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| BURGLARY (DWELLING)          |     | 3   | 1   |     | 1   |      |      |     | 1    | 1   |     |     |      |
| BURGLARY (Other)             |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |     |      |     |     |     |      |
| THEFT FROM MOTOR<br>VEHICLE  | 2   | 1   | 2   |     | 1   | 4    | 2    |     | 1    |     |     |     |      |
| THEFT OF MOTOR<br>VEHICLE    |     | 2   |     | 1   |     |      |      | 1   |      | 1   |     |     |      |
| DAMAGE OR DESTROY<br><£5,000 | 1   | 3   |     |     | 1   |      |      |     | 1    | 2   | 2   | 1   |      |
| THEFT FROM SHOP              |     |     |     |     |     |      | 2    |     | 1    | 1   | 2   |     |      |
| THEFT, OTHER                 | 1   | 2   | 1   |     | 2   | 1    |      |     |      |     |     |     |      |
| DRUG RELATED                 |     |     | 1   |     |     | 2    |      |     | 2    | 3   | 1   |     |      |
| OTHER CRIMES                 |     | 1   | 1   | 2   | 1   | 1    |      | 1   |      |     |     |     |      |
| A.S.B (Youths)               |     |     |     |     |     |      |      |     |      |     |     |     |      |
| TOTALS                       | 4   | 12  | 6   | 3   | 6   | 8    | 4    | 2   | 6    | 8   | 5   | 1   |      |

| DWELLING BURGLARY        |                                             |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| BURGLARY OTHER           |                                             |
| THEFT FROM MOTOR VEHICLE |                                             |
| THEFT OF MOTOR VEHICLE   |                                             |
| DAMAGE OR DESTROY        | Abbots hill school – concrete posts damaged |
| THEFT FROM SHOP          |                                             |
| THEFT OTHER              |                                             |
| DRUG RELATED             |                                             |
| OTHER CRIMES             |                                             |



# **Clerk Report January 2021**

(information only, if any resolutions are required, they will be noted on the agenda)

## HCC Updates/ County Councillor

SIDS 21/12/2020 confirmation received from HCC that order for SIDS has been place. Verges 17/12/2020 email sent to HCC and DBC confirming outcome of council meeting and awaiting responses.

## **Playpark Inspections**

Just awaiting third set of quotes to enable me to book in the inspections for the year. I have a new provider recommended by a neighbouring council who appear to be suitable and considerably more cost effective.

## Website Accessibility Plan

Ongoing. Zoom meeting held Dec 2020 with resident who uses a new software (AccessiBE) to enable assistive technology users to access content more easily. Report to council to come once pricing has been investigated.

## Assets of Community Value

DBC confirmed receipt and required copies of land registry documents provided by clerk.

## **Clerk/Warden Phone**

Contracted Expired December 2020. New Sim only contract taken for 12 months saving approx. £13 per month. Decision made not to insure the phone as this was an additional £7.99 per month and currently council have funds in the business contingency earmarked reserves fund. Unsuitable contracts forwarded therefore PAYG phone to be arranged.

## Training

Rialtas (finance package) end of year training booked 5/3/2021

#### **Correspondence Received**

Complaint received regarding bins at Gade Tower. Email forwarded to B/Cllr Maddern

#### Warden Updates

Ongoing issues with bins at Riverside flats, as quickly as the management company arranges collection of fly-tipping they are refilled. Please note this is private land. I have spoken with the Chairman of the Management company and he is aware of his responsibilities.

#### **Defibrillator Permissions**

Awaiting response from DBC

Nikki Bugden Clerk to the Council January 2020

#### Nash Mills Parish Council – Borough Councillor Report – January 2021

With the Christmas holiday period during the month not a great deal has happened, however there are a few things to report on.

#### Nash Mills Methodist Church Site

As you may well have seen, the Methodist Church site's security boarding was broken and partially removed just before Christmas. I have been in communication with Mr Khan, the ex Mosque President, who very kindly arranged to have everything repaired. I understand this has now been done.

## Nash Mills Wharf

The JCB arrived on site this morning to start the works. I have emailed Vistry to ask for an update on progress and received this in reply: "Land and Water have been instructed to install a new orifice plate in the basin over the next couple of weeks, this work will allow the water to be let back into the basin and run through the system. There is also some further maintenance works to be undertaken whilst they are on site".

## Nash House

I have been contacted by several residents regarding the latest application for Nash House. I had a look at the plans over the holiday period and spoke to the planning officer yesterday. I pointed out that he scale on the plans is listed incorrectly and the planning officer has contacted the agent to request a corrected drawing. Also, I raised some questions about the parking spaces and pointed out – once again -that the drawings do not tally with what has been built. I visited the site and took more photographs yesterday in order to give further evidence to the planning officer that the windows are not positioned where they are shown on the elevation drawings. I will update the parish council on Monday while we deliberate the application.

## **Georgewood Road Steps**

I continued to chase this issue and was furious to discover that, having been told via email from HCC that the steps didn't need any work, they are in fact owned by Dacorum! I have no idea why HCC didn't know or tell me that. However, this is good news and I am in discussion with Dacorum about them being repaired. They are in the process of ascertaining which department of DBC is responsible for them, but we think it is Housing. They seemed to be missed off a list many, many years ago when all the DBC open spaces were allocated to departments for maintenance. However, the grass on both sides is the responsibility of Housing so we are confident they will be the ones who resolve this. Steve also sent me some excellent photos that I forwarded to Housing yesterday. I am hoping to be able to give a further verbal update at the meeting on Monday.

