	dd371	14.55	14.55	500	Elec 1/9-30/9/23				
01/12/2023	Hart District Council - DD	dd372	210.00	210.00	500	Business Rates 2023/24				
01/12/2023	Hart District Council - DD	dd373	1,634.00	1,634.00	500	Business rates 2023/24				
01/12/2023	Hart District Council - DD	dd374	119.00	119.00	500	Business rates 2023/24				
05/12/2023	Booker Limited	dd375	534.87	534.87	500	Bar supplies				
08/12/2023	BACS P/L Pymnt Page 2305	BACS Pymnt	80,408.72	80,408.72	500	BACS P/L Pymnt Page 2305				
12/12/2023	Fleet Town Council	DD	4,323.42		516	4,323.42 L&G Pension Dec 23				
12/12/2023	HSBC	DD377	3,501.60	3,501.60	500	Credit Card Nov 23				
12/12/2023	HSBC	dd378	63.41	63.41	500	Bank charges				
12/12/2023	HSBC	dd379	63.72	63.72	500	bank charges				
14/12/2023	Payment Sense Ltd	dd380	404.96	404.96	500	Bank charges 1/11- 30/11/23				
14/12/2023	Payment Sense Ltd	dd381	28.13	28.13	500	Bank charges 1/11- 30/11/23				
18/12/2023	Global Payments - Direct Debit	dd382	1,112.15	1,112.15	500	Bank charges Nov 23				
19/12/2023	BACS P/L Pymnt Page 2314	BACS Pymnt	46,437.84	46,437.84	500	BACS P/L Pymnt Page 2314				
19/12/2023	Booker Limited	dd383	79.13	79.13	500	Bar supplies				
20/12/2023	Central Computer Management Lt	dd384	64.80	64.80	500	Payroll Nov 23				
20/12/2023	Castle Water Limited	dd385	54.09	54.09	500	Water 1/11-30/11/23				
20/12/2023	Fleet Town Council	DDR	33,076.98		516	121.45 Payroll Dec 23				
					520	32,955.53 Payroll Dec 23				
21/12/2023	Croner Group Ltd	dd386	408.98	408.98	500	HR and HS Dec 23				
22/12/2023	Payment Sense Ltd	dd387	155.94	155.94	500	Bank charges Nov				
22/12/2023	Payment Sense Ltd	dd388	59.88	59.88	500	Bank charges				
22/12/2023	Castle Water Limited	dd389	15.68	15.68	500	Water 1/11-30/11/23				
22/12/2023	BOC Ltd	dd390	241.51	241.51	500	Gas				
22/12/2023	Fleet Town Council	DDR	10,204.34		515	10,204.34 Inland Rev Dec 2023				
29/12/2023	NPower - Direct Debits	dd391	54.18	54.18	500	Elec 1/10-31/10/23				
29/12/2023	NPower - Direct Debits	dd392	29.47	29.47	500	Elec 1/10-31/10/23				
29/12/2023	Global Payments - Direct Debit	dd393	89.46	89.46	500	Bank charges Nov 23				
29/12/2023	NPower - Direct Debits	dd394	155.58	155.58	500	Elec 1/10-31/10/23				
29/12/2023	NPower - Direct Debits	dd395	227.45	227.45	500	Elec 1/10-31/10/23				
29/12/2023	NPower - Direct Debits	dd396	19.75	19.75	500	Elec 1/10-31/10/23				

Subtotal Carried Forward:

184,023.95 136,419.21

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Cashbook 1 Bank Current/Deposit Account

Payments made between 01/12/2023 and 29/12/2023

				N	ominal Led	ger Analysi	S
Date Payee Name	Reference	£ Total Amnt	£ Creditors	£ VAT A/	c Centre	£ Amount	Transaction Details
29/12/2023 Vodafone Limited	dd397	42.41	42.41	5	00		Purchase Ledger DDR Payment
29/12/2023 HSBC	dd398	102.86	102.86	5	00		Bank charges
	Total Payments:	184,169.22	136,564.48	0.00		47,604.74	

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	Purchase Ledge	r for Month M	No 9	Orde	er by Supplier A	A/c					
								Nomin	al Ledger	Analysis	
Invoice Date	Invoice Number	Ref No	Supplier A/c Name	Supplier A/c Code	Net Value	VAT	Invoice Total	A/C	Centre	Amount	Analysis Description
04/12/2023	DEC23		ALDERFARNCC	AFCC	60.00	0.00	60.00	503	0	60.00	Mounts for Xmas Festivities
18/12/2023	84011499		BASINGDEAN	BASINGDEAN	70.00	0.00	70.00	4740	301	70.00	Premises licence Rnl 18/12/23
29/12/2023	227T51782		BIFFA	BIFFA	54.45	10.89	65.34	4156	204	54.45	Glass recycling 25/11-29/12
31/12/2023	3076294540		BOC	BOC	123.52	24.69	148.21	4700	201	123.52	Gas
10/11/2023	0118619CR		BOOKER	BOOKER	-102.66	-14.26	-116.92	4752	201	-42.35	Credit to clear 0118619
								4700	201	-40.94	Credit to clear 0118619
								4152	204	-13.98	Credit to clear 0118619
								4660	150	-5.39	Credit to clear 0118619
21/12/2023	0124638		BOOKER	BOOKER	343.43	38.77	382.20	4700	201	31.30	Bar supplies
								4761	201	12.15	Bar supplies
								4152	204	47.97	Bar supplies
								504	0	252.01	Xmas Dinner supplies
08/12/2023	0242354		BOOKER	BOOKER	65.94	13.19	79.13	4700	201	65.94	Bar supplies
18/12/2023	3645		BRANDPEST	BRAND	40.00	8.00	48.00	4187	204	40.00	Pest control Contract
16/12/2023	M066EV		BT	BT	101.16	20.23	121.39	4487	204	101.16	Broadband 1/1-31/12/23
31/12/2023	XMAS1		CAPTURED MOMENT	CAPTUREDMO	32.50	0.00	32.50	4655	150	32.50	Xmas light Electrics
04/12/2023	10000809193		CASTLE WATER DD	CASTLEWADD	192.69	0.00	192.69	4115	350	192.69	Water 1/11-30/11/23
06/12/2023	10000871155		CASTLE WATER DD	CASTLEWADD	50.24	3.85	54.09	4115	310	50.24	Water 1/11-30/11/23
08/12/2023	10000944350		CASTLE WATER DD	CASTLEWADD	14.52	1.16	15.68	4115	208	14.52	Water 1/11-30/11/23
13/12/2023	10000965100		CASTLE WATER DD	CASTLEWADD	-49.61	-4.44	-54.05	4115	320	-49.61	Water credit 1/10-31/10/23
13/12/2023	10000965102		CASTLE WATER DD	CASTLEWADD	-32.30	-2.34	-34.64	4115	320	-32.30	Water credit 1/9-30/9/23
13/12/2023	10000965104		CASTLE WATER DD	CASTLEWADD	-202.73	-23.47	-226.20	4115	320	-202.73	Water credit 1/8-31/8/23
14/12/2023	10000969426		CASTLE WATER DD	CASTLEWADD	152.72	12.16	164.88	4115	320	152.72	Water 1/8-30/11/23
04/12/2023	10000822863		CASTLEWATER	CASTLEWATE	729.41	84.55	813.96	4115	204	729.41	Water 1/11-30/11/23
07/12/2023	10000911844		CASTLEWATER	CASTLEWATE	64.63	7.39	72.02	4115	205	64.63	Water 1/11-30/11/23
07/12/2023	53440		CBS	CBS	824.00	164.80	988.80	4170	204	824.00	Contract Dec 23
07/12/2023	53441		CBS	CBS	463.13	92.63	555.76	4170	204	463.13	Contract Dec 23
11/12/2023	Z000102	4788	CBS	CBS	3,334.00	666.80	4,000.80	4170	204	3,334.00	Install circuits

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Purchase Ledger for Month No 9

Order by Supplier A/c

								Nomin	al Ledger /	Analysis	
nvoice Date	Invoice Number	Ref No	Supplier A/c Name	Supplier A/c Code	Net Value	VAT	Invoice Total	A/C	Centre	Amount	Analysis Description
1/12/2023	60403		CENTRAL COM LIVEPAY	CCMLPAY	60.00	12.00	72.00	4550	101	60.00	Payroll Dec 23
1/12/2023	P677663		CHAMBERS	CHAMBERS	248.09	49.62	297.71	4156	204	63.05	Mixed Waste 1/12-31/12/23
								4155	204	185.04	Mixed Waste 1/12-31/12/23
1/12/2023	P677664		CHAMBERS	CHAMBERS	32.55	6.51	39.06	4155	350	32.55	Mixed waste 1/12-31/12/23
1/12/2023	P677665		CHAMBERS	CHAMBERS	28.38	5.68	34.06	4155	205	28.38	Mixed Waste 1/12-31/12/23
7/12/2023	10185420		CHUBB FIRE	CHUBB	115.98	23.20	139.18	4170	205	115.98	Fire alarm contract
7/12/2023	10185434		CHUBB FIRE	CHUBB	140.68	28.14	168.82	4170	205	140.68	Emergency lighting contract
1/12/2023	INVD02462		CLOUDY IT	CLOUDYIT	529.48	105.90	635.38	4485	101	105.84	IT Support 20/11-31/12/23
								4484	101	423.64	IT Support 20/11-31/12/23
1/11/2023	INV0093268		ODLINGS LTD	COLUMBARIA	135.00	27.00	162.00	4935	350	135.00	Posy on a spiral
5/12/2023	INV0094029		ODLINGS LTD	COLUMBARIA	164.00	32.80	196.80	4935	350	164.00	Sanctum tablet
5/12/2023	151223		CONGAKEYS	CONGA	400.00	0.00	400.00	791	0	400.00	Comedy
5/12/2023	907435455		MOLSON COORS	COORS	517.33	103.46	620.79	4700	201	517.33	Bar supplies
9/12/2023	C000765798		CRONER	CRONER	344.01	64.97	408.98	4551	101	189.21	HR and HS Dec 23
								4187	101	154.80	HR and HS Dec 23
3/12/2023	2317		FLEETJAZZ	FLTJAZ	986.35	0.00	986.35	820	0	720.00	Advance Jan
								808	0	266.35	Box office Nov
1/12/2023	27		GC LIGHTING	GC LIGHTNG	120.00	0.00	120.00	761	0	120.00	Lighting Mainly Madness
1/12/2023	DECEXP		GEORGE WOODS	GEORGEW	70.20	0.00	70.20	4537	105	70.20	Expense
1/12/2023	50383211		GLOBAL PAYMENTS DD	GLOBALDD	46.80	9.36	56.16	4422	201	46.80	Monthly service fee 1/12-31/12
9/12/2023	DEC23		GLOBAL PAYMENTS DD	GLOBALDD	821.08	0.70	821.78	4422	201	821.08	Bank charges 1/12-29/12
1/12/2023	58275666	4792	HCC	HCC	72.51	14.50	87.01	4400	101	72.51	Stationery
2/12/2023	71223		HSBC	HSBC	102.86	0.00	102.86	4420	101	102.86	Bank charges
8/12/2023	11118886		HSBC	HSBC	13.30	0.00	13.30	4420	101	13.30	Bank charges 1/11-30/11
5/12/2023	CCARDNOV23		HSBC	HSBC	3,108.51	393.09	3,501.60	4481	204	9.16	CC/AR/NOV23/SPOTIFY
								4400	204	71.98	CC/AR/NOV23/WRISTBANDS
								4400	204	9.83	CC/AR/NOV23/HEADPHONES
								4400	101	20.80	CC/BC/NOV23/OFFICE SUPPLIE
								4400	101	268.00	CC/BC/NOV23/REGISTER OF BL

