

Costessey Town Council



HEALTH & SAFETY POLICY STATEMENT 2019-20 REVIEWED AND ADOPTED BY FULL COUNCIL

Costessey Town Council's General Policy:

Reflecting its commitment to Health & Safety, the Council will promote the welfare and the protect the health and safety of its employees, subcontractors, visitors and other affected by its activities.

To this end Council will:

- 1 Provide adequate control of the health and safety risks arising from Council's work activities, machinery and equipment on its grounds and premises
- 2 Manage and maintain all premises and locations for which Council is responsible in a manner which does not pose health and safety risks to members of the public who may use the facilities, including regular tree inspections
- 3 Maintain safe and healthy working conditions
- 4 Provide and maintain safe plant and equipment
- 5 Ensure safe handling, use and disposal of hazardous substances
- 6 Ensure that Council employees are competent to do their jobs, by providing them with appropriate PPE, training, relevant information, instruction and supervision
- 7 Take steps to prevent accidents and work-related ill health
- 8 Consult with Council employees on matters affecting their health and safety
- 9 Review and revise this policy as necessary at least every two years

Signed: _____ Date: _____

(Chairman)

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(Clerk)