## **Gade Tower Bins**

I am currently looking into the issue with the bins for Gade Tower. These are often left outside the bin store, overflowing and even upside down. I have sent an email to DBC to ask someone to explain what they are going to do to resolve this as it needs to be sorted.

#### Grit Bin – Bunkers Lane

Before Christmas I made contact with Longdean Park RA regarding the siting of a grit bin outside number 23 Bunkers Lane, on the verge belonging to Longdean Park. I'm waiting for a reply which I hope to receive in time for Monday's meeting. The gentleman I spoke to suggested a 'camouflaged' bin may be preferable should the RA agree, so I would suggest a green one. It would also only need to be small. We will discuss further on Monday.

## **Dacorum Local Plan**

The consultation is open and in the public realm. Please can I ask that everyone pushes it out and encourages people to respond, in addition to the parish response. This is our residents' opportunity to have their say. Of course, this was discussed at the December meeting but I really want to encourage as many people as possible to respond. All the information can be found here:

https://www.dacorum.gov.uk/home/planning-development/planning-strategicplanning/new-single-local-plan

Jan Maddern Dacorum Borough Councillor, Nash Mills 5.1.2021

## Development Management Committee Nominated Attendees Jan-May 2021

| Development Management Meetings | Attendees      |
|---------------------------------|----------------|
| 7 Jan 2021 7.00 pm              | Nicola/Michele |
| 28 Jan 2021 7.00 pm             | Alan/Lisa      |
| 18 Feb 2021 7.00 pm             | Alan/          |
| 11 Mar 2021 7.00 pm             | Alan/          |
| 1 Apr 2021 7.00 pm              | Alan/          |
| 22 Apr 2021 7.00 pm             | Alan/          |
| 20 May 2021 7.00 pm             | Alan/          |

| Nash Mills Parish Council<br>FINANCIAL SCHEDULE<br>Jan-21 |                          |                                                                     |             |                                   |             |                    |                  |                                        |             |              |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Payee                                                     | Method                   | Description                                                         |             | Amount                            |             | Vat                |                  | Amount                                 | Minutes ref | Inv No       |
| NET STAFF SALARIES/HMRC                                   | SO                       | Jan Net Salaries and HMRC                                           | £           | 1,884.25                          | £           | -                  | £                | 1,884.25                               |             |              |
| LGPA                                                      | online                   | pension                                                             | £           | 360.60                            |             |                    | £                | 360.60                                 |             |              |
| Vodaphone                                                 | DD                       | Clerk's Mobile Dec                                                  | £           | 7.92                              | £           | 2.13               | £                | 10.05                                  |             | b2-414920036 |
| NMVHA                                                     | SO                       | Hall Hire Jan                                                       |             |                                   |             | 0                  |                  | 0                                      |             |              |
| DBC                                                       | DD                       | Garage Rental                                                       | £           | 52.60                             | £           | 10.52              | £                | 63.12                                  |             |              |
| Paybureau                                                 | SO                       | Monthly wages Fee                                                   | £           | 18.00                             | £           | 3.60               | £                | 21.60                                  |             | nm0121       |
| clerk expenses                                            | Online                   | Zoom January                                                        | £           | 11.99                             | £           | -                  | £                | 11.99                                  |             | inv59879209  |
| MC                                                        | Online                   | Magazine delivery                                                   | £           | 100.00                            |             |                    | £                | 100.00                                 |             | 2            |
| Total                                                     |                          |                                                                     | £           | 2,435.36                          | £           | 16.25              | £                | 2,451.61                               |             |              |
| NMVHA<br>DBC<br>Paybureau<br>clerk expenses<br>MC         | SO<br>DD<br>SO<br>Online | Hall Hire Jan<br>Garage Rental<br>Monthly wages Fee<br>Zoom January | £<br>£<br>£ | 52.60<br>18.00<br>11.99<br>100.00 | £<br>£<br>£ | 0<br>10.52<br>3.60 | £<br>£<br>£<br>£ | 0<br>63.12<br>21.60<br>11.99<br>100.00 |             | nm0121       |

#### NIKKI NOTES

PAY HMRC

PAY PENSION



## RFO Quarter 3 Budget Report for Councillors (up to 30th Dec 2020)

#### **Introduction**

Financial Regulations 4.8 "The RFO shall regularly provide the council with a statement of receipts and payments to date under each head of the budgets, comparing actual expenditure to the appropriate date against that planned as shown in the budget. These statements are to be prepared at least at the end of each financial quarter and shall show explanations of material variances"

#### **Recommendation from Clerk/RFO**

Budget report accurately illustrates the detailed position reported to council and expenditure decisions determined by council. This detailed report does include items that were not budgeted for at initial budget setting. No items for concern in standard budget lines and all extraordinary expenditure has been reported.

#### **Overall Position.**

• Budgets overall are in line with some excesses cause by unbudgeted repairs and Covid-19 expenditure as detailed below.

#### Detail of excesses to annual budget at month 9

See below

#### Likely Overspends at year end

- 4005 Pension as IHLI (ill health liability insurance) is new expenditure
- 4120 ICT due to new accounting software (Rialtas)and first year installation costs which were not budgeted for.
- 4160 Miscellaneous Expenditure/park repairs and tree report
- 4170 Tools and Replacement Equip category unbudgeted Covid expenditure
- 4305 Repairs/Signs Christmas lights posted under this heading, unbudgeted expenditure
- 4065 parish magazine larger editions

Please note that the two items listed below are inflating our expenditure figures and are showing as overspends, these were debited directly from Earmarked reserves.

