

AGENDA

Charing Parish Council Meeting
to be held on Tuesday 9th January 2024
at 7.30pm. Top Room Charing Parish Hall.

Dawne Austen
Parish Clerk

1.	Apologies for absence.
2.	In attendance.
3.	Two minutes silence for ex councillor Elizabeth Ellen:
4.	To receive any declarations of interest from Members. Members are invited to declare disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests in items on the agenda as required by Charing Parish Council Code of Conduct for Members and by the localism Act 2011.
5.	Public Participation Session This provides an opportunity for members of the public to raise questions about and comment on items on the agenda. Time for this session is limited to 10 minutes (divided by the number of participants)
6.	Minutes of previous meeting:
7.	Matters Arising:
7.1	KCC Highways re speed sign :
7.2	Co- option of council vacancies:
7.3	Bus Shelter School Road :
7.4	CCTV:
7.5	Post Office:
7.6	Grant application from CDLHS
8.	Finance:
8.1	Approval of the following accounts:

09/01/2024	Payee Name	Details	Amount Paid
		Nat West Bank	
DD	Ashford Borough Council	Rates Cemetery DEC	£71.00
DD	Peninsula	PR Law firm Staff DEC	£114.59
DD	Initial	Hall Contract 11/12/2023- 10-01-2024	£58.88
DD	Initial	Hall Contract 11/01/2024- 10-02-2024	£58.88
Card	Express Cleaners	Toilet Rolls	£110.16
DD	Business Stream	Water period Sept-Dec Public Toilets	£221.78
DD	Nat West	Bank Charges	£13.93
Card	British Telecom	Clerks Telephone	£237.50

Card	Bookmakers	Christmas drinks	£112.00
Card	Wagon and Horses	Christmas dinner	£211.50
			£1,210.22
		Unity Trust Bank	
974466878	Countrywide	Grass Cutting Dec	£1,268.82
7064620	Triple 9 Services	Various Village Maintenance	£773.00
131331483	Street Wise	Traffic survey	£1,140.00
22718260	N Beal	Bins and Cleaning toilets Nov	£333.30
253732795	Ashford Web Service	Broken links to committee pages	£40.00
93727744	Viking	Supplies for admin-Councillor	£83.48
223933861	M.J.Buck	Repair wall at Market Place (Ins)	£3,070.00
18425951	PHS	Black bags	£48.02
541515676	KALC	Training JM Internal Controls	£36.00
20442413	PPL-PRS	Music Licence	£154.80
871929922	Mission Brass (D Gudge)	Christmas lights	£100.00
82393001	N Oliver	Father Christmas outfit	£50.00
9870854	KALC	4 Councillors Guide	£16.16
			£7,113.58
		Staff Costs	
Nov	Payee/NIC Unity Bank	Nov	£2,432.19
Nov	Nest Pension Card	Nov	644.09
Nov	Bank Transfer Unity Bank	Bank Transfer Unity Bank	£6,755.53
Dec	Payee/NIC Unity Bank	Dec	£1,434.87
Dec	Nest Pension Card	Dec	457.44
Dec	Bank Transfer Unity Bank	Bank Transfer Unity Bank	£4,822.51
			£16,546.63
		Nat West Bank/ Unity Trust Bank	
		VAT Refund OCT	£6,692.82
		Hall Hire	£200.00
		Bank interest	£1,057.29
		Cemetery	£3,360.00
	Quiz-Supper-donation	Christmas Lights	£1,110.00
			£12,420.11

9.	Planning:
9.1	PA/2023/2098 Beechwood, Canterbury Road Charing: Garden storage outbuilding (TH)
10.	Correspondence
10.1	Mr K Foster:
11.	Information: