

Grants & Donations

Holland Fen with Brothertoft Parish Council interpret a donation as monies given to benefit a specific cause. An example of this is the annual donation to the party or parties that look after the parish churches. Donations are not given to parties or Companies that are outside the Parish.

Holland Fen with Brothertoft Parish Council interpret a grant as funds provided by Holland Fen with Brothertoft Parish Council for a specific purpose. Holland Fen with Brothertoft Parish Council will accept requests for a grant from organisations within the Parish; Grants are not normally considered to organisations outside the Parish.

All grants or donations to be considered by the Council will be a separate agenda item at the next meeting. If a grant or donation is approved the spend must be assigned to a power allowing the Council to spend the money.

Please refer to our Grants & Donations policy for full information.

Under S.137 of the Local Government Act, 1972 s.137 is a power of local authorities to incur expenditure for certain purposes not otherwise authorised.

It allows a council to spend a limited amount of money doing things for which no other specific power exists. A grant would be considered as long as it is in the interests of, and will bring direct benefit to their area or any part of it, or all or some on its inhabitants.