- 4135 grants made (£17978 to NMVHA)
- 4090 election costs (£2500 relating to 2019 costs)

#### Summary.

Whilst we have had a degree of unexpected expenditure there will also be some budget areas that are showing an underspend at year end. We received Cil (community infrastructure levy) income and other unbudgeted income, details of which were not available at budget setting. At the moment we are showing a surplus figure. At year end once all adjustments have been made any surplus/deficit will be transferred out of general reserves.

#### Nikki Bugden 5/1/2020

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#### Council Detail Report 05/01/2021

|        |                                 | Actual Year<br>to Date | Current<br>Annual Bud | Variance<br>Annual Total | Committed<br>Expenditure | Funds<br>Available | % of<br>Budget  |
|--------|---------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| RECEIP | TS                              |                        |                       |                          |                          |                    |                 |
|        | –<br>Income                     |                        |                       |                          |                          |                    |                 |
| 1076   | Precept                         | 28,584                 | 28,584                | 0                        |                          |                    | 100.0%          |
|        | Bank Interest                   | 68                     | 20,001                | (68)                     |                          |                    | 0.0%            |
| 1100   | Grants Received                 | 11,614                 | 0                     | (11,614)                 |                          |                    | 0.0%            |
| 1110   | CIL                             | 18,731                 | 0                     | (18,731)                 |                          |                    | 0.0%            |
|        | Subtotal                        | 58,997                 | 28,584                | (30,413)                 | 0                        | 0                  | 206.4%          |
| 999    | VAT Data                        | ,                      | ,                     |                          |                          |                    |                 |
| 115    | VAT on Receipts                 | 695                    | 0                     | (695)                    |                          |                    | 0.0%            |
|        | Subtotal                        | 695                    | 0                     | (695)                    | 0                        | 0                  | 0.0%            |
|        | TOTAL RECEIPTS                  | 59,692                 |                       | (31,108)                 | 0                        | 0                  | 208.8%          |
|        |                                 |                        |                       | (,)                      |                          |                    | 200.070         |
| PAYME  |                                 |                        |                       |                          |                          |                    |                 |
|        | Administration                  |                        |                       |                          |                          |                    |                 |
|        | Staff Costs (Inc HMRC)          | 12,844                 | 17,393                | 4,549                    |                          | 4,549              | 73.8%           |
|        | Pension                         | 3,442                  | 4,000                 | 558                      |                          | 558                | 86.1%           |
|        | Warden Salary                   | 4,132                  | 8,400                 | 4,268                    |                          | 4,268              | 49.2%           |
|        | OT/Backpay                      | 0                      | 436                   | 436                      |                          | 436                | 0.0%            |
|        | Payroll Charges                 | 162                    | 227                   | 65                       |                          | 65                 | 71.4%           |
|        | P.O.Box                         | 294                    | 300                   | 6                        |                          | 6                  | 97.9%           |
|        | Communications/Mobile           | 225                    | 360                   | 135                      |                          | 135                | 62.5%           |
|        | Office Supplies                 | 200                    | 250                   | 50                       |                          | 50                 | 79.9%           |
|        | Subscriptions                   | 1,101                  | 1,100                 | (1)                      |                          | (1)                | 100.1%          |
|        | Insurance<br>Election Costs     | 716<br>2,500           | 854<br>500            | 138<br>(2,000)           |                          | 138<br>(2,000)     | 83.9%<br>500.0% |
|        |                                 |                        |                       |                          |                          |                    |                 |
|        | Press Advertising<br>Audit Fees | 0<br>560               | 45<br>618             | 45<br>58                 |                          | 45<br>58           | 0.0%<br>90.6%   |
|        | Website Maintenance             | 77                     | 100                   | 24                       |                          | 24                 | 76.5%           |
|        | Domain Hosting                  | 0                      | 80                    | 80                       |                          | 80                 | 0.0%            |
|        | ICT/Licenses/IT Support         | 843                    | 800                   | (43)                     |                          | (43)               | 105.3%          |
|        | Bank Charges                    | 0                      | 46                    | 46                       |                          | 46                 | 0.0%            |
|        | Grants Made                     | 17,978                 | 0                     | (17,978)                 |                          | (17,978)           | 0.0%            |
|        | Conferences/Training Courses    | 549                    | 1,325                 | 776                      |                          | 776                | 41.4%           |
|        | Dog Bags                        | 148                    | 400                   | 252                      |                          | 252                | 37.1%           |
|        | Competition Prizes              | 0                      | 30                    | 30                       |                          | 30                 | 0.0%            |
| 4155   | Section 137                     | 30                     | 0                     | (30)                     |                          | (30)               | 0.0%            |
| 4160   | Misc (park and misc)            | 2,183                  | 562                   | (1,621)                  |                          | (1,621)            | 388.4%          |
| 4165   | Hire Costs (Hall or Zoom)       | 89                     | 404                   | 315                      |                          | 315                | 22.0%           |
| 4170   | Tools/Covid Exp                 | 169                    | 0                     | (169)                    |                          | (169)              | 0.0%            |
| 4175   | Garage Rent                     | 473                    | 663                   | 190                      |                          | 190                | 71.4%           |
|        | Subtotal                        | 48,716                 | 38,893                | (9,823)                  | 0                        | (9,823)            | 125.3%          |
| 250    | Parish Magazine                 |                        |                       |                          |                          |                    |                 |
| 4065   | Parish Magazine                 | 1,744                  | 1,545                 | (199)                    |                          | (199)              | 112.9%          |
|        | Delivery of Magazine            | 120                    | 360                   | 240                      |                          | 240                | 33.3%           |
|        | Subtotal                        | 1,864                  | 1,905                 | 41                       | 0                        | 41                 | 97.8%           |
|        |                                 | ,                      | ,                     |                          | •                        | -                  |                 |

