

BLISWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

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You are hereby summoned to attend an **Ordinary** meeting of **Blisworth Parish Council** to be held in Blisworth Village Hall on **Monday 2nd March 2026 at 7.30 pm** for the purpose of transacting the following business. Members of the public and press are invited to attend.

AGENDA

BPC/268/2026	To receive apologies.
BPC/269/2026	To receive declarations of interest under the Council's Code of Conduct related to business on the agenda. Councillors are reminded that if they have either a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest or other interest in any of the agenda items then they should declare the interest and withdraw from the debate or meeting as appropriate.
BPC/270/2026	To receive and approve for signature, the minutes of the Ordinary meeting held on 02/02/2026.
BPC/271/2026	To note any matters arising from the minutes not included on the agenda for report only.
BPC/272/2026	To note an error to the signed minutes of the Ordinary meeting held on 01/12/2025 and agree an addendum to note a correction to the signed minutes to record that minute point BPC/216/2025 (d) should read: <i>RESOLVED: To adopt a precept demand for 2026/2027 of £45,480.83.</i>
BPC/273/2026	Clerk's report circulated separately.
BPC/274/2026	Public Session: a. Unitary Councillor(s) Report(s). b. Members of the public.
BPC/275/2026	Response to issues raised in the public session.
BPC/276/2026	Planning and Development. a. Application No. 2026/0518/FULL: 78 High Street Blisworth NN7 3BJ. Proposal: Single storey side extension, garden room and trellis to boundary wall (part-retrospective) & proposed front boundary wall with sliding access gate to driveway. Comments by 04/03/2026. b. Application No. 2026/0524/FULL: Boxtree Cottage 39 Stoke Road Blisworth NN7 3BZ. Proposal: Removal of existing rear extensions, raising of existing roof, new roof dormers, rear extensions and porch. Comments by 04/03/2026. c. Application No. WNS/2022/1134/MAO: Land to the West Northampton Road, Blisworth, NN7 3DW. Proposal: Redevelopment of Site to Provide Commercial Units (up to 182,000 sq. Ft of floorspace) for Use Class E(g), B2 and B8 Purposes and associated works. Outline Application with all Matters Reserved aside from Access.
BPC/277/2026	Discuss West Northamptonshire Local Plan and agree next steps.
BPC/278/2026	Correspondence from social media: Update from Cllr Read.
BPC/279/2026	Police & Neighbourhood Watch Scheme: Update from Cllr Read.
BPC/280/2026	Report on data from SID/VAS devices and Traffic Working Group: Update from Cllr Read and Cllr Brown.

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BPC/281/2026	Report on Youth Parish Council: Update from Cllr Read and Cllr Dallyn.
BPC/282/2026	Football Club lease: Discuss further amendments requested by Blisworth Football Club and agree next steps.
BPC/283/2026	Discuss West Northants Council fees for future uncontested elections and agree next steps.
BPC/284/2026	Gateway Update: Update from Cllr Wilson.
BPC/285/2026	Village Maintenance & Open Spaces: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Play area: Monthly safety inspection report: Update from Cllr Wilson. b. Defibrillators: Confirmation of satisfactory checks and any issues. Update from Cllr Read. c. Allotments (Blisworth Parish Council Allotments, off Courteenhall Road). Update from Cllr Ingram and Cllr Read. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Review Allotment annual rents 2026-2027 and agree next steps. ii. Review fees for annual National Allotment Society and agree next steps. iii. Review Allotment Tenancy Agreement 2026-2027 and agree next steps. d. Closed Cemetery: Update from Cllr Billing. e. Street lighting: Update from Cllr Chandler. f. Discuss proposed adoption of BT phone box (High Street, Blisworth) and agree next steps. g. Review costs for installation of noticeboard at Buttmead and agree next steps.
BPC/286/2026	Strategic Plan Projects: To discuss projects progress reports from all Councillors and agree next steps.
BPC/287/2026	Discuss Urban Mowing Contract with West Northants Council for 2026 and agree next steps.
BPC/288/2026	Discuss Asset Register Health and Safety checklist and agree next steps.
BPC/289/2026	Discuss Blisworth Parish Council deeds and agree next steps.
BPC/290/2026	Discuss plans for Annual Parish Meeting of Blisworth residents and agree next steps.
BPC/291/2026	Internal Control: Financial & Management Risk Assessment: To receive declarations of gifts/hospitality and review record of gifts/hospitality received by Councillors or the Clerk to date.
BPC/292/2026	Review amendments for draft IT and Communication Policy and agree next steps.
BPC/293/2026	Review amendments for draft BPC Internal Controls Checklist and agree next steps.
BPC/294/2026	Finance & Administration Banking Issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Bank reconciliation. b. To note receipts and approve payments including any others that arrive after publication of the agenda.
BPC/295/2026	Councillors' reports and items for future agenda.
BPC/296/2026	Council Surgery – Resolve to agree on a representative(s) from the Council for the next Council Surgery.
BPC/297/2026	To agree the date of next meeting 13/04/2026 at 7.30pm.
BPC/298/2026	Close.

Signed:

Angela Billing, Clerk

Date: 24.02.2026