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	Purchase Ledge	r for Month N	o 9	Orde	er by Supplier A/c	;					
								Nomin	al Ledger	Analysis	
voice Date	Invoice Number	Ref No	Supplier A/c Name	Supplier A/c Code	Net Value	VAT	Invoice Total	A/C	Centre	Amount	Analysis Description
								4400	101	4.47	CC/BC/NOV23/H&S STICKER
								4400	101	36.95	CC/BC/NOV23/WRITING PEN
								4400	101	36.91	CC/BC/NOV23/OFFICE SUPPLIE
								4400	101	42.64	CC/CB/NOV23/STATIONERY
								4400	101	2.19	CC/CB/NOV23/OFFICE SUPPLIE
								4761	201	106.80	CC/AR/NOV23/CONFECTIONER
								4761	201	106.80	CC/AR/NOV23/CONFECTIONER
								4761	201	110.99	CC/AR/NOV23/CONFECTIONER
								4761	201	-106.80	CC/AR/NOV23/CONFEC REFUN
								4761	201	199.45	CC/AR/NOV23/POPCORN AND
								4185	204	599.00	CC/AR/NOV23/GLASS DRYER
								4185	204	31.66	CC/AR/NOV23/RADIO EARPIEC
								4185	204	133.32	CC/BC/NOV23/LEAF BLOWER
								4185	101	14.35	CC/CB/NOV23/HDMI CABLES
								4185	101	12.48	CC/CB/NOV23/WIRELESS MOU
								4185	101	-12.48	CC/CB/NOV23/WIRELESS MOU
								4185	101	16.43	CC/CB/NOV23/OFFICE SUPPLI
								4752	201	66.39	CC/AR/NOV23/BAND CATERIN
								4752	201	1.99	CC/AR/NOV23/CATERING
								4752	201	3.80	CC/AR/NOV23/CATERING
								4187	204	14.20	CC/AR/NOV23/1ST AID SUPPLI
								4486	101	343.90	CC/BC/NOV23/MICROSOFT
								4486	101	-58.82	CC/BC/NOV23/MICROSFT CRE
								4486	101	3.30	CC/BC/NOV23/MICROSOFT
								4486	101	88.20	CC/BC/NOV23/MICROSOFT
								4656	150	67.47	CC/BC/NOV23/XMAS LIGHTS
								4430	101	43.64	CC/BC/NOV23/COUNCIL BANN
								4445	101	6.00	CC/CB/NOV23/SIM CARD
								4445	101	6.00	CC/CB/NOV23/SIM CARD

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Analysis Description
CC/CB/NOV23/SIM CARD
CC/CB/NOV23/XMAS TABLECLOTH
CC/CB/NOV23/XMAS EQUIPMENT
CC/CB/NOV23/XMAS GIFT BAGS
CC/CB/NOV23/XMAS FOOD
CC/CB/NOV23/MICROWAVE
CC/CB/NOV23/XMAS GIFTS
CC/CB/NOV23/BAR SUPPLIES
Keys
Security Dec23
el calls Nov 23
ce cream
Chef for Xmas Dinner 2023
Supply/insta;; mesh screen
Repair bench
Aain Contract Dec 23
Elec 1/11-30/11/23

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Purchase Ledger for Month No 9

Order by Supplier A/c

								Nomin	al Ledger	Analysis	
Invoice Date	Invoice Number	Ref No	Supplier A/c Name	Supplier A/c Code	Net Value	VAT	Invoice Total	A/C	Centre	Amount	Analysis Description
12/12/2023	3404		NPTREEMANAGE	NPTREE	480.00	96.00	576.00	4250	310	480.00	Remove tree limb
08/12/2023	5560835		PAYMENTSENSE	PAYMENTSEN	49.90	9.98	59.88	4422	201	49.90	Bank charges
08/12/2023	5560836		PAYMENTSENSE	PAYMENTSEN	129.95	25.99	155.94	4422	201	129.95	Bank charges Nov
29/12/2023	DEC23		PAYMENTSENSE	PAYMENTSEN	500.74	0.00	500.74	4422	201	75.83	card charges 1/12-31/12/23
								4422	201	424.91	card charges 1/12-31/12/23
31/12/2023	001860		CHCLEANING	PRIMA	2,403.45	480.69	2,884.14	4150	204	2,403.45	Cleaning 1/12-31/12/23
31/12/2023	001861		CHCLEANING	PRIMA	128.50	25.70	154.20	4150	205	128.50	Cleaning 1/12-31/12/23
31/12/2023	001862		CHCLEANING	PRIMA	384.85	76.97	461.82	4150	204	384.85	Cleaning 1/12-31/12/23
31/12/2023	001863		CHCLEANING	PRIMA	115.65	23.13	138.78	4150	315	115.65	Cleaning 1/12-31/12/23
31/12/2023	001864		CHCLEANING	PRIMA	57.75	11.55	69.30	4150	310	57.75	Cleaning 1/12-31/12/23
31/12/2023	001865		CHCLEANING	PRIMA	115.65	23.13	138.78	4150	320	115.65	Cleaning 1/12-31/12/23
31/12/2023	001866		CHCLEANING	PRIMA	128.50	25.70	154.20	4150	208	128.50	Cleaning 1/12-31/12/23
20/12/2023	55552		PRISM NETWORK	PRISM	0.00	2,957.67	2,957.67			0.00	**VAT Only Inv
08/12/2023	495		PROD GG	PROD	660.00	132.00	792.00	792	0	165.00	Engineer x4 shows
								793	0	165.00	Engineer x4 shows
								749	0	165.00	Engineer x4 shows
								4660	101	165.00	Engineer x4 shows
31/12/2023	61669		PRONTAPR	PRONTA	10,614.30	0.00	10,614.30	4432	201	10,614.30	Whats on guide printing
31/12/2023	XMAS2		RENEW HAIR	RENEW	42.50	0.00	42.50	4655	150	42.50	xmas light electrics
07/12/2023	DECEXP23		ROCHELLE HALLIDAY	ROCHELLE	40.02	0.00	40.02	4535	105	40.02	Dec 23 Expense
19/12/2023	DECEX		SARAH MOORE	SARAHMOORE	14.70	0.00	14.70	4400	101	14.70	Refreshments dec 23
01/12/2023	47758		SDSL	SDSL	450.00	90.00	540.00	4485	101	450.00	Offsite backup 1/1-31/3/24
01/12/2023	INV18084		SG POS	SGPOS	70.00	14.00	84.00	4728	201	70.00	Web services Dec 23
31/12/2023	53330		SHIELD SECURITY SERV	SHIELD SEC	70.00	14.00	84.00	4188	204	70.00	Keyholding Dec 23
15/12/2023	DECEXP		SIAN TAYLOR	SIAN	20.25	0.00	20.25	4041	350	20.25	Dec 23 Expense
11/12/2023	PANTIODW233		STARBURST	STARBURST	25,000.00	0.00	25,000.00	785	0	25,000.00	Panto 3rd invoice
16/12/2023	SP23009532		ST JOHN AMBULAN CE	STJOHN	1,060.40	212.08	1,272.48	503	0	1,060.40	St Johns Xmas Festivities 23
31/12/2023	23120178		TICKETSOLVE	TICKETSOLV	1,573.23	0.00	1,573.23	4490	201	1,573.23	Gross Sales Dec 23
12/12/2023	121223		SUE TILLEY	TILLEY	27.96	0.00	27.96	4537	105	27.96	Wine for cllr memorial

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Purchase Ledger for Month No 9

Order by Supplier A/c

								Nomin	al Ledger	Analysis	
Invoice Date	Invoice Number	Ref No	Supplier A/c Name	Supplier A/c Code	Net Value	VAT	Invoice Total	A/C	Centre	Amount	Analysis Description
12/12/2023	32396397523		TOTAL ENERGIES DD	TOTENGDD	4,036.32	807.26	4,843.58	4120	204	4,036.32	Gas 31/10-30/11/23
12/12/2023	32396402023		TOTAL ENERGIES DD	TOTENGDD	344.25	68.85	413.10	4120	205	344.25	Gas 31/10-30/11/23
14/12/2023	32434316723		TOTAL ENERGIES DD	TOTENGDD	26.10	1.31	27.41	4120	208	26.10	Gas 31/10-30/11/23
01/12/2023	HI591675		UNITED HYGIENE	UWR	148.68	29.74	178.42	4152	205	148.68	Hygiene 1/12-31/12/23
01/12/2023	HI591725		UNITED HYGIENE	UWR	660.27	132.05	792.32	4152	204	660.27	Hygiene 1/12-31/12/23
19/12/2023	OPI686559		VIMTO	VIMTO	241.93	48.38	290.31	4700	201	241.93	Bar supplies
18/12/2023	B5626342914		VODAFONE	VODAFONE	35.34	7.07	42.41	4445	204	11.78	Mobile 18/12-17/1/24
								4445	301	11.78	Mobile 18/12-17/1/24
								4445	101	11.78	Mobile 18/12-17/1/24
				TOTAL INVOICES	84,828.80	11,236.94	96,065.74		-	84,828.80	

