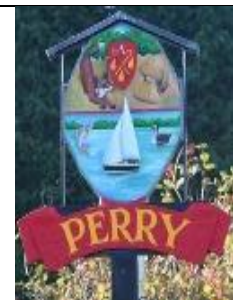


# PERRY PARISH COUNCIL

## HEALTH & SAFETY POLICY



Perry Parish Council is committed to achieving high standards of health and safety performance throughout all its activities. In order to do this Perry Parish Council will, so far as reasonably practicable, ensure that:

1. The Parish Council comply fully with the Health & Safety at Work Act 1974, and all other relevant health & safety legislation.
2. Responsibility for health & safety matters are effectively assigned, accepted and fulfilled at all levels within the Parish Council and its organisational structure.
3. Adequate resources are provided to ensure that proper provision can be made for health & safety.
4. All employees are provided with such information, instruction, training and supervision as necessary to secure their safety and health at work and the safety of others who maybe affected by their actions.
5. Risk Assessments are carried out and periodically reviewed, where relevant.
6. New/second hand equipment purchased by the Parish Council complies with relevant safety standards.
7. Regular inspections are carried out where required: ie:
  - Playing fields
  - Allotments
  - Village open spaces
8. Playing field equipment is inspected annually by ROSPA.
9. Anyone using Parish Council facilities are made aware of their health & safety responsibilities.
10. Contractors employed by the Parish Council are competent and trained to carry out their work safely; and have confirmed their health & safety and insurance provisions to the Council.
11. Contractors carrying out major projects will be expected to provide copies of Risk Assessments, Method Statements, and any other relevant health & safety documentation required by the Health & Safety Executive.