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#### Council Detail Report 05/01/2021

|      |                                | Actual Year<br>to Date | Current<br>Annual Bud | Variance<br>Annual Total | Committed<br>Expenditure | Funds<br>Available | % of<br>Budget |
|------|--------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| 300  | Projects                       |                        |                       |                          |                          |                    |                |
| 4305 | Repairs/signs/Park             | 1,895                  | 600                   | (1,295)                  |                          | (1,295)            | 315.8%         |
|      | Subtotal                       | 1,895                  | 600                   | (1,295)                  | 0                        | (1,295)            | 315.8%         |
| 999  | VAT Data                       |                        |                       |                          |                          |                    |                |
| 515  | VAT on Payments                | 1,308                  | 0                     | (1,308)                  |                          | (1,308)            | 0.0%           |
|      | Subtotal                       | 1,308                  | 0                     | (1,308)                  | 0                        | (1,308)            | 0.0%           |
|      | TOTAL PAYMENTS                 | 53,783                 | 41,398                | (12,385)                 | 0                        | (12,385)           | 129.9%         |
|      | Total Receipts                 | 59,692                 | 28,584                | (31,108)                 |                          |                    | 208.8%         |
|      | Total Payments                 | 53,783                 | 41,398                | (12,385)                 | 0                        | (12,385)           | 129.9%         |
|      | Net Receipts over Payments     | 5,909                  | (12,814)              | (18,723)                 |                          |                    |                |
|      | plus Transfer from EMR         | 20,478                 |                       |                          |                          |                    |                |
|      | Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve | 26,388                 | (12,814)              | (39,202)                 |                          |                    |                |

| Confirmed B                   | ank & Investment Balances  |           |            |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------|------------|
| Bank Statement Balances       |                            |           |            |
| 30/12/2020                    | Lloyds Current A/C         | 17,116.49 |            |
| 30/10/2020                    | Natwest BR                 | 80,838.19 |            |
| 07/10/2020                    | NatWest Current A/C        | 1,305.00  |            |
| 31/12/2020                    | Lloyds 32 Day              | 42,240.51 |            |
|                               |                            |           | 141,500.19 |
| Other Cash & Bank Balances    |                            |           |            |
|                               |                            |           | 0.00       |
|                               |                            |           | 141,500.19 |
| Receipts not on Bank Statemer | nt                         |           |            |
|                               |                            |           | 0.00       |
| Closing Balance               |                            |           | 141,500.19 |
| All Cash & Bank Accounts      |                            |           |            |
| 1                             | LLoyds Current A/C         |           | 17,116.49  |
| 2                             | NatWest BR                 |           | 80,838.19  |
| 3                             | NatWest Current A/C        |           | 1,305.00   |
| 4                             | Lloyds 32 Day              |           | 42,240.51  |
|                               | Other Cash & Bank Balances |           | 0.00       |
|                               | Total Cash & Bank Balances |           | 141,500.19 |

#### Bank - Cash and Investment Reconciliation as at 31 December 2020

#### **Printed from VAT Archive**

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| Source                                      | Cashbook          | Ref No      | Date       | 0        | Code    | Gross                 | Net               | VAT    |
|---------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|------------|----------|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|--------|
| Cashbook                                    | 2                 |             | 28/08/2020 |          |         | 0.62                  | 0.62              | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 2                 |             | 30/09/2020 |          |         | 0.73                  | 0.73              | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 3                 |             | 07/10/2020 |          |         | 341.43                | 341.43            | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 16/10/2020 |          |         | 12,721.26             | 12,721.26         | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 30/10/2020 |          |         | 600.00                | 600.00            | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 2                 |             | 30/10/2020 |          |         | 0.66                  | 0.66              | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 4                 |             | 30/10/2020 |          |         | 4.20                  | 4.20              | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 30/11/2020 |          |         | 1.58                  | 1.58              | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 2                 |             | 30/11/2020 |          |         | 0.69                  | 0.69              | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 4                 |             | 30/11/2020 |          |         | 3.49                  | 3.49              | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 4                 |             | 31/12/2020 |          |         | 1.82                  | 1.82              | 0.00   |
|                                             |                   | OUTPUT      | Tot        | al Rate: | Z       | 13,676.48             | 13,676.48         | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 09/10/2020 |          |         | 72.08                 | 60.07             | 12.01  |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 10/10/2020 |          |         | 63.12                 | 52.60             | 10.52  |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 16/10/2020 |          |         | 2,139.22              | 1,782.68          | 356.54 |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 18/10/2020 |          |         | 20.60                 | 17.16             | 3.44   |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 16/11/2020 |          |         | 242.49                | 202.08            | 40.41  |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 18/11/2020 |          |         | 20.60                 | 17.16             | 3.44   |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 16/12/2020 |          |         | 2,648.05              | 2,206.71          | 441.3  |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 18/12/2020 |          |         | 20.60                 | 17.16             | 3.4    |
|                                             |                   | INPUT       | Tot        | al Rate: | S       | 5,226.76              | 4,355.62          | 871.14 |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 16/10/2020 |          |         | 2,649.76              | 2,649.76          | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 16/11/2020 |          |         | 2,244.85              | 2,244.85          | 0.00   |
| Cashbook                                    | 1                 |             | 16/12/2020 |          |         | 21,052.24             | 21,052.24         | 0.00   |
|                                             |                   | INPUT       | Tot        | al Rate: | z       | 25,946.85             | 25,946.85         | 0.00   |
| VAT Return Su                               | ummary:           |             |            | Total (  | Dutputs | 13,676.48             | 13,676.48         | 0.00   |
|                                             |                   |             |            | Total I  | nputs   | 31,173.61             | 30,302.47         | 871.14 |
| VAT due on Sa                               | les               |             | Box 1      | 0        | .00     |                       |                   |        |
| VAT due on AC                               | QUISITIONS from   | EC Members  | 2          | 0        | .00     |                       |                   |        |
| Total VAT due                               |                   |             | 3          | 0        | .00     |                       |                   |        |
| VAT reclaimed                               | on ALL INPUTS     |             | 4          | 871      | .14     |                       |                   |        |
| Net VAT to be                               | RECLAIMED         |             | 5 _        | 871      | .14     |                       |                   |        |
| Total sales inc                             | I EC Members (Ex  | cl VAT)     | 6          | 13,676   | .00     |                       |                   |        |
| Total purchase                              | es incl EC Member | s(Excl VAT) | 7          | 30,302   | .00     |                       |                   |        |
| Total sales to EC Members(Excl VAT) 8       |                   |             | 8          | 0        | .00     |                       |                   |        |
| Total purchases from EC Members(Excl VAT) 9 |                   |             |            | 0        |         | acquisitions from oth | er EC States 0.00 |        |

