

DODDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

All members of the Council are hereby summoned to attend for the purposes of considering and resolving the business to be transacted at the meeting set out below. This meeting is open to the public and press. *R Wilkin* Proper Officer to Doddington Parish Council 5th June 2025.

THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE HELD IN THE CHURCH ROOMS,
NEW STREET ON WEDNESDAY 11th JUNE 2025 at 7.00pm

AGENDA

1. Open Forum and an opportunity to meet our new County Councillor
2. Apologies of absence
3. Declaration of Interest. If any Councillor needs to declare an interest in any item on the agenda, would they please now do so.
4. Minutes of the meeting held on the 14th May 2025 (copy attached)
5. Election of Committees and Prime Responsibilities:

Planning	Flag
Street Lighting	Village Clock
Abbey Recreation Field & Pavilion	Website & Facebook Page
Skate Park & Outside Gym	MVAS Systems
Village Maintenance	Defibrillators
Benwick Road Cemetery	Risk Assessment
Public Noticeboards	
6. Election of representatives on other bodies:

Burnthouse Wind Farm Fund
Ransonmoor Wind Farm Fund
Eleemosynary Charity of Nicholas Spencer
Doddington Neighbourhood Plan Group
Fens Reservoir Liaison Group
Community Living Room Group
7. Matters arising from previous minutes:
 - a) Community Living Room – update
 - b) Annual Parish Assembly
 - c) Training
 - d) Pride in Fenland Awards 2025, nominations made
8. Police Matters:
9. Fenland DC, CCC and other external organisations:
 - a) Reports from representatives

10. Highway Issues:

- a) Items involving trees, hedges, pot holes etc
- b) MVAS statistics
- c) Road Closure Order – Newgate Street – update on timing
- d) 2025/26 LHI. Update on our submission

11. Fens Reservoir Project:

- a) Project update from the Reservoir Team including our meeting with them on 19th May 2025
- b) To consider joining a joint working party with local Parish Councils

12. Planning:

- a) New planning applications:
 - i. F/YR25/0406/VOC Variation of conditions 5 (highway improvement works), 6 (access track), 7 (soft landscaping), and 10 (refuse collection strategy) of planning permission F/YR23/0070/O (erect up to 5 x dwellings including highway works (outline application with all matters reserved) including demolition of stables and hay store). To allow reserved matters applications to be separated by plots and access road at land east of The Hollies Hospital Road Doddington.
 - ii. F/YR25/0407/F Erect a first-floor extension to front of existing dwelling at 28 Cedar Ave Doddington
 - iii. F/YR25/0415/TRCA Works to 6 x Yew trees and 1 x Holly tree within a conservation area at 9C Benwick Road Doddington.
 - iv. F/YR25/0423/RM Reserved Matters application relating to detailed matters of appearance, landscaping and scale (plots 2, 3 & 4 only) (3 x dwellings) pursuant to variation of condition 16 (list of approved plans), relating to planning approval F/YR23/0539/O (Erect up to 4 x dwellings (outline application with matters committed in respect of access and layout), involving the demolition of existing dwelling and storage buildings) relating to changes to layout of plots 2, 3 & 4, roadway and trees at 32 Wimblington Road Doddington
 - v. F/YR25/0424/F Erect a commercial building and parking area with 2m high (max) boundary fence involving demolition of existing building on land south of The Quadrant Primrose Hill Doddington
- b) Planning Monitoring Report
- c) FDC Local Plan – update
- d) Doddington Neighbourhood Plan – update

13. Abbey Recreation Ground:

- a) Ground maintenance
- b) Tree survey and the possible use of Community Payback help
- c) To consider installing additional equipment on the site

14. Benwick Road Cemetery:

- a) To consider whether our current charges should be increased in line with Wimblington Parish Council

15. Street Lighting:
16. Village Maintenance:
 - a) Update on a new bus shelter in Benwick Road
 - b) Update on the installation of a red telephone box as a book swap near the flagpole
17. Website and Communications:
 - a) To report on the redacting of information on the website
18. Financial Matters:
 - a) Invoices for payment
19. Correspondence:
 - a) Loan of the Bier to March and District Museum
 - b) To consider whether a flag should be purchased for VJ Day on 15th August
20. Any Other Business: