| Committee      | FINANCE COMMITTEE |
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## To consider a proposal by the Chairman to donate £1000 to the Braintree Foodbank (which also serves Halstead) towards running costs

The Mayor has chosen the Foodbank as his charity for the year 20/21. As you are aware, it is impossible for him to organise any fundraising events, or any civic events this year due to the pandemic.

Members are asked to consider allocating £1000 of the civic funds that have generally been used for Mayors' receptions to be donated to the Foodbank.

**Recommendation:** that HTC approves the allocation of £1000 as described above to the Mayor's chosen charity, the Foodbank.

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