\*\*\*\*Addendum to Clerk Contract Dec 2020\*\*\*\*\*

Please note that the clerk wage is usually paid monthly on the 16th of each month. This payment covers the whole of the month in which it is paid. Salaries will ordinarily be paid by credit transfer to a bank or building society of your choice.

Signed Chairman Personnel .....

Noted by Council January 2020



## Clerk Report- Budget Version V6 January 2021

## **Recommendation from Clerk**

That NMPC adopt budget version 6 as suitable to facilitate no change in the NMPC precept demand (band d equivalent) for 2021/22 as requested by council.

## **Background**

NMPC wish to retain the precept per band d property at the existing levels (£22.99) therefore will be relying on cost cutting and the the use of reserves to cover any shortfall. The attached notes explain this in further detail.

Last years overall precept was £28584, to retain the equivalent band d in 21/22 it would need to be £28428

#### <u>Notes</u>

- Budget V6 was created following full council feedback on cost cutting measures and receipt of grant figures from Dacorum Borough Council.
- Council tax support grant income from DBC was reduced by 50% (£ 634.47 £635 shortfall to be made up from reserves)
- Concurrent services grant remains unchanged (£1468.39)
- Warden grant remains unchanged (£8276.69)
- Tax base 1236.70 (down from 1243.20 in 2020/21)<sup>i ii</sup>
- Anticipated use of reserves £2696 (excluding additional in-year projects)
- CIL income not considered, this in unknown and usually transferred straight to earmarked reserves as it is a conditional spend.
- Magazine income not considered as NMPC currently subsidising it. Reserves will be used if necessary.

It should be noted that the figures from DBC will not go before full borough council until February 2021 therefore should Dacorum Borough Council make further amendments to grants payable there may be an impact on the subsequent figures received when the precept is paid.

#### **Budget Detail**

Please note that the accounting package does not factor in the use of reserves on the income side. The breakdown is listed below.

Total budgeted expenditure £41604 **Total budgeted income** £38907 Income £ 100 bank interest £634.47 Council tax support grant £1468.39 Concurrent services grant £8276.69 Warden Grant Use of reserves £2696 £635 reserves top up to cover grant shortfall £111 reserves to cover exp to keep band d unchanged £1950 use of reserves to cover allocated expenditure) **Precept Demand** £28428.45

Nikki Bugden (RFO & Clerk) January 2020

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>i</sup> Tax base - This is the number of Band D equivalent dwellings in a local authority area. To calculate the tax base for an area, the number of dwellings in each council tax band is adjusted to take account of any discounts, premiums and exemptions. The resulting figure for each band is then multiplied by its proportion relative to Band D (from 6/9 for Band A to 18/9 for Band H) and the total across all eight bands is calculated. An authority's tax base is taken into account when it calculates its council tax.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>ii</sup> As the tax base has changed the overall precept figure may change but it will remain at the same level per band d property.

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#### **Nash Mills Parish Council**