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Sales Ledger Aged Account Balances

A/C Code	Customer Name	Balance	Feb 2024	Jan 2024	Dec 2023	Prior Months On	A/c Pymnts
Ledger No	1: Sales Ledger 1						
ASPREY H	L ASPREY H L	2,445.60	0.00	2,445.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
COOP	COOP	900.00	0.00	900.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
COT	СОТ	19.62	0.00	0.00	19.62	0.00	0.00
EDWARDS	EDW	386.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	386.28	0.00
FLUX	DONNA FLUX	50.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.94	0.00
FOSS R	FOS	7.92	0.00	0.00	7.92	0.00	0.00
FUNTIME	FUNTIME DANCE	336.60	0.00	0.00	336.60	0.00	0.00
HOLMES	HOLMES	4,250.00	0.00	4,250.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
LIBRARY	FLEET	11,441.08	0.00	0.00	11,441.08	0.00	0.00
LT DANCE	LT	312.00	0.00	312.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
NAGULA	NAG	26.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	26.00	0.00
PRE	AF	1,854.06	0.00	0.00	589.44	1,264.62	0.00
ROBE	ROBE	-56.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	-56.52	0.00
	Total Sales Ledg	er N201,1973.58	0.00	7,907.60	12,394.66	1,671.32	0.00
тот	– AL SALES LEDGER BALANCES	21,973.58	0.00	7,907.60	12,394.66	1,671.32	0.00

FLEET TOWN COUNCIL - RECORD OF GRANTS AWARDED 2023/24

Updated: 13.02.24

Recipient of Grant	Code	Purpose of the Grant	Requested £	Awarded £	Date of Award	Company / Charity Reg. No.	Approval Committee	Date Paid	Comments
GRANT - FLEET PHOENIX Fleet Phoenix	4241/110	Budget: £10,656. Available Balance: £0 Annual running costs of The Point	£10,656	£10,656		1144057	Council	Internal trf Dec 23	Awarded as part of budget approval.
Fleet Phoenix		Annual running costs of the Point	,	,		1144057	Council	Internal tri Dec 23	Awarded as part of budget approval.
GRANT - SASHA'S PROJECT	1212/110	Dudacti CZ 540, Augliable Dalamas CO	Total awarded	£10,656					
	4242/110	Budget: £7,540. Available Balance: £0 Hire of The Point as a crisis centre 2 nights per	£7,540	£7,540	05/04/2023	1105702	Council	Internal trf Dec 23	Uire granted until 21/02/2024
Sasha's Project		Hire of the Point as a crisis centre 2 hights per	Total awarded		05/04/2023	1195793	Council	Internal tri Dec 23	Hire granted until 31/03/2024.
COMMUNITY SUPPORT	4520/440	Dudenti CZ 200 Auglishia Dalaman C2 204	Total awarded	±7,540					
	4538/110	Budget: £7,200. Available Balance: £2,284	£5,000	62.016			Courseil	Internal trf Jan 24	
Coronation Committee Fleet Phoenix		Coronation event Rent waiver for office and storage space	£5,000 £1,000	£2,916 £1,000	15/02/2023	1144057	Council P&F	Internal tri Jan 24	
		· ·	,	£1,000 £1.000		1144057	P&F P&F		
Citizens Advice Hart		Support essential services	£1,000	/	18/10/2023		Pat	07/11/2023	
	4000/415		Total awarded	±4,916					
FLEET CONNECT	4800/110	Budget: £12,902. Available Balance: £598	642.204	642.204	04/02/2022			0.000/2022	
Hampshire County Council		Fleet Connect 23/24 service run by RVS	£12,304	£12,304	01/03/2023		Council	06/06/2023	
			Total awarded	£12,304					
BASINGSTOKE CANAL	4810/110	Budget: £19,041. Available Balance: £732				1		00/00/0000	
Hampshire County Council		Basingstoke Canal Society annual partner	£18,309	£18,309	31/05/2023		Council	09/06/2023	Awarded as part of budget approval.
		contribution							
			Total awarded	£18,309					
COMMUNITY GRANTS	4855/110	Budget: £3,704. Available Balance: £2,504		L			-	T	
All Saints Church		Churchyard community garden	£1,000	£1,000	1 1		P&F	09/06/2023	
Victim Support		Personal security items for crime victims	£200	£200	17/05/2023		P&F	09/06/2023	They must attend meeting for future requests.
Vox Choir		Harlington hire costs for charity concert	£1,000	£1,000	17/05/2023		P&F	Event postponed - rein	state amount into grant fund.
Revive Ukraine		Harlington hire costs for social events	800					n/a	Denied P&F 17/5/23
	•		Total awarded	£1,200					
RENT WAIVERS & OTHER COMM	UNITY PAYM	ENTS							
Fleet Cricket Club		Annual rent - Calthorpe Park		£4,140	10/05/2023		Council	n/a	
1st Crookham Scouts		Annual rent - Basingbourne Park	T	£500	10/05/2023	302270	Council	n/a	
Girl Guides		Annual rent - Basingbourne Park	1	Peppercorn	n/a		1	1	
22nd and 26th Odiham Scouts		Annual rent - Calthorpe Park	1	£500	10/05/2023	306101 / 810148	Council	n/a	
Lions Community Store		Annual rent - Basingbourne Park	1	£500		1177181	Council	n/a	
		5		£80				17/01/2024	
Friends of Oakley Park		Insurance repayment							
,		Insurance repayment		£120				28/11/2023	

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSIDERATION 21	1/02/24	PURPOSE	AMOUNT	COST CENTRE ALLOCATION FROM AVAILABLE BALANCE
Fleet & District Carnival		Provision of toilets at Fleet Carnival	£1,000	4855/110 Community Grants
Fleet Market CIC			£1,000	4855/110 Community Grants
Music on The Views (1)		Transferral of Coronation funds to this event	£2,084	4538/110 Community Support
Music on The Views (2)		Transferral of remaining cost centre budget to	£2,034	Balance from all available codes within cost centre. Subject to no other grants being received before 31.03.24
		this event		
		Request Totals	£6,118	
		Available Balance	£6,118	
		Difference	£0	

SUBJECT: INVESTMENT AND CURRENT ACCOUNTS

Account balances for Fleet Town Council as at 31 January 2024

Account	Funds	Interest Rate	Comment
HSBC Current Bank Account, Account No: 61539272	£1,191,171.70		
Nationwide Building Society, Business Instant Saver, Account No: 900041402	£824,735.07	3.00%	Interest paid into Nationwide current account. Business 18-month saver. Interest calculated daily, capitalised annually and added to the account on the anniversary date and upon maturity.
CCLA Investment Management Ltd, Public Sector Deposit Fund, Account No.: 0662920001	£1,700,000.00	5.37% Per annum	Interest paid into HSBC current account, monthly.
TOTAL	£3,715,906.77		

Please note:

Interest received in December 23 into Nationwide account: Nationwide	£24,276.91
Interest received in January 24 into HSBC account: CCLA	£7,607.61
Interest received in August 23 into Cambridge BS account: Cambridge BS – closed 23/08/23	£891.10

Recommendation

1. To note the balances held in the Fleet Town Council Accounts



OFFICER:Finance and Administration ManagerDATE:9th February 2024MEETING:Policy & Finance 21st February 2024SUBJECT:Item 10

1. Policy Reviews (Item 10)

The following policies have been reviewed to ensure the Council is fully compliant and up to date with current requirements or best practise. Officers have reviewed all current policy review dates, which has led to the ones being reported.

Several sources have been used to compare and check including NALC, HALC and other town or parish councils.

All policies are essential to promote safety and consistency within the provided guidelines for all staff.

10a. Freedom of Information / Publication Scheme

- The ICO has produced a publication scheme to cover freedom of information requests.
- The policy has been updated with the publication scheme added.
- The publication allows for simpler information requests e.g. website or hard copy.

10b. Fire Safety Policy - New

- It was highlighted in the November Health and Safety audit that the Council don't have a Fire Safety Policy in place.
- Using Bright Safe documents and other sources, officers have created the policy.
- This policy details what the Council is responsible for maintaining, checking, and servicing with the frequency.
- The Council may be required to revise this policy in line with Martyn's Law affecting large venues.
- In line with this policy, Officers will be reviewing the current Emergency Action Plan.

10c. Rules and Regulations Fleet Cemetery

• The amendments include the detailing of the type of coffin permitted and the agreed change in permitted headstone size.

10d. Stress in the Workplace Policy - New

- As part of the Health, Safety and Welfare Act, the Council has a legal duty to protect workers from stress at work.
- As part of this, Officers have written this policy, performed a risk assessment and started a staff survey with the aim of creating an action plan to show the Council are protecting staff.
- This policy has been reviewed by the Establishment Committee and is recommended for approval subject to changes.

10e. Credit Card Policy

- Changes to staff have resulted in a change to this policy.
- The bar and Café Supervisor and Venue Technician have been removed from approved credit card holders.
- The Senior Duty Manager has been added.
- The General Manager is proposed to change from £2500 to £2000.
- The Senior Duty Manager is proposed to have an amount of £1500 to allow purchase of bar supplies.

- The Facilities and Open Spaces Manager is proposed to change from £2000 to £1500.
- The Project and Committee Officer is proposed to change from £2000 to £1000.
- The credit card limit has been amended to £6000 from £10,000.

