

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF GREAT BARTON PARISH COUNCIL FINANCE COMMITTEE ON
MONDAY 1ST NOVEMBER 2021 COMMENCING AT 7.30 PM**

Item.	<p>Members Present: Councillors Maggie Dunn (Chair), David Clarke, Pete Fisk and Gwyn James.</p>																																																				
1.0	<p>Declarations of interest There were no declarations of interest.</p>																																																				
2.0	<p><u>Councillors to review the draft budget figures provided by the Clerk and discuss the draft 2022/23 budget.</u> The clerk had provided an estimate of spending against budget for this financial year and budget figures for 2022/3, which the Councillors reviewed.</p> <p>The following items were discussed:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Clerk's annual salary includes a national increase of 1%; 2. Training figure is based on 2 new Councillors completing training; 3. Newsletter advertising will not be taken into consideration in the 2022/23 budget as confirmation of advertisers has not been received; 4. No amount has been allocated for grants. It was felt that if any grant requests were received, funds could be taken from the Small Projects reserve; 5. The following accumulating reserves were allocated funds: Asset maintenance, asset acquisition and Icepits Wood. <p>The following amounts were recommended:</p>																																																				
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ASSET AQUISITION RESERVE	£	2,000.00
ICEPITS WOOD RESERVE	£	1,592.00
CONTRIBUTION TO GENERAL RESERVE	£	-
Total transfer to reserves	£	5,592.00
DRAFT PRECEPT	£	33,587.00

The Committee decided to present to Full Council a draft precept for 2022/23 of £33,587.00.
 There is no change to the previous year's precept.
 There being no further business the meeting finished at 8.30 pm.

.....Sign & Date

.....Print name.

CHAIRMAN
 Signed as confirmation that they are a true record.

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