

Clerk's Report

2023/2024 has been a productive year for East Tuddenham. I'd firstly like to thank the previous clerk Lorraine Trueman for her guidance in support of the handover to me and the council for welcoming me to the fold with open arms despite the big shoes I am hoping to fill.

The council showed an exemplary display of community representation with the handling of new development with the parish with public sessions being held and well thought out responses to both applications through Breckland District Council/

We have welcomed two new councillors this year that have already brought new ideas and a fresh new perspective to our programme.

Financially, East Tuddenham is in a strong position with £3,500 earmarked for the bus shelter and we hope to build on that with grant applications throughout the next financial year.

We have raised a precept of £9874 for 2024/2025 with guidance from Breckland District Council we believe this to be accurate representation of the funds required to be able to provide our service to the parish. And we are proud to still fall under the average precept for our region and for a parish of our size.

In the short time I have been here, this parish has displayed a great deal of passion for the discussion points that matter and as a clerk that makes the role very enjoyable. I look forward to working with the council going forward to deliver on the items that matter to our community.