10f. Grievance Policy

• This policy has been updated to be fully compliant with current requirements, using ACAS as the direct source.

10g. Disciplinary Policy

• This policy has been updated to be fully compliant with current requirements, using ACAS as the direct source.

10h. Lone Worker Policy - New

- Guidelines advise that employers with lone workers should have a policy and procedure in place to ensure the health and safety of those workers.
- Following a NALC template and guidelines Officers have created a policy and procedure for staff who are or could be lone workers.
- The Council have a few staff who work alone or with a very limited number of colleagues. This policy will help protect those lone working staff and the Council.

10i. Risk Management Policy

- This policy was overdue for review.
- Changes include Executive Officer title, and name of register.

RECOMMENDATIONS

To approve policies a) to i).



Freedom of Information Policy

Full Council Approved: October 2017 (Reviewed October 2020) Due for Review: October 2023

Information available from Fleet Town Council under the model publication scheme

This policy details the information available from Fleet Town Council as recommended by the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) to meet the requirements of the model publication scheme.

Information is available unless:

- We do not hold the information.
- The information is exempt under one of the FOIA exemptions or Environmental Information Regulations exceptions, or its release is prohibited by another statute.
- The information is readily and publicly available from an external website; such information may have been provided by the Town Council or on its behalf.
- The information is archived, out of date or otherwise inaccessible; or,
- It would be impractical or resource-intensive to prepare the material for routine release.

The policy is not meant to give an exhaustive list of everything that is covered by the publication scheme and Fleet Town Council look to provide as much information as possible on a routine basis.

Publishing datasets for re-use

Fleet Town Council are duty bound to publish any dataset held that has been requested, together with any updated versions, unless satisfied that it is not appropriate to do so. So far as reasonably practicable, Fleet Town Council must publish it in an electronic form that is capable of re-use.

If the dataset or any part of it is a relevant copyright work and Fleet Town Council is the only owner, Fleet Town Council will make it available for re-use under the terms of a specified licence. Datasets in which the Crown owns the copyright, or the database rights are not relevant copyright works.

The Datasets Code of Practice recommends that public authorities make datasets available for reuse under the Open Government Licence. The term 'dataset' is defined in section 11(5) of FOIA. The terms 'relevant copyright work' and 'specified licence' are defined in section 19(8) of FOIA.

Information to be published	How the information can be obtained	Cost
Class 1 - Who we are and what we do		
(Organisational information, structures, locations, and contacts). This will be current information	on only.	
Who's who on the Council and its Committees	Website	Nil
Contact details for Executive Officer and Council members (named contacts where possible with telephone number and email address (if used)	Website	Nil
Location of main Council office and accessibility details	Website	Nil
Staffing structure	Website	Nil
Constitutional and Legal Governance	Website / Hard Copy	Nil / 10p
		per sheet
and previous financial year as a minimum.		
Annual return form and report by auditor	Website	Nil
Finalised budget	Website	Nil
Precept	Website	Nil
Borrowing Approval letter	Website	Nil
Financial Regulations and Standing Orders	Website	Nil
Grants given and received	Website	Nil
List of current contracts awarded and value of contract	Website	Nil
Members' allowances and expenses	Website	Nil
Procurement	Website	
		Nil

Information to be published	How the information can be obtained	Cost
Class 3 – What our priorities are and how we are doing		
(Strategies and plans, performance indicators, audits, inspections, and reviews). Current and	l previous year as a minimu	m.
Annual Report to Town Meeting (current and previous year as a minimum)	Website	Nil
Quality status	n/a	
Class 4 – How we make decisions		
(Policy proposals and decisions. Decision making processes, internal criteria and procedure	es, consultations). Current	and previ
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(Current written protocols, policies, and procedures for delivering our services and responsibilities). Current information only.

Information to be published	How the information can be obtained	Cost
 Policies and procedures for the conduct of council business: Procedural standing orders Committee and sub-committee terms of reference Delegated authority in respect of officers Code of Conduct Policy statements 	Website	Nil
 Policies and procedures for the provision of services and about the employment of staff: Internal instructions to staff and policies relating to the delivery of services (hard copy only, 10p per sheet). Equality and diversity policy Health and safety policy Recruitment policies (including current vacancies) Policies and procedures for handling requests for information Complaints procedures (including those covering requests for information and operating the publication scheme) Cemetery – Rules and Regulations Control and Management of Contractors Policy 	Website	Nil
Records management policies (records retention, destruction and archive)	Website	Nil
Data protection policies	Website	Nil
Schedule of charges (for the publication of information)	Website	Nil

(Information held in registers required by law and other lists and registers relating to the functions of the authority). Currently maintained lists and registers only. Some information may only be available by inspection.

Information to be published	How the information can be obtained	Cost
Any publicly available register or list (if any are held this should be publicised; in most circumstances existing access provisions will suffice)	Hard copy	10p per sheet
Assets register	Website / Hard Copy	Nil / 10p per sheet
Register of members' interests	Website	Nil
Register of gifts and hospitality	Hard copy	10p per sheet
Class 7 – The services we offer (Information about the services we offer, leaflets, advice and guidance, transactions, media rel the public and businesses). Current information only. Some information may only be available	•	oduced for
Burial grounds / Cemetery.	Website / Hard copy	Nil / 10p per sheet
Community centres, pavilions and community/entertainment venues/spaces for hire	Website	Nil
Parks, playing fields/pitches, and recreational facilities	Website	Nil
Seating, litter bins, War Memorials, festive lighting, floral displays	Website	Nil
Services for which the council is entitled to recover a fee, with those fees (e.g. burial fees)	Website	Nil
Additional Information		
This will provide Councils with the opportunity to publish information that is not itemised in the		
Additional Information This will provide Councils with the opportunity to publish information that is not itemised in the lists above Finance and Risk Register	Hard Copy	10p per sheet

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Schedule of Charges

This describes how the charges have been arrived at and should be published as part of the guide.

TYPE OF CHARGE	DESCRIPTION	BASIS OF CHARGE
Disbursement cost	Photocopying @ 10p per sheet (black & white)	Cost of paper, photocopy, electricity and staff hours
	Photocopying @ 20p per sheet (colour)	Cost of paper, photocopy, electricity and staff hours
	Postage – variable	Actual cost of Royal Mail standard 2 nd class
Statutory Fee	Nil	In accordance with the relevant legislation (quote the actual statute)
Other	None identified	



Fire Safety Policy

Policy and Finance Committee Approved: Reviewed: 21st February 2024 Due for next Review: 21st February 2027

1. Introduction

1.1 The objectives of this policy are:

- To ensure that staff, hirers, contractors, and visitors to our premises are safe guarded from injury or death in the event of fire.
- To have maintenance arrangements in place for systems and suitable procedures to minimise the risk of a fire starting and spreading.
- To reduce the potential for fire to disrupt the Council and staff, damage the premises or harm the environment.
- To ensure all staff are suitably trained, relative to their role in the Council. This Fire Safety Policy outlines the procedures and protocols to be followed in the event of a fire emergency. The policy aims to ensure the safety of all occupants by establishing a clear framework for fire prevention, evacuation, and emergency response.

2. Legal Requirements

2.1 This policy aligns with the legal requirements and regulations outlined in the relevant UK fire safety legislation applicable to the Council's operations.

3. Responsibilities

- 3.1 The Executive Officer is ultimately responsible for ensuring that the Council complies with all its statutory fire safety requirements. Day to day responsibility is passed to the Facilities Manager. The Facilities Manager will:
 - Ensure that staff fire training is completed at the required frequencies.
 - Arrange fire risk assessments at the required frequencies; manage and complete remedial works that may be identified in the assessments or as tests and services are completed.
 - Arrange fire equipment, emergency lighting and other relevant tests and services at the required frequencies; manage and complete remedial works that may be identified.
 - Ensure that all reported faults or shortcomings in fire safety are investigated with any remedial works managed and arranged.

- 3.2 Individuals must not put themselves or others at risk, must follow instructions and must report any faults or shortcomings in the fire safety arrangements.
- 3.3 Everyone has a duty not to damage or deliberately misuse any equipment provided for safety.
- 3.4 Any person that identifies a concern relating to fire safety should communicate the problem either to the Executive Officer or the Facilities Manager.

4. Arrangements

4.1 Fire Risk Assessments

4.1.1

The Facilities Manager will arrange for annual Fire Risk Assessments to be carried out on the building and will complete the remedial actions within acceptable time scales.

4.1.2

The Emergency Action Plan considers the findings from the Fire Risk Assessment.

4.1.3

Fire Risk Assessments and related procedures are reviewed at least annually and updated as necessary.

4.1.4

Regular fire risk assessments will be conducted under the direction of those responsible for fire safety to identify and mitigate potential fire hazards within the premises. Risk assessments shall be reviewed on an annual basis or when changes are made to the buildings, operations or anything which may change or alter the fire safety risk levels.

4.2 Training and instruction

4.2.1

All staff will receive initial fire training as part of the induction process, appropriate to their position and responsibilities. The training will include the Emergency Action Plan.

4.2.2

Further fire safety training will be given to Senior Duty Officers and Duty Officers, who will have the responsibility of Fire Warden if on duty.

4.2.3

All hirers are advised of evacuation procedures. Duty Managers will ensure the building is clear in an emergency.

4.3 Monitoring of the workplace

4.3.1

The Facilities Manager is responsible for:

- Ensuring the significant findings identified during the fire risk assessment.
- Ensuring the regular maintenance, inspection and testing of all fire safety installations and firefighting equipment.

- Maintaining fire exits and escape routes are free from obstructions and ensuring that fire doors operate normally.
- Ensuring fixed wiring tests are carried out in accordance with current regulations and that portable appliances are tested on an annual basis.

4.4 Fire Evacuation Drills

4.4.1

The Facilities Manager will arrange for fire evacuation drills for the building at suitable intervals. Evacuations will be held at varying times of the day and week so as to take into account the differing work patterns.

