HENSHAW PARISH COUNCIL

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Notice is hereby given that the next meeting of the Henshaw Parish Council will be on Monday 27 July 2026 at 7.00pm in the Bardon Mill and Henshaw Village Hall. All welcome.

AGENDA

1. **Introduction and Welcome**
2. **Apologies for Absence**
3. **Declarations of Interest**

Members are asked to declare personal and/or prejudicial interests relating to items on the agenda.

4. **Public Participation and Questions**

Residents are invited to attend and give their views and question the Parish Council on issues on this agenda or raise issues for future consideration. Alternatively, they can ask any Councillor or the Clerk to raise a question on their behalf by contacting them prior to the meeting. The time allotted for this item is at the discretion of the Chairman. Members of the public are welcome to stay after this item but may not take part in the Parish Council meeting itself. Note: Any matters raised which are not specified on the agenda cannot result in a decision but can be taken forward as an item on a future agenda.

5. **Minutes of the Meeting held on 22 June 2026**

To consider and approve the draft Minutes. Ongoing matters/actions are included on the Agenda.

6. **General Amenities** To discuss any issues and provide any updates relating to:
   - 6.1 Footpaths.
   - 6.2 Seating.
   - 6.3 Street Lighting.
   - 6.4 Verge Maintenance.
   - 6.5 Litter Bins.
   - 6.6 Dog Bag Dispensers.
7. **Village Greens**
   - 7.1 Repairs to Access Road at Henshaw Village Green.
   - 7.2 Village Green Update.
   - 7.3 Tree Survey Follow Up Work.
   - 7.4 Library Cabinet (Bardon Mill Village Green).
   - 7.5 Christmas Lights (Bardon Mill Village Green).
8. **Planning Applications and Issues**
   - 8.1 Update on Planning Matters.
9. **Transport and Highway Matters**
   - 9.1 A69 Update.
   - 9.2 Bardon Mill Station.
   - 9.3 Road Maintenance and Potholes.

10. Redburn Park

10.1 RoSPA Report.
10.2 Monthly Inspections.
10.3 Woodland Improvement Scheme.
10.4 Memorial Seat.

11. Bardon Mill & Henshaw Village Hall

11.1 Lease to Village Hall Project Group.
11.2 Update on activities and events.

12. Northumberland National Park

12.1 Updates on developments and discussion of issues.

13. Henshaw School

13.1 Update on issues and events at the school.

14. Report by Clerk on Financial Matters

14.1 Bank balances and budget.
14.2 Expenditure and Income to Approve/Note.
14.3 Capital Programme.
14.4 Online Banking.

15. Northumberland County Council Councillor Update

15.1 Update by County Councillor A. Sharp.

16. General Matters and Correspondence since last meeting

16.1 Update by Clerk.
16.2 Review of Clerks Contract.
16.3 Website and Email.
16.4 Community Governance Review – Proposed Boundary Change

17. Items to be included on next Agenda

18. Date and time of next meeting is 28 September (no meeting in August) and then remainder of the year, 26 October, and 23 November. (All Mondays at 7pm).

M. A. Smith

Michael Anthony Smith (Clerk)