



**BEVERLEY
TOWN COUNCIL**

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Monday 28th June 2021

To Members of the Grants Committee:

Councillors D. Horsley (Chair), D. Boynton (Vice Chair), P Astell, I. Gow, C. Hopkins, L. Johnson, M. Pinder and D Tucker

Dear Councillor,

GRANTS COMMITTEE

You are hereby summoned to attend the Grants Committee Meeting of Beverley Town Council to be held remotely via Zoom on **Thursday 7th July** to commence at 6.30pm.

Yours faithfully,

Matthew Snowden
Acting Town Clerk

Notes About the Meeting

- **Delegation of Duties:** From May 2020 to 6th May 2021, the Emergency Coronavirus Act allowed Councils to meet and make resolutions via remotely technology. However, the Government decided to discontinue this from 6th May 2021 onwards. Therefore, on 12th April 2021, Full Council resolved to delegate all decisions to the Acting Town Clerk (other than those that by law cannot be delegated). It was also resolved to continue holding meetings, but due to being unable to make direct resolutions remotely, all decisions made by Councillors will be recommendations to advise the Acting Town Clerk in their decision making.
- **Observing Meetings:** Members of the public can view live-streams of meetings via the Town Council's YouTube Channel: <http://tiny.cc/ra3xtz>
- **Recordings:** Members of the public are entitled to record meetings. The Town Council's full policy regarding Recording of Meetings can be found on the website: <https://www.beverley.gov.uk/policies-procedures/>

AGENDA

1. Introduction

The Chair and Acting Town Clerk to explain that the meeting is being live-streamed on You Tube via Zoom, detail the meeting protocol in terms of using remote technology and make a rollcall of Councillors and Officers.

2. Apologies for Absence

3. Declarations of Interest

- (a) To record declarations of interest by any member of the council in respect of the agenda items listed below. Members declaring interests should identify the agenda item and type of interest being declared.
- (b) To note dispensations given to any member of the council in respect of the agenda items listed below.

4. To consider the following Grant Applications
Full packs from each applicant organisation are attached.

	Applicant	Grant Type	Purpose	Amount Requested	Power and Duty under which grant could be approved
(a)	Beverley in Bloom	Partnership Grant	To purchase, provide and maintain planting features throughout the town for all residents and visitors to enjoy.	£3,000 per year over the initial three years of the partnership	<p>Public Health Act 1875, section 164 – England: Power to provide and manage recreation grounds, public walks, pleasure grounds and open spaces.</p> <p>Local Government Act 1972, section 144: Power to contribute to the encouragement of tourism.</p> <p>Local Government Act 1972, section 137: Power of local authorities to incur expenditure for certain purposes not otherwise authorised *.</p>
(b)	Cherry Tree Community Centre	Partnership Grant	To support a project to provide an outreach youth worker to engage with young people in the community and develop other youth-related activities.	£3,000 per year over the initial three years of the partnership	<p>Charities Act 2011, section 297ff: Cooperation between charities and local authorities... and power to make donations.</p> <p>Local Government Act 2000, section 2: Well-being.</p> <p>Local Government and Rating Act 1997, section 3: Crime Prevention.</p> <p>Local Government Act 1972, section 137: Power of local authorities to incur expenditure for certain purposes not otherwise authorised *.</p>
(c)	Beverley Rugby Union Football Club	Partnership Grant	To support costs towards annual community engagement events, including rugby open days, a festival and Pride event.	£3,000 per year over the initial three years of the partnership	<p>Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976, section 19: Recreation</p> <p>Local Government Act 2000, section 2: Well-being.</p> <p>Local Government Act 1972, section 137: Power of local authorities to incur expenditure for certain purposes not otherwise authorised *.</p>
(d)	The Wombles of Beverley	Small Grant	To support the ongoing work of the Wombles of Beverley and litter picking initiatives to encourage more volunteers to take part (including the purchase of additional items of equipment).	£500	<p>Local Government Act 2000, section 2: Well-being.</p> <p>Litter Act 1983, sections 5-6: Power to provide and maintain litter bins in streets or other public spaces and contribute to their provision and maintenance.</p> <p>Local Government Act 1972, section 137: Power of local authorities to incur expenditure for certain purposes not otherwise authorised *.</p>

* A local authority may, subject to the provisions of this section, incur expenditure which in their opinion is in the interests of, and will bring direct benefit to, their area or any part of it or all or some of its inhabitants.