

Bramfield and Thorington Parish Council 2018-2019:

Explanation of Variances +/- 10% for Boxes 2-6 and Boxes 9-10 (where applicable) between the 2017-2018 and 2018-2019 financial year accounts:

Box 3:

The main reason is that the Parish Council has received more grants than the year before from Suffolk Coastal District Council and Suffolk County Council. £850 was received from Suffolk Coastal District Council to donate to the Village Hall Committee to pay for a Kitchen Fire Door, £2117 was received from Suffolk Coastal District Council in Cil money and £1500 from the local District Councillor as a grant towards rethatching the bus shelter. In 2018 just one grant of £1000 was received.

Box 4:

Staff costs rose because of changes in the Clerk's pay.

Box 6:

A main reason is that payments have risen in response to the increased grants. They have increased with a donation of £1350 (including the £850 received from Suffolk Coastal District Council) to the Village Hall Committee to pay for a Kitchen Fire Door, £4770 for the rethatching of the Bus Shelter and £740 to replace the glass in the telephone box windows.

Box 9:

Over the 2018-2019 Financial Year, the Parish Council rethatched the roof of the Bramfield Bus Shelter which cost £4770 and bought new glass for the Bramfield Telephone Box costing £705. This accounts for the £5475 increase from £16 475 Total Asset Value in 2017-2018 to the £21950 Total Asset Value in 2018-2019.