## Forward Budget Detail - By Combined Account Code

Note :- (-) Net Expenditure means INCOME is greater than EXPENDITURE

|       |                             | Current<br>Year Budget | Next Year<br>Budget | Year 2<br>Budget | Year 3<br>Budget | Year 4<br>Budget | Year 5<br>Budget |
|-------|-----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Budge | et Expenditure              |                        |                     |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| 4000  | Staff Costs (Inc HMRC)      | 17,393                 | 29,900              | 30,498           | 31,108           | 31,730           | 32,365           |
| 4005  | Pension                     | 4,000                  | 0                   | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
| 4010  | Warden Salary               | 8,400                  | 0                   | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
| 4015  | OT/Backpay                  | 436                    | 0                   | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
| 4050  | Payroll Charges             | 227                    | 228                 | 233              | 238              | 243              | 248              |
| 4055  | P.O.Box                     | 300                    | 300                 | 306              | 312              | 318              | 324              |
| 4060  | Communications/Mobile       | 360                    | 360                 | 367              | 374              | 381              | 389              |
| 4065  | Parish Magazine             | 1,545                  | 1,950               | 1,989            | 2,029            | 2,070            | 2,111            |
| 4070  | Delivery of Magazine        | 360                    | 360                 | 367              | 374              | 381              | 389              |
| 4075  | Office Supplies             | 250                    | 300                 | 306              | 312              | 318              | 324              |
| 4080  | Subscriptions               | 1,100                  | 1,100               | 1,122            | 1,144            | 1,167            | 1,190            |
| 4085  | Insurance                   | 854                    | 854                 | 871              | 888              | 906              | 924              |
| 4090  | Election Costs              | 500                    | 0                   | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
| 4100  | Press Advertising           | 45                     | 0                   | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
| 4105  | Audit Fees                  | 618                    | 650                 | 630              | 643              | 656              | 669              |
| 4110  | Website Maintenance         | 100                    | 150                 | 153              | 156              | 159              | 162              |
| 4115  | Domain Hosting              | 80                     | 80                  | 82               | 84               | 86               | 88               |
| 4120  | ICT/Licenses/IT Support     | 800                    | 595                 | 607              | 619              | 631              | 644              |
| 4125  | Bank Charges                | 46                     | 0                   | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
| 4130  | Residents' Assoc Initiative | 0                      | 1,000               | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
| 4140  | Conferences/Training        | 1,325                  | 975                 | 995              | 1,015            | 1,035            | 1,056            |
| 4145  | Dog Bags                    | 400                    | 0                   | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
| 4150  | Competition Prizes          | 30                     | 0                   | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
| 4160  | Misc (park and misc)        | 562                    | 900                 | 816              | 832              | 849              | 866              |
| 4165  | Hire Costs (Hall or Zoom)   | 404                    | 404                 | 412              | 420              | 428              | 437              |
| 4170  | Tools/Covid Exp             | 0                      | 200                 | 204              | 208              | 212              | 216              |
| 4175  | Garage Rent                 | 663                    | 663                 | 676              | 690              | 704              | 718              |
| 4305  | Repairs/signs/Park          | 600                    | 635                 | 510              | 520              | 530              | 541              |
|       | Total Overhead Expenditure  | 41,398                 | 41,604              | 41,144           | 41,966           | 42,804           | 43,661           |
| Budge | et Income                   |                        |                     |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| 1076  | Precept                     | 28,584                 | 28,428              | 29,156           | 29,739           | 30,334           | 30,941           |
| 1090  | Bank Interest               | 0                      | 100                 | 102              | 104              | 106              | 108              |
| 1100  | Grants Received             | 0                      | 10,379              | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
|       | Total Income                | 28,584                 | 38,907              | 29,258           | 29,843           | 30,440           | 31,049           |
|       | Total Budget Expenditure    | : 41,398               | 41,604              | 41,144           | 41,966           | 42,804           | 43,661           |
|       | Income :                    | 0                      | 0                   | 0                | 0                | 0                | 0                |
|       | Net Expenditure             | 41,398                 | 41,604              | 41,144           | 41,966           | 42,804           | 43,661           |

## Notes Reference 5 Year Forward Budget

| A/c Code | e Description                | Centre | Description    | Budget Notes                                                                                          |
|----------|------------------------------|--------|----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1076     | Precept                      | 100    | Income         | KEEP BAND D THE SAME 22.99 TAX BASE CHANGED but only amend by $\pounds$ 111 to keep precept unchanged |
| 1090     | Bank Interest                | 100    | Income         | Bank Int - poss £100 pa                                                                               |
| 1100     | Grants Received              | 100    | Income         | Council Tax Grant was £11014 last year and 10379 this year use gen res to cover £635                  |
| 1110     | CIL                          | 100    | Income         | Cil-last year was £6009                                                                               |
| 4000     | Staff Costs (Inc HMRC)       | 200    | Administration | Salaries/HMRC - Increase by 3% plus 1 salary point include all salaries hmrc and pension, OT,IHLI     |
| 4005     | Pension                      | 200    | Administration | Included IHLI £247.50 add to 4000                                                                     |
| 4010     | Warden Salary                | 200    | Administration | added to 4000                                                                                         |
| 4015     | OT/Backpay                   | 200    | Administration | OT- leave as is 5 hrs pm divided by 50% (added to figures above one salry heading)                    |
| 4050     | Payroll Charges              | 200    | Administration | Payroll -leave                                                                                        |
| 4055     | P.O.Box                      | 200    | Administration | PO BOX-leave                                                                                          |
| 4060     | Communications/Mobile        | 200    | Administration | Mobile -Leave as is                                                                                   |
| 4075     | Office Supplies              | 200    | Administration | Office Supplies-Increase                                                                              |
| 4080     | Subscriptions                | 200    | Administration | Subscriptions -leave as is                                                                            |
| 4085     | Insurance                    | 200    | Administration | Insurance- reduced this year leave as is                                                              |
| 4090     | Election Costs               | 200    | Administration | Election costs remove as in reserves until 2030(3x£3000)                                              |
| 4095     | Equipment Replacement        | 200    | Administration | Equip Replacement check                                                                               |
| 4100     | Press Advertising            | 200    | Administration | remove                                                                                                |
| 4105     | Audit Fees                   | 200    | Administration | AUDIT FEES AMEND £450 PLUS £200                                                                       |
| 4110     | Website Maintenance          | 200    | Administration | Website Maintenence-increase                                                                          |
| 4115     | Domain Hosting               | 200    | Administration | Domain Hosting- leave                                                                                 |
| 4120     | ICT/Licenses/IT Support      | 200    | Administration | ICt/Licenses support includes new accounting                                                          |
| 4125     | Bank Charges                 | 200    | Administration | Bank Charges -remove                                                                                  |
| 4130     | Residents' Assoc Initiative  | 200    | Administration | use reserves rai £1000                                                                                |
| 4135     | Grants Made                  | 200    | Administration | Grants Made- check                                                                                    |
| 4140     | Conferences/Training Courses | 200    | Administration | Training Courses/Conferences reduce by CiLCA -£350= £975 part use reserves (£550)                     |
| 4145     | Dog Bags                     | 200    | Administration | Dog bags remove to keep precept the same                                                              |
| 4150     | Competition Prizes           | 200    | Administration | Competition Prizes-remove                                                                             |
| 4155     | Section 137                  | 200    | Administration | Not required as we have GPC                                                                           |

