

# Granborough Parish Council

Minutes of the Extraordinary Meeting of Granborough Parish Council  
held in the Village Hall on Thursday 3 September 2026

Present: Cllrs Anderson, de Niese, Fenwick (Chair), Oakland and Smedley. Clerk & RFO: Lisa Prior and 4 members of the public.

## MINUTES

### 68. Welcome & Apologies

- Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr Ellerton and Cllr Watson.

### 69. Declarations of Interest

- No declarations of any personal or pecuniary interests in respect of items on this agenda were made.

### 70. Open Forum

- No comments were made.

### 71. Planning

The Council considered its formal response to Buckinghamshire Council's Regulation 19 consultation on the Proposed Submission Local Plan for Buckinghamshire.

Following discussion, it was **resolved** to:

- a. submit representations in respect of the three sites identified in the draft Plan - SMA001 (Rookery Farm), SP2 (Stately Stables) and SP3 (known locally as Longacres) - building on the Parish Council's previous response and raising the lack of meaningful analysis of those sites;
- b. make further representations on the wider concerns shared with the North Buckinghamshire Consortium, including the north-south divide and the lack of a review of the Green Belt in the south of Buckinghamshire;
- c. raise the lack of acknowledgement of Neighbourhood Plans in the draft Plan;
- d. raise the absence of meaningful analysis and explanation for the proposed growth trajectory;
- e. include further comments concerning solar and other energy infrastructure, supported by relevant figures, and the deliverability of the proposed scale of development, including the capacity of the construction industry;
- f. register the Parish Council's intention to be formally represented at the Examination in Public in relation to proposed development in Granborough and the wider area, including Winslow; and

- g. authorise the Parish Clerk to submit the Council's formal response through Buckinghamshire Council's OPUS consultation platform and by email, and to inform Buckinghamshire Council that the Parish Council wishes to make formal representations to the Planning Inspectorate at a future Examination in Public.

**Action:** Cllr Smedley agreed to draft the comments relating to solar and other energy infrastructure and send them to Cllr Fenwick for inclusion in the final response. Cllr Fenwick agreed to prepare the final draft, incorporating the amendments discussed in relation to the three sites, the wider strategic concerns and Neighbourhood Plans.

**The meeting closed at 20.10pm**

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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