4.4.2

Full evacuation drills shall be carried out in collaboration with the Library and The Point hirers randomly but at least twice a year.

4.4.3

Drills will be random during a set week and led by selected random staff members.

4.5 Maintenance, Testing, and Records

4.5.1

Detailed records will be maintained and recorded in Bright Safe and within the office.

4.5.2

One call point is tested each week on a Monday between 8:30am-9:30am by either the Duty Officer or Facilities Manager. Any failings or faults detected during testing shall be reported to the Facilities Manager immediately for repair.

4.6 Hirers

4.6.1

Any person or organisation hiring a Council facility or part thereof shall:

- Ensure the activities they carry out do not put the facility or any of its occupants at risk.
- Not damage or deliberately misuse any equipment provided for fire safety.
- Ensure any equipment brought into the Facility is maintained and tested to the appropriate standard.

5. Fire Provisions

5.1 Fire Detection

- A comprehensive fire detection system, including fire bells and buzz boxes with flashing bulbs, is installed in the Council building. The system is connected to Chubb Fire & Security for automatic response and contact with the Fire and Rescue Service.
- The system is serviced and inspected at regular intervals, arranged, and managed by the Facilities Manager

5.2 Emergency Lighting

- The building has emergency lighting to ensure safe evacuation in the event of a power failure during a fire emergency.
- A monthly visual inspection is carried out by Duty Officers or Facilities Manager to ensure functionality. Any failings or faults detected during inspection shall be reported to the Facilities Manager.
- The Facilities Manager arranges and manages a full service and function test annually. The Facilities Manager will arrange and manage any remedial works that may be identified.

5.3 Fire Extinguishers

- Fire extinguishers are provided at suitable locations in the building.
- Fire extinguishers should only be used by persons that have been trained, and then only when it is considered safe to do so.
- The Facilities Manager arranges servicing for all extinguishers annually and extinguishers are inspected monthly by duty officers to ensure no damage or discharge. Any faults should be immediately reported to the Facilities Manager who will arrange repairs to be carried out.

5.4 Fire Signage

- Fire signage is provided throughout the buildings to give clear instruction and guidance when faced with an emergency. The signage will be monitored and updated as necessary by the Facilities Manager.
- Escape routes are identified by Fire Exit signs. Additional information signs are provided at Call Points, Fire Extinguishers and Lifts, to give further information.
- Signs shall be kept clean and readable. Any damaged signs should be immediately reported to the Facilities Manager who will arrange repairs to be carried out



RULES AND REGULATIONS FLEET CEMETERY

Policy and Finance Committee Approved: 21st February 2024 Reviewed: Sept 2021, Feb 2024 Due for next Review: 1st February 2027

All rules where relevant apply to both the interment of remains and ashes.

1. General

1.1 The following will not be permitted in the cemetery:

- Dogs except for guide dogs and other disabled assistance dogs.
- Any person creating a disturbance or nuisance by:
 - Interfering with a burial, grave, headstone, memorial, or flowers.
 - Interfering with the operation of the Council's cemeteries, its staff, or contractors.
 - Behaving in a disorderly manner.
- Such persons will be required to leave the cemetery immediately. Fleet Town Council will take criminal proceedings against anyone whose actions are in breach of the Burial Act.
- Bicycles, vehicles or vars, except for Disabled Badge Holders and contractor's vehicles without the express permission of the Cemetery Officer. The speed limit in the cemetery is 5mph.

2. Notice of interments

- 2.1 The Notice of interment must be given to the Fleet Town Council (FTC) office on the correct form found on the Council's website, at least two days before the interment. The Notice of Interment must be signed by the owner(s) of the Exclusive Right of Burial signifying his or her consent to such burial. No burial, other than that of the owner of the Exclusive Right, will be allowed without the consent of the Exclusive Right's owner(s). See section 10(6) of The Local Authorities Cemeteries Order 1977.
- 2.2 Payment of fees (via BACs or cheque made payable to Fleet Town Council) must accompany the Notice. If the plot is being re-opened then a copy of the Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial is required.
- 2.3 If the Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial is not available then the Cemetery Officer must be satisfied of ownership.
- 2.4 The certificate of the Registrar of Deaths (green form) or the Cremation certificate must also be given to Fleet Town Council.

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- 2.5 If a new plot is being purchased, a Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial (grave deed) will be issued.
- 2.6 When a grave is "purchased" this refers to the purchase of the exclusive right of burial in a grave space and not the purchase of the land itself.
- 2.7 If the owner(s) of The Rights wishes to transfer the ownership during their lifetime they must complete a Form of Assignment and submit it to the Council, together with the original Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial.
- 2.8 It is illegal for the Council to permit any burial in a grave subject to an existing Exclusive Right of Burial without first obtaining permission from the owner(s) of the right, unless one of the owners is being buried. There can be up to 2 owners of an Exclusive Right. For a burial other than that of the owners, both owners must give written permission for a burial is to take place. All owners are entitled to be interred in the grave if there is room.
- 2.9 If the sole owner is already deceased when an application is received, a transfer must take place and permission be received from the new owner prior to the burial in that grave. FTC recommends that a transfer of ownership takes place as soon as possible after the owner's death. For details of transferring the Exclusive Right please contact the Cemetery Officer.
- 2.10 The owner(s) of Rights should keep Fleet Town Council updated of any changes of address.
- 2.11 In accordance with the Local Authorities Cemeteries Order 1977, all grave rights are sold for a fixed period. The number of years the rights have been granted in Fleet Cemetery is 99. At the end of this period the owner(s) of the rights may apply to the Council to extend those rights.

3. Interments

- 3.1 It is the responsibility of the funeral director for the excavation of the grave and removal of any existing memorials or kerbstones and the replacement of same after burial.
- 3.2 All graves will be excavated and dug by a person or persons approved by the Council. Funeral directors must advise the council of the details of all gravediggers prior to use.
- 3.3 Undertakers are responsible for engaging gravediggers and for ensuring that such agents work in a responsible and safe manner and observe all Health and Safety legislation and codes of practice in force at the time of the excavation. All excavations must be shored up and if left unattended for any period of time boarded and appropriately guarded. Lock down covers must be used if an excavation is left overnight.
- 3.4 The levelling of a grave is the responsibility of the funeral director within 12 months after interment. Mounds can be removed by the Council as and when they think fit.
- 3.5 Only one funeral shall be permitted to take place in the cemetery at any one time.
- 3.6 The Council reserve the right to determine the position of any un-purchased or unreserved grave in the cemetery.

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4. Graves

- 4.1 The grave space set aside for each person shall not exceed 2.75m x 1.37m (9 feet long by 4 feet 6 inches wide).
- 4.2 Only coffins and ashes containers made of biodegradable materials will be allowed. This applies to first, second or subsequent interments. The use of metal coffins/caskets and zinc/lead lined coffins are not permitted under any circumstances.
- 4.3 No part of the coffin shall be at a depth less than 1.0m (3 feet) below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.
- 4.4 Burial, in a grave in which an interment has already taken place, shall ensure the new coffin is effectively separated from any other coffin previously placed and remaining in the ground by means of a layer of earth not less than 150mm (6 inches) in depth.
- 4.5 No person shall disturb any interred human remains or remove any soil.
- 4.6 The family are responsible to remove any flowers from the grave once they have died.

5. Lawn Cemetery

- 5.1 Part of the cemetery has a lawn style layout (plots 2058 to 2322 inclusive marked in purple on the cemetery map) this means that only headstones are allowed and the grass around them is kept mown. Ornaments and flowers are only permitted in suitable containers on the concrete plinth supporting the headstone.
- 5.2 The planting of flowers, trees or shrubs is not permitted on the grave space, nor is the placing of ornaments or fencing. Any unauthorised ornaments or flowers etc will be removed without notice.
- 5.3 Flowers are permitted on the grave at the time of the interment however they should be removed within 3 weeks or when they die. The Council reserve the right to remove any flowers at any time if they become unsightly or interfere with any other grave space.

6. Ashes plots within the Cemetery

6.1 Cremated remains may be interred in a grave space or a dedicated ashes plot.

6.2 The only memorial permitted in the dedicated ashes plot is a tablet and for plots AP0092 to AP0297 measuring no more than $350 \times 350 \times 50$ mm (14 x 14 x 2 inches). A slight slope to the top of the tablet to assist water to run off is permitted.

6.3 Flowers and ornaments are permitted as long as they do not extend beyond the edge of the tablet and the family are responsible to remove any flowers once they have died.

7. Memorials

7.1 All memorials are subject to the approval of the Council. A drawing showing the description, form and size of every memorial and a copy of the proposed inscription and its position on the memorial must be submitted to the Council for approval prior to production. All memorials will bear the plot number of the grave.

7.2 All memorials must be installed or re-fixed in accordance with the current BRAAM specifications in accordance with BS8415. All stonemasons working in the cemetery must provide the cemetery officer evidence of registration with BRAAM or NAAM. A digital photograph of the installed memorial must be forwarded to the Cemetery Officer.

7.3 All memorials shall be erected and remain the sole responsibility of the owner(s). The Council shall not be responsible for any damage which may occur unless caused by the Council or its agents nor repairing the fixing following failure identified during memorial testing. All materials of every description on private graves must be kept in reasonable repair and in good order at the expense of the owner(s). When in the opinion of the Council a memorial or grave represents a danger to other members of the public, the matter may be dealt with by the Council as they think fit. The owner(s) will be notified of the action taken, at their last known address.

7.4 The Council reserves the right to make safe any memorial which, in the opinion of the Cemetery Officer, represents an immediate danger to the public without further reference to the owner(s) of the Memorial in order to protect the safety of visitors to the cemetery. Inspections into the safety of all memorials shall be made by the Council. Fleet Town Council are required by law to carry out inspections on memorials every 5 years, to ensure that they are in a good and stable condition.

7.5 Kerb Stones will only be permitted in prescribed sections of the burial ground. Kerb Stones will not be allowed under any circumstances in the lawned area.

7.6 All memorials including inscriptions shall be completed before they are admitted into the burial ground, and no work of any kind thereon, apart from that of fixing and cleaning, will be allowed in the cemetery.