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## Nash Mills Parish Council Notes Reference 5 Year Forward Budget

| A/c Code Description |                           | Centre | Description     | Budget Notes                                                                |
|----------------------|---------------------------|--------|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 4160                 | Misc (park and misc)      | 200    | Administration  | inspections 4x £150 plus small repairs plus £400 EMR gen res if needed      |
| 4165                 | Hire Costs (Hall or Zoom) | 200    | Administration  | Hire Village Hall leave as Zoom this year has been cheaper                  |
| 4170                 | Tools/Covid Exp           | 200    | Administration  | Tools/Equip Warden -unbudgetted exp-ppe etc for Covid.                      |
| 4175                 | Garage Rent               | 200    | Administration  | Garage Rent -leave                                                          |
| 1150                 | Advertising (Income)      | 250    | Parish Magazine | Advertising Income -reduce to 0 use reserves to continue helping businesses |
| 4065                 | Parish Magazine           | 250    | Parish Magazine | 3X £650 (40 PAGES)                                                          |
| 4070                 | Delivery of Magazine      | 250    | Parish Magazine | Mag Delivery - £240 this yr-next yr £360 3 editions                         |
| 4300                 | Street Furniture Maint.   | 300    | Projects        | 0                                                                           |
| 4305                 | Repairs/signs/Park        | 300    | Projects        | repairs/signs/fencing -change to christmas lights £250 plus £385            |
| 115                  | VAT on Receipts           | 999    | VAT Data        | VAT on receipts                                                             |

|    | A                                          | В         |
|----|--------------------------------------------|-----------|
| 1  | Precept Demand 2021/22                     |           |
| 2  | Item 1:                                    | 41604.00  |
| 3  | Total Ongoing Expenditure                  | 41604.00  |
| 4  |                                            |           |
| 5  |                                            |           |
| 6  | Income                                     |           |
| 7  |                                            |           |
| 8  | General Income                             | -100.00   |
| 9  | Use of Reserves                            | -2696.00  |
| 10 | Wardens Grant                              | -8276.69  |
| 11 | Concurrent Services Grant                  | -634.47   |
| 12 | Council Tax Support Grant                  | -1468.39  |
| 13 |                                            |           |
| 14 | Total Income                               | -13175.55 |
| 15 |                                            |           |
| 16 | Net Expenditure to be met from Precept     | 28428.45  |
| 17 |                                            |           |
| 18 |                                            |           |
| 19 | Key Information for 2021/22                |           |
| 20 | 2021/22 Tax Base Calculation               |           |
| 21 |                                            |           |
| 22 | November Tax Base                          | 1330.70   |
|    | Manual Adjustments                         | 0.00      |
|    | Starting Tax Base                          | 1330.70   |
| 25 |                                            |           |
| 26 |                                            | -86.55    |
|    | Non Collection Allowance                   | -7.46     |
| 28 | Tax Base for 2021/22                       | 1236.70   |
| 29 |                                            |           |
| 30 |                                            |           |
| 31 | Parish Precept Calculation and Information |           |
| 32 |                                            |           |
|    | Precept Demand                             | 28428.45  |
|    | Tax Base                                   | 1236.70   |
|    | 2021/22 Band D Tax                         | 22.99     |
|    | 2020/21 Band D Tax                         | 22.99     |
| 37 | Band D Tax Increase / (Decrease)           | 0.00      |
| 38 | Band D Tax Change (%)                      | 0.00      |



#### <u>AGENDA REQUEST FORM</u> (FOR ITEMS OUTSIDE OF WORKING GROUP MATTERS)

#### PLEASE NOTE THAT AGENDA ITEMS MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING IN LINE WITH THE TIMESCALES SCHEDULE THAT HAS BEEN CIRCULATED

<u>Please note</u> the clerk will endeavour to include your request, however the clerk will decide its suitability in line with statutory guidelines and other agenda items may take precedence.

| NAME: | Nicola Cobb | DATE: | 5 January 2021 |
|-------|-------------|-------|----------------|
|-------|-------------|-------|----------------|

**AGENDA ITEMS -** INSERT WORDING TO APPEAR ON THE AGENDA. REMEMBER TO MAKE IT CLEAR WHAT YOU ARE ASKING COUNCILLORS TO DECIDE. PLEASE ALSO NOTE IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A SPECIFIC RESOLUTION.

"To consider..." "To note..." "To review..." "To agree...."

- 1. To consider the purchase of a trolley for the delivery of parish magazines
- 2. To agree whether the clerk can order a trolley, up to the value of £85

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION -** INSERT AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE SO THAT COUNCILLORS HAVE THE DETAIL THAT THEY NEED IN ORDER TO MAKE AN INFORMED DECISION.



During the delivery of the last magazine it was mentioned that, with the increase in number of pages, the magazine is now considerably heavier than it has been in the past. This means that fewer magazines can be carried at one time and journeys to and from a car are required to restock.

It was suggested that we could consider purchasing a trolley to assist with magazine delivery which could be used by any future delivery team.

