



# Hilton Parish Council

## [Report from the Meeting of the Council dated Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March The Ware](#)

The agreed works to improve the bank of the Ware have been completed and the Clerk is meeting with National Highways to resolve any issues prior to these works being presented to the Council to sign off. The Parish Council authorised expenditure of up to £1,000 for the works required to cut back the excessive growth on the far bank of the Ware.

### [Maintenance Contract](#)

The Council has resolved to split the maintenance contract into two parts which will be an annual cost of £8,800.

### [2021/22 LHI bid for a 24hr HGV ban on the B1040](#)

The decision meeting has been held and the CCC Officer has authorised the ban as presented. The Chairman thanked those residents who wrote in support of the ban, County Cllr Doug Dew, HAT and all of those involved in achieving this HGV ban. Local Projects has advised that they hope to install the signs in mid-May, however the Clerk has been advised by the Highways department that this deadline is unrealistic.



### [2022/23 LHI bid for a 30mph limit across the Green](#)

Cllr Sarah Suckling and Cllr Peter Balicki attended the Zoom meeting with the LHI Panel. Peter read the agreed 500-word document and there were a couple of questions regarding the location of the road. The next stage is for the scoring matrix to be published by CCC and presented to their Highways and Transport Committee.



### [Football Goal Nets](#)

Hilton Parish Council has resolved to purchase new nets for the football goals at a cost of £60.

### [Easter Cross](#)

The Parish Council has granted permission for the Easter cross to be erected on the Green from Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April to Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> April.



### [CAPALC](#)

Hilton Parish Council has resolved to renew their membership of the Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Association of Local Councils at a cost of £392.70.

### Jubilee Events

Hilton Parish Council granted permission to the Hilton Community Garden Committee for the use of the Green for their Jubilee event.



### Facebook

The Council considered whether to allow comments to be published on their Facebook page and resolved to continue to manage the Facebook page in its current form.



### Great British Spring Clean

The Council resolved not to organise an event as there is not enough litter within the 30mph limits. They thanked those diligent parishioners that already collect litter and asked them to continue to do so.

### NALC Salary Scales

Hilton Parish Council noted the revised salary scales for 2021/22 and authorised the payment of the backdated payroll of £165.50.

### LGA Model Code of Conduct

The Parish Council resolved to adopt the new Local Government Association Code of Conduct.

### Parish Council Elections

Elections are due for both District and Parish Councillors and will be held on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2022. The deadline for nomination forms is 4pm on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> April. If you would like further information about becoming a Parish Councillor, or about the election process, please contact the Clerk – [clerk@hiltonparishcouncil.com](mailto:clerk@hiltonparishcouncil.com) or 830605.



*The next Parish Council meeting will be held on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2022 in Hilton Village Hall. Agendas will be issued in advance on the village notice boards and the Council's website [www.hiltonparishcouncil.com](http://www.hiltonparishcouncil.com). Parishioners are welcome to speak at council meetings on agenda items.*

## HILTON PARISH COUNCIL JOINS NATIONAL CAMPAIGN TO ENCOURAGE RESIDENTS TO MAKE A CHANGE AND BECOME A COUNCILLOR

Hilton Parish Council is taking part in a national campaign to encourage residents in England to stand in the 2022 local elections.

The aim of the Make A Change campaign is to call on people – especially those undiscovered community heroes – who are passionate about our local area to put themselves forward to be elected to sit on a local parish council as a councillor.

Today, there are 10,000 local councils in England, with 100,000 councillors. They are the heroes of their communities and give residents a voice on the decisions the council makes. With this campaign, we want to let prospective councillors know that through the work of a councillor, they can make a real difference in our community.

The work our council does is both exciting and rewarding. An integral part of this work is the job councillors do: engaging with local people, groups and businesses to find out their needs; making decisions on the services and projects the council should take forward; and getting involved to ensure services are meeting the community's needs.

We are now asking people who want to improve the quality of life for their fellow residents to see Hilton Parish Council as a tool to make that change and stand for election.



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