Masons or other persons employed in fixing memorials in the cemetery will be required to remove all spare soil and to clean up the ground carefully after completing their work. They will be held responsible for any damage caused by them either to the ground or memorials erected within the cemetery and charged accordingly with the cost of repairing such damage. The Council reserves the right to remove any memorial not erected in a workmanlike manner.

7.7 Headstones will not exceed 762mm (2 feet 6inches) in height a maximum of 1200mm (3 feet 4 inches) in height. The base should not exceed 762mm (2 feet 6 inches) wide x 450mm (1 foot 6 inches) deep. Kerb sets should not exceed 1980mm (6 feet 6 inches) x 760mm (2 feet 6 inches). Kerb sets are not allowed in the lawn cemetery – plots 2058 to 2322 inclusive. Ashes plot memorials will be laid horizontal and not exceed 350mm x 350mm x 50mm (14 x 14 x 2 inches).

7.8 Whilst the responsibility for general safety lies with the burial authority, the owner of the memorial is responsible for maintaining the memorial in a good and safe condition and ensure that the masons erect them in accordance with current standards (BS 8415).

8. Garden of Remembrance

8.1 The Garden of Remembrance has a range of memorial options for lease. These, and their conditions of use, are detailed in our Cemetery booklet.

8.2 The Council may from time to time make any alterations, additions, or amendments in or to the Rules and Regulations.



Stress in the Workplace Policy

Policy and Finance Committee Approved: Reviewed: 21st February 2024 Due for next Review: 21st February 2025

Introduction

Fleet Town Council is committed to protecting the health, safety, and welfare of the Council's employees. The Council recognise that workplace stress is a health and safety issue and acknowledge the importance of identifying and reducing workplace stressors in order for the Council to efficiently and effectively perform its duties.

This policy will apply to every member of staff. Managers are responsible for implementation and the Council is responsible for providing the necessary resources.

Definition of Stress

HSE defines stress as 'the adverse reaction people have to excessive pressure or other types of demand placed on them'. This makes an important distinction between pressure, which can be positive if managed correctly, and stress, which is likely to be detrimental to physical or mental health if it is prolonged.

A person experiences stress when they perceive that the demands of their work are greater than their ability to cope. Coping means balancing the demands and pressures placed on you (i.e. the job requirements) with your skills and knowledge (i.e. your capabilities).

Stress can also result from having too few demands, as people will become bored, feel undervalued and lack recognition. If they feel they have little or no say over the work they do or how they do it, this may cause them stress.

HSE's Stress Management Standards

As an employer, Fleet Town Council has a duty to ensure that risks arising from work activities are properly controlled. The HSE's Management Standards approach is designed to help employers work with their employees and their representatives to undertake risk assessments for stress and give managers the help they need to achieve these aims.

HSE's Management Standards highlight the six key areas of work design that, if not properly managed, may be associated with poor health and well-being, lower productivity, and increased sickness and other absences. The six Management Standards cover the primary

sources of stress at work (stressors). If these standards can be achieved, there is a lower likelihood that staff will be adversely affected by stress.

The stressors are:

- Demands such as workload, work patterns and the work environment.
- Control such as how much say the person has in the way they do their work.
- Support such as the encouragement, support and resources provided by the organisation, line management and colleagues.
- Relationships such as promoting positive working to avoid conflict and dealing with unacceptable behaviour.
- Role such as whether people understand their role within the Council and whether the Council ensures that they do not have conflicting roles.
- Change such as how organisational change (large or small) is managed and communicated.

Risk Assessment

A risk assessment is a vital component of this policy. It is only when the possible causes of stress have been identified that preventative or management strategies can be effectively put in place.

The Council has in place a generalised Stress Risk Assessment. The Council will conduct risk assessments to identify all workplace stressors and eliminate or control the risks from stress. Risk assessments will be regularly reviewed.

If at any time a risk assessment demonstrates that a Safety Committee needs to be in place, a select group of people will be asked to create the committee.

The Safety Committee will involve representation or represent the views of all elements of the workforce. They will perform a pivotal role in ensuring that this policy is implemented and oversee monitoring of the efficacy of the policy and other measures to reduce stress and promote workplace health and safety.

Responsibilities

<u>Managers</u>

Managers are responsible for:

- Conducting and implementing recommendations of risk assessments within their area.
- Ensuring good communication between management and staff, particularly where there are organisational and procedural changes.
- Ensuring staff are fully trained to undertake their duties.
- Ensuring staff are provided with meaningful developmental opportunities.
- Monitoring workloads to ensure that people are not overloaded or underutilised.
- Discouraging work related contact with staff outside normal working hours or whilst on holiday.

- Monitoring working hours and overtime to ensure that staff are not overworking and monitoring holidays to ensure that staff are taking their full entitlement.
- Attending training, as requested, in good management practice and health and safety.
- Ensuring that bullying and harassment is not tolerated within their jurisdiction.
- Being vigilant and offering additional support to a member of staff experiencing stress outside work e.g. bereavement or separation.

<u>HR – Croner</u>

The Council's HR provider Croner can:

- Give guidance to managers on the stress policy.
- Help monitor the effectiveness of measures to address stress by collating sickness absence statistics.
- Advise managers and individuals on training requirements.
- Provide continuing support to managers and individuals in a changing environment and encourage referral to occupational workplace counsellors where appropriate.

Employees

Employees are responsible for:

- Raising issues of concern with the Health and Safety representative, their line manager or the Executive Officer.
- Taking an active part in the process of assessing the risk e.g. completing surveys or providing honest feedback when requested.
- Accepting opportunities for counselling when recommended.
- After a period of absence from work with stress related illness, cooperating with their manager and/or HR on a planned return to work.
- Taking personal responsibility for their own health and wellbeing by, working healthily, taking regular breaks, rest and holidays and supporting colleagues.

Health and Safety Representatives

- Must be meaningfully consulted on any changes to work practices or work design that could precipitate stress.
- Must be able to consult with members on the issue of stress including conducting any workplace surveys.
- Must be meaningfully involved in the risk assessment process.
- Should be allowed access to collective and anonymous data from HR.
- Should be provided with paid time away from normal duties to attend any training relating to workplace stress.
- Should conduct joint inspections of the workplace at least every 3 months to ensure that environmental stressors are properly controlled.

What to do if you feel you are suffering from work related stress

Should any member of staff feel that they are suffering from an unacceptable level of workrelated stress, they should inform their line manager who will treat the matter with sympathy and in confidence. If you do not feel you can approach your line manager, you can approach the Executive Officer or failing that, a member of the Council's Establishment Committee.

Should any member of staff have been off work with a stress-related illness, talk about it with your manager when on return to work. Say how you feel, explain what led to the event and what you would like to see happen. Take a colleague representative with you if you do not feel you can do this on your own. See also sources of support in Appendix 4.

Appendices (see separate documents)

- Appendix 1 Risk Assessment
- Appendix 2 Stress Questionnaire for Staff
- Appendix 3 Action Plan
- Appendix 4 Sources of Support



Credit Card Policy / Procedure

Full Council Approved:June 2015Reviewed:October 2018, February 2022, May 2022, February 2024Due for next Review:February 2025

Fleet Town Council Credit card limit:	£6,000
Approved credit card holders:	General Manager – The Harlington Facilities and Open Spaces Manager Projects and Committee Officer Senior Duty Manager

Credit Card limits

- 1. The overall credit card limit for the council is £6,000 and shall not be changed without the authorisation and resolution of Full Council.
- 2. See Appendix 1 for allocation of credit card limits per role.
- 3. Only 5 card holders are permitted.
- 4. This policy procedure shall be reviewed at least once during the life of the council.

Use of credit cards

- 1. The credit cards may only be used when carrying out Fleet Town Council authorised business.
- 2. No private expenditure shall be incurred even if private funds are transferred or repaid immediately, to offset expenditure.
- 3. In accordance with Fleet Town Council's Financial Regulations, an official order or letter shall be issued for all work, goods and services.

Approval of credit card expenditure

- 1. All expenditure incurred on Fleet Town Credit cards shall be supported by a VAT invoice and attached to the relevant credit card statement.
- 2. The officer issued with a Fleet Town Council credit card shall provide, and be responsible for, the production of supporting documentation within one week of the statement being due to be paid.
- 3. Allocation of expenditure to cost centres and codes to be included by the card holder onto the credit card statement prior to authorisation by the Executive Officer/RFO.
- 4. All expenditure incurred on corporate credit cards shall be authorised monthly by the Executive Officer/RFO.
- 5. Monthly credit card statements shall be checked and signed off by 2 councillors from the Policy and Finance Committee each month.

6. Expenditure incurred on the Fleet Town Council credit card that is not supported by documentation and budgetary allocations may result in the expenditure having to be repaid to the Council.

Management of Cards

All cards issued shall:

- 1. Be signed on the reverse side of the card upon receipt, prior cards destroyed by cutting the card and returning it to the Executive Officer/RFO.
- 2. Not be for any use other than that outlined in this document and in accordance with Fleet Town Council Financial Regulations. The card must not be used to withdraw cash.
- 3. Be the responsibility of each person issued with a card, including the security of the card. The PIN should not be disclosed.
- 4. If lost, be reported immediately to the relevant bank by the holder and cancelled. The loss shall be reported to the Executive Officer/RFO.
- 5. Not be permitted to be used by any person other than the card holder.
- 6. Require each Card holder to sign a receipt for the credit card and agree to abide by the Council's Credit Card Policy. This will be countersigned by the Town Clerk. The Chairman of the Council will countersign the Executive Officer's receipt on behalf of Fleet Town Council.
- 7. Require the authorisation to be revoked in the event of designated staff leaving FTC employment.

Payment

1. The credit card shall be subject to automatic payment by direct debit in full at each month end.

Breaches of this Policy and Procedure

Breaches of this policy and Procedure will be investigated and appropriate actions taken according to the outcomes from an investigation. Any irregularity or misuse will be reported to the Police.



