

# ASHWELL PARISH COUNCIL

**Provision to refer** (*applicable to all relevant policies, procedures, etc.*): The option to refer to external parties for advice and/or determination where this is appropriate. The default being HAPTC.

**Review date** (*applicable to all relevant policies, procedures, etc.*): Following the election of a new council or when agreed to be necessary, or prompted by external bodies.

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## **Health and Safety Policy**

Ashwell Parish Council recognises and accepts its responsibilities as an employer for providing a safe and healthy working environment for all its employees, contractors, voluntary helpers and others who may be affected by the activities of the council. The council will meet its responsibilities under the Health and Safety at Work etc Act 1974 and will provide, as far as is reasonably practicable, the resources necessary to fulfil this commitment. When necessary the council will seek expert technical advice on health and safety to assist the clerk in fulfilling the council's responsibilities for ensuring safe working conditions.

Adopted: June 2023 at full council.

Review date: April – June 2024