This link gives an example of a trolley that may be appropriate:

https://www.aosonline.co.uk/folding-mail-trolley-383472?language=en&currency=GBP&dfw\_tracker=19727-46302\_gb&gclid=EAIaIQobChMI68PJmfuE7gIVSeDtCh2UjgI3EAQYAiABEgKjcPD\_BwE

**BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS** LIST NAMES OF ANY DOCUMENTS OR SUPPORTING INFORMATION TO BE ATTACHED. ALL DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THE REQUEST.

n/a

**COSTS** - INSERT DETAIL OF COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE DECISION THAT YOU ARE ASKING THE COUNCIL TO MAKE (IF KNOWN).

The cost on the above website is  $\pm 80.45$  including VAT and this appears to be an average cost for similar items. Delivery on this particular site is free. Viking direct have the same trolley for  $\pm 107$ . Ebay have a similar one for around  $\pm 55$  but with  $\pm 20$  delivery.



# **MEETING DATES FOR 2021**

| Date of Meeting                       | Agenda items by 9am                |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> January 2021  | Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> Dec 2020 |
| Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> February 2021  | Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> Jan      |
| Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> March 2021     | Thursday27 <sup>th</sup> Feb       |
| Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> April 2021    | Thursday1st April                  |
| Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> May 2021      | Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> April    |
| Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> June 2021     | Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June      |
| Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> July 2021     | Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> July      |
| Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> August 2021    | Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> July     |
| Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2021     | Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sept      |
| Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> October 2021  | Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept     |
| Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> November 2021 | Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> October   |
| Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> December 2021 | Thursday 2nd December              |

# Full Council Action List

Dec 2020 (post Meeting)

| Dec 2020 (post Meeting)                                            |                                |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Actions from Most Recent Meeting (To Be Discussed)                 | Comment                        |
| Working Group to formulate local plan responses for January        |                                |
| agenda.                                                            |                                |
|                                                                    |                                |
| Awaiting Further Updates (ONGOING to Be Discussed)                 |                                |
| Photo Authorisation form required (to accompany RA)                | LB                             |
| Borough Councillor Actions                                         |                                |
| CCTV Upgrade costings @ The Denes                                  | JM (Borough) ongoing           |
|                                                                    | with DBC                       |
| The Denes Signage (CCTV /Fly Tipping etc)                          | JM (Borough) ongoing           |
| JM to contact Steve Barnes re: ticket meter. (ongoing)             | JM (Borough) ongoing           |
| Gulleys @ The Denes                                                | JM (Borough) ongoing           |
| Steps (Georgewood)                                                 | JM (Borough) ongoing           |
|                                                                    | (agenda item January)          |
| Litter Bunkers Lane                                                | JM to report to clean safe     |
|                                                                    | and green                      |
| County Councillor Actions                                          |                                |
|                                                                    |                                |
|                                                                    |                                |
|                                                                    |                                |
| Clerk Actions (Most Recent Meeting Information Only)               | In addition to standard duties |
| Minutes to website for Nov                                         |                                |
| Liaise with HCC/DBC re verges works (check precise locations)      |                                |
| Liaise with HCC re SID and clarity re Bunkers Lane                 |                                |
| Contact DBC/HCC for Defib permissions                              |                                |
| Draft Dec Minutes                                                  |                                |
| Update Fin Regs with adoption date/upload to website               |                                |
| Update master policy sheet on file and on website.                 |                                |
| Update Working Group list                                          |                                |
| Draft and submit planning comments for Dec x3                      |                                |
|                                                                    |                                |
| Update action list                                                 |                                |
| Vire monies                                                        |                                |
| Earmark funds for SIDS                                             |                                |
| Note ongoing budget indications for SIDS                           |                                |
| Arrange for monthly payments to be made                            |                                |
| Key pension return                                                 |                                |
| Arrange for Cllr Berkeley and Cllr Bayley/Cllr Maddern to sign fin |                                |
| docs                                                               |                                |
| Arrange for Cllr Bayley to sign off all remote documents           |                                |
| Investigate PAYE query                                             |                                |
| Investigate Investment options                                     | Clerk to open account          |
|                                                                    | once online banking            |
|                                                                    | resolved.                      |
| Investigate warden phone                                           |                                |
|                                                                    |                                |
| Check clerk phone contract                                         |                                |

| Query-Rob Cassidy Re playpark history                                       | Referred to another officer                                          |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Check papers in garage for archives                                         |                                                                      |
| LB contacted Luke Johnson, re: tree survey in Highbarns.                    | Clerk taking over, chaser<br>email sent Aug 2020                     |
| Gate (Bunkers Park) arrange sign re closing gate                            |                                                                      |
| Add addendum to clerk contract with payroll dates                           |                                                                      |
| Clerk ongoing actions (longer term)                                         |                                                                      |
| NatWest online banking                                                      | In progress                                                          |
| Investigate Accessibility report/EU reference                               | Ongoing working through plan                                         |
| Investigate audit comments and historic comments too                        | Ongoing                                                              |
| Update RA to consider latest Coronavirus recommendations                    | Clerk to create separate<br>Covid-19 RA and to<br>update existing RA |
| Long Term Actions No Immediate Resolution (Reminders)                       |                                                                      |
| Costed plan from Sunnyside to be obtained once permissions re land recd.    | SR, on hold                                                          |
| All councillors to continue to report unauthorised banners within NM to JM. | ALL                                                                  |
| Willow Trees                                                                | JM in progress but leave<br>on until planted                         |
| Garage Clear out/archiving                                                  | Clerk                                                                |
| Projector screen                                                            | JM                                                                   |
| War Memorial (status review before handover)                                |                                                                      |