RECEIPT FOR FLEET TOWN COUNCIL CREDIT CARD

Name:	
Position:	
Credit Card Nu	ımber:
Credit Limit Iss	ued:
	d understood Fleet Town Council's Credit Card Policy and Procedure and shall ocument when expending Council's funds on the issued credit card.
0	that failure to abide by Fleet Town Council's Credit Card Policy and Procedure will igation and potential disciplinary action which may lead to a finding of gross d dismissal.
Signed:	
Title:	
Name:	
Date:	
Counter Signe	d:
Title:	Executive Officer / Chairman of Council
Name:	
Date:	

Appendix 1

The overall credit card limit for the council is £6,000 and shall not be changed without the authorisation and resolution of Full Council.

A credit card limit is allocated to the following posts:

General Manager	£2,000
Facilities and Open spaces Manager	£1,500
Project and Committee Officer	£1,000
Senior Duty Manager	£1,500



Disciplinary Policy and Procedure

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1. Policy

- 1.1 The Council aims to ensure that there will be a fair and consistent approach to the enforcement of standards of conduct and performance in the Council. This policy and procedure is designed to help and encourage all employees to achieve and maintain standards of conduct, attendance, and job performance. This procedure sets out the action that will be taken when disciplinary rules are breached.
- 1.2 Matters which may be dealt with under this policy include discipline and dismissal for the following reasons (please note that this list is not exhaustive):
 - Misconduct.
 - Sub-standard performance.
 - Harassment or victimisation.
 - Misuse of Council facilities, including computer facilities (e.g. email and internet).
 - Poor timekeeping.
 - Unauthorised absence.

2. Principles

- Informal action will be offered, where appropriate, to resolve problems.
- No disciplinary action will be taken against an employee until the case has been fully investigated and a disciplinary hearing has taken place.
- For formal action the employee will be advised in writing of the nature of the complaint against them and will be given the opportunity to state their case before any decision is made.
- Employees will be provided, where appropriate, with written copies of evidence and relevant witness statements in advance of meetings.
- At all stages of the procedure the employee will have the right to be accompanied by a trade union representative or work colleague.
- Any mitigating circumstances will be taken into account when reaching decisions on appropriate disciplinary penalties.
- No employee will be dismissed for a first breach of discipline except in the case of gross misconduct, when the penalty will be dismissal without notice or payment in lieu of notice.

- An employee will have the right to appeal against any discipline imposed.
- The procedure may be implemented at any stage if the employee's alleged misconduct warrants such action.

3. Procedure

3.1 Informal stage

Minor faults will be dealt with informally. Where the matter is more serious the following procedure will be used.

3.2 Stage 1

This will normally be either:

An improvement note for unsatisfactory performance if performance does not meet acceptable standards.

This will set out the performance problem, the improvement that is required, the timescale, any help that may be given and the right of appeal. The employee will be advised that it constitutes the first stage of the formal procedure. A record of the improvement note will be kept for six months but will then be considered spent – subject to achieving and sustaining satisfactory performance.

Or

A first warning for misconduct if conduct does not meet acceptable standards. This will be in writing and set out the nature of the misconduct and the change in behaviour required and the right of appeal. The warning will also inform the employee that a final written warning may be considered if there is no sustained satisfactory improvement or change. A record of the warning will be kept, but it will be disregarded for disciplinary purposes after six months.

3.3 Final written warning

If the offence is sufficiently serious, or if there is further misconduct or a failure to improve performance to the prescribed standard during the currency of a prior warning, a final written warning may be given to the employee. This will give details of the complaint, the improvement required and the timescale. It will also warn that a failure to improve may lead to dismissal (or some other action short of dismissal) and will advise of the right of appeal. A copy of this written warning will be kept but will be disregarded for disciplinary purposes after twelve months subject to achieving and sustaining satisfactory conduct or performance. In exceptional cases the period may be longer.

4. Dismissal or other sanction

4.1 If there is still further misconduct or failure to improve performance to the prescribed standards the final step in the procedure may be dismissal or some other action short of dismissal such as demotion or disciplinary suspension or transfer (as allowed in the contract of employment). The employee will be provided, as soon as reasonably practicable, with written reasons for dismissal the date on which the

employment will terminate (in accordance with the employee's notice entitlement) and will be notified of their right to appeal.

If some sanction short of dismissal is imposed, the employee will receive details of the complaint, will be warned that dismissal could result if there is no satisfactory improvement, and will be advised of the right of appeal. A copy of the written warning will be kept but will be disregarded for disciplinary purposes after twelve months subject to achievement and sustainment of satisfactory conduct or performance.

5. Gross misconduct

The following list provides some examples of offences which are normally regarded as gross misconduct:

- Theft or fraud.
- Physical violence or bullying.
- Deliberate and serious damage to property.
- Serious misuse of Council's property or name.
- Deliberately accessing internet sites containing pornographic, offensive, or obscene material.
- Serious insubordination.
- Unlawful discrimination or harassment.
- Bringing the Council into serious disrepute.
- Serious incapability at work brought on by alcohol or illegal drugs.
- Causing loss, damage, or injury through serious negligence.
- A serious breach of health and safety rules.
- A serious breach of confidence.

This list is not intended to be an exhaustive one and only gives an indication of the types of offence that may be considered gross misconduct.

If the employee is accused of gross misconduct, the Council may suspend the employee from work with pay while it investigates the alleged offence. This will be as brief as possible, normally for no more than five working days, and the Council will explain its reasons in writing. The employee shall not attend their place of work during the suspension, other than for the purpose of attending disciplinary proceedings, including investigatory interviews. The employee shall not contact any other employees or contacts of the Council, except the employees' companion, without the Council's consent.

If, on completion of the investigation and the full disciplinary procedure, the Council is satisfised that gross miscount has occurred, the result will normally be summary dismissal, i.e. dismissal without notice or pay in lieu of notice.

6. Disciplinary investigations

6.1 The Council is committed to ensuring that all potential infringements of disciplinary rules are fully investigated. This may entail carrying out interviews with the employee concerned and third parties such as witnesses, colleagues, and managers, as well as analysing written records and information. It may also involve a search of the

employee's person and/or property. The investigation report will be made available to all the parties concerned. The identity of witness will be kept confidential where necessary.

6.2 Where an employee is called to attend an investigatory interview, it will be made clear that this is not a disciplinary hearing.

7. Disciplinary hearing

7.1 An employee will be invited in writing, to a disciplinary hearing once the investigations are complete. Prior to the meeting the employee will be informed of the nature of the allegations that are to be addressed. The disciplinary hearing will be conducted by members of the Council's Disciplinary Panel. The Establishment Committee will establish a Disciplinary Panel. At all stages of the procedure the employee will have the right to be accompanied by a trade union representative or work colleague.

8. Appeals

- 8.1 An employee who wishes to appeal against a disciplinary decision must do so within five working days. The Establishment Committee will instigate an Appeal Panel comprising three members of the Establishment Committee, not previously involved in any earlier investigations on the same disciplinary matter. Should there be insufficient independent members of the Establishment Committee, the Chairman of the Establishment Committee will invite members of the Council who have had no previous involvement in the same matter, to join the Appeal Panel. Members of the Appeals Panel will hear all appeals and their decision is final. At the appeal any disciplinary penalty imposed will be reviewed. At all stages of the procedure the employee will have the right to be accompanied by a trade union representative or work colleague.
- 8.2 If the employee wishes to appeal against a disciplinary decision, they must do so through the Appeals Panel within five working days of the receipt of the disciplinary letter, The appeal should be made in writing, stating the ground(s) on which the disciplinary penalty should be reviewed.
- 8.3 Members of the Appeals Panel will hear the appeal. In the rare circumstances where this is not possible, alternative arrangements will be agreed with the employee and their companion.
- 8.4 The appeals hearing will be normally held within 10 working days of receipt of the letter. The decision of the Appeals Panel shall be final.

9. Appeals hearing

9.1 At the appeals hearing, the employee will be given opportunity to state the ground(s) on which the appeal is made. The Disciplinary Panel who took the original decision will then have the opportunity to explain their decision to impose the given penalty. The members of the Appeals Panel conducting the appeal may exercise discretion as to whether or not the two parties will be present together during the proceedings. The hearing will be adjourned when all the evidence has been heard. The members of the Appeals Panel conduct the appeal will consider the merits of the appeal, in private, before reaching a decision.

- 9.2 The members of the Appeals Panel will, whenever possible, verbally inform the employee of the decision reached and confirm this in writing no later than five working days after the hearing.
- 9.3 The members of the Appeals Panel have the authority to quash or reduce a disciplinary penalty or, in exceptional and appropriate circumstances, to increase it, in accordance with the penalties specified in the Council's disciplinary procedure.
- 9.4 An appeal hearing is intended to focus on specific factors that the employee feels have received insufficient consideration such as:
 - An inconsistent/inappropriate harsh penalty.
 - Extenuating circumstances.
 - Bias of the disciplining manager.
 - Unfairness of the hearing.
 - New evidence subsequently coming to light.
- 9.5 Where an appeal against dismissal fails, the effective date of termination shall be the date on which the employee was originally dismissed.

Notes

- 1. Employees will receive a written invitation to all disciplinary meetings.
- 2. Outcomes of formal meetings will be confirmed to the employee in writing.
- 3. The timescales listed above will be adhered to wherever possible. Each party can request an extension of the permitted timescale, however, where there are good reasons.
- 4. The Council reserves the right to seek assistance from external facilitators at any stage in the disciplinary procedure, in the interests of seeking a satisfactory outcome for all those concerned.
- 5. For employees during their first year of employment, the Council reserves the right to speed up the decision-making process and may choose to follow a shortened version of the above procedure.
- 6. The grievance procedure should not be used for appeals against disciplinary decisions. That is the purpose of the disciplinary appeals procedure. If, however, the employee has a complaint against the behaviour of a manager during the course of a disciplinary case, they may raise it as a grievance with a senior manager. If necessary, the disciplinary procedure may be suspended for a short period until the grievance can be considered. Another manager may be brought in to deal with the disciplinary case.

10. Abuse of this policy

10.1 Any abuse in the application of this policy will be dealt with in accordance with the Council's Disciplinary Policy and Procedure and may possibly result in disciplinary action being taken, up to and including dismissal.

11. Alterations and amendments to this policy

11.1 This policy does not form part of an employee's contract of employment. The Council reserves the right to amend or withdraw this Policy at its absolute discretion, in accordance with the needs of the council.

12. Additional Information

12.1 For further information, please contact the Executive Officer.



Lone Worker Policy and Procedure

Policy and Finance Committee Approved: Reviewed: Feb 24 Due for next Review: 21st February 2026

1. Purpose of this policy and procedure

- 1.1 Fleet Town Council recognises that some staff work alone, and where this is the case, seeks to ensure the health and safety of all lone workers. This document:
 - Raises awareness of the safety issues relating to lone working.
 - Identifies and assesses potential risks to an individual working alone.
 - Explains the importance of reasonable and practicable precautions to minimise potential risk.
 - Provides appropriate support to lone workers and;
 - Encourages reporting of all incidents associated with lone working so that they can be adequately managed and used to help reduce risks and improve working arrangements for the future.

2. The scope of this policy

2.1 It applies to all staff, whether full time, part time or temporary workers. It does not apply to Councillors.

3. Policy

3.1 We will protect staff from the risks of lone working, as far as is reasonably practicable. Working alone is not in itself against the law and it is often safe to do so. However, the Councils policy is to consider carefully and deal with any health and safety risks for those who work alone.

4. Definition

- 4.1 'Lone Worker' refers to people who work by themselves without work colleagues either during or outside normal working hours. Examples include:
 - A caretaker who opens and closes a hall either early in the morning or late at night.
 - A groundsman tending to green space.
 - Office workers who work alone in the premises.
 - Homeworkers.

4.2 Any worker under the age of 18 years, or anyone working in confined spaces is not permitted to work on their own.

5. Responsibilities

5.1 All staff have a responsibility for the health and safety of work colleagues. The key responsibilities are as follows:

Managers

- Will try to avoid the need for lone working as far as is reasonably practicable.
- Ensure that the worker is competent to work alone.
- Ensure that all lone working activities must be formally risk assessed. This should identify the risk to lone workers; any control measures necessary to minimise those risks; and emergency procedures.
- Arrangements for lone working must be made clear to staff and the details of what can or cannot be done while working alone explained.
- Lone workers must be informed of the hazards and understand the necessary control measures that need to be put in place and have the opportunity to contribute to the risk assessment.
- Must raise the alarm if staff cannot be contacted or do not return as anticipated.
- Must ensure that all staff are aware of this lone working policy and procedure and provide appropriate levels of training and guidance on lone working.

Lone workers

- Take reasonable care of themselves and others who may be affected by their work.
- To follow any instruction given by management or the Council.
- Raise with their line manager any concerns they have in relation to lone working.
- Not to work alone where there is inadequate information to undertake a risk assessment.
- Inform their line manager at the earliest opportunity in the event of an accident, incident of violence or aggression whilst at working alone.

<u>Staff</u>

- To be aware of colleagues working on their own and alert to unexpected changes of routine, unanticipated periods where there is no communication.
- Buddies should ensure they maintain and share up to date contact details (see below).

6. Risk Assessments

6.1 Managers must complete (or ensure the completion of) a Lone Working Risk Assessment prior to every lone working activity and updated as appropriate. The risk assessment should be reviewed by the lone worker before undertaking the work and communicated to all relevant staff or councillors.

- 6.2 People who work alone will of course face the same risks in their work as those doing similar roles/tasks. However, they may additionally encounter hazards such as:
 - Sudden illness.
 - Faulty equipment.
 - Travelling alone.
 - Remote locations.
 - Abuse from members of the public.
 - Animal attacks.

7. Ways in which lone working risks can be reduced.

- 7.1 Every lone working environment and situation is different, and therefore it is not possible to implement a 'one size fits all' approach. Where there is regular or anticipated lone working, the Council will devise and implement a lone working plan that meets the needs and risks of their particular circumstances. The plan should be proportionate to any risks that are identified from the risk assessment. This should be written down and communicated to all relevant staff and where appropriate. For example, the plan for a groundsman lone working with machinery will be more detailed than an administrator working late in the office. councillors.
- 7.2 Below are some example strategies that could be implemented (on their own or combined):
 - Signing in and out system.
 - Electronics (or hard copy) diaries to be kept up to date with meeting/visit/lone working details.
 - Agreed working times and method of contact.
 - Buddy scheme.

Buddy scheme

The following information should be written down and kept by the lone worker and their buddy, next of kin and manager (see the Lone Working Buddy form):

- Name and contact details of the lone worker.
- Name, relationship and contact details of the buddy.
- Name, relationship and contact details of the lone workers next of kin.
- Name relationship and contact details of the lone workers manager.
- Any code word that would indicate that the lone worker needs assistance.
- Note: all these details must be kept securely in line with data protection legislation

If you change your contact details, you must let your buddy and manager know.

In circumstances where a buddy system is appropriate as a way of reducing the risk identified in the risk assessment, the buddy must have relevant details about your lone working, that may include.

- Where you are going (address or area if there is no address).
- Details of the purpose (i.e. preparing the hall, grass cutting, meeting).
- Contact details of anyone you intend to meet (any additional contact details for the location you are visiting).
- Your mode of transport.
- When you are expected to return.

Your buddy must know what to do if you do not return or make contact at the anticipated/agreed time.

8. Health and wellbeing

8.1 In order to ensure your personal safety, it is important that you share any details of any aspects of your health that could lead to increased risk with your manager or specific councillors. This includes pregnancy. You can then jointly plan to mitigate any potential risks caused by your circumstances. This information will be treated on a strict 'need to know' basis with your confidentiality of the utmost importance.

9. Reporting incidents

- 9.1 Any incidents or perceived risks encountered while lone working should be recorded, reviewed, and acted upon. The report should include:
 - A brief note of what happened, when, and who was involved.
 - For any work-related aggression (verbal or physical) including threatening behaviour, all of the details of the incident and if the perpetrator should be captured, which could then be used if the police take any formal prosecution action. This might be particularly important for more serious incidents of work-related violence and,
 - In either instance this might also include recording details of any circumstances you think might have contributed to the incident e.g. the context of the interaction, perceptions about the condition of the perpetrator or any environmental circumstances. This information would then support us to review our risk assessment process and see if any additional measures are needed.
- 9.2 If you feel unsafe, unwell, or become injured call the emergency services if you need immediate assistance. If possible, call your manager, buddy or councillor or colleague to let them know (or ask someone to do so on your behalf).
- 9.3 Call your manager if your plans change because you feel unwell or if you have a domestic emergency when working alone.
- 9.4 This is a non-contractual procedure which will be reviewed from time to time.



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Risk Management

Policy and Procedure

Risk Management Policy

Fleet Town Council will institute systems and procedures to identify and manage threats and uncertainties to the financial, legal and reputational standing of the Council. Management of these risks shall eliminate or minimise their potential impact on the continuance of the Council's business.

Risk Management Procedure

1. Risk Management

- a) **Calculation of Risk –** The level of risk shall be assessed by combining the probability of the occurrence of an event and its potential consequences.
- b) **Identification of Risk –** Risks and their consequences shall be identified by a Working Group comprising:
 - 1) Not less than three Councillors
 - 2) The Executive Officer
 - 3) The Harlington Manager
 - 4) The Project and Committee Officer
 - 5) The Finance and Administration Manager
- c) Every new project or new initiative should have a risk assessment.

d) Meetings and Minutes

- 1) Meetings will be organised by the Project and Committee Officer and take place at least twice a year.
- 2) Ad-hoc meetings to be called in the event of the occurrence or identification of a significant risk.
- 3) Formal minutes of the meetings shall be circulated to group members and reported to Full Council after each meeting.
- 4) The Finance and Risk Register will be taken to a full Council meeting at least annually to gain approval and ensure that all Councillors remain aware of the key risks to Fleet Town Council and the measures being put in place.

2. Risk Recording

In order to ensure that all risks are identified, and managed appropriately, a register of identified risks will be updated and maintained by Fleet Town Council. In order that risks can be prioritised, this register will be split into two parts:

a) Finance and Risk Register

The Finance and Risk Register will act as reference list for all significant Fleet Town Council risks and liabilities. Each risk will be assessed and rated, a short summary of the key policies/arrangements in place to mitigate/control the risk will be provided.

All entries on the Risk Register will be discussed and reviewed by the Working Group at least twice year.

To keep the register current and of value, it is important that lower risks such as those that are now deemed irrelevant, or those that are wholly managed to a satisfactory level in day-to-day operations do not remain on this part of the register.

To ensure that the management of risk is proportionately distributed among the Council Officers each risk area identified will have a 'risk manager' assigned to it within the register.

This will normally be assigned to the most relevant operational manager.

An appropriate method of version control will be kept ensuring that the most up to date register is in use, but that older versions of the register remain accessible.

b) Archived Risk Register

All risks removed from Finance and Risk Register will be stored in the Archive Risk Register. The Archive Risk Register entries will be retained to demonstrate a complete picture of the risks identified and managed by Fleet Town Council, including those now effectively managed and not considered current. This may be required to demonstrate compliance at a later date and may be required should the risk entries again be considered current.

To ensure that the management of risk is proportionately distributed among the Council Officers each risk area identified will have a 'risk manager' assigned to it within the register.

This will normally be assigned to the most relevant operational manager.

An appropriate method of version control will be kept to ensure that the most up to date register is in use, but that older versions of the register remain accessible.

3. Risk Assessment

Each risk will be assessed and given a risk category based upon the probability of the risk arising and the impact on Fleet Town Council. This will allow for the prioritisation of resources.

A traffic light and numerical indicator is used to show the risk category. A risk score matrix is contained within the register to provide guidance on assessing probability and impact.

If after existing mitigation, the risk status is acceptable then the risk should be tolerated; there is nothing more to do. However, if the status remains unacceptable further mitigating actions must be identified.