

**MINUTES OF NOLTON AND ROCH COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING**  
**HELD AT VICTORIA HALL ROCH**

**11 May 2026**

**Members present**

A. Peach (Acting Chair), M. Canton, J. Gale, J. Hancock, M. Hammond and T. Jones.  
Clerk and County Councillor – N. Neumann.

2321 Chairman's welcome and opening remarks

A. Peach welcomed all members to the meeting.

2322 Apologies

M. Harries.

2323 Declaration of interest

A. Peach declared an interest pertaining to Foot / cycle path around dangerous bend in Roch.

2324 Minutes of the previous meetings dated 13 April 2026

Proposer J. Gale and seconded by M. Canton.

A. Peach signed minutes as true record.

2325 Members matters

The clerk confirmed he had received a letter of resignation from A. Jones on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2026 conveying her wishes to stepdown as a member of Nolton and Roch Community Council with immediate effect. Members expressed their thanks to A. Jones for her noteworthy contribution over the past 9 years; her commitment, humour and calmness have been appreciated by all. The clerk agreed to respond to A. Jones with a letter of thanks, and to notify PCC and initiate the recruitment process.

- Action: Clerk to follow-up.

2326 Clerk's report on matters arising

- **Nolton and Roch Community Land Trust (CLT)** – No update provided on this occasion.
- **Updates from the Victoria Hall / Nolton Village Hall and Reading Room**
  - Nolton Village Hall: M. Canton confirmed no update on this occasion.
  - Victoria Hall: No update on this occasion due to M. Harries absent.
- **Public toilet provisions at Nolton Haven** – M. Canton updated members on operational matters which in summary were positive with consistent level of donations received. No issues identified. The clerk confirmed the external painting had now been completed and members thanked the clerk for his efforts in painting the building. No responses from Dwr Cymru re electrical supply or PCNPA re grant funding have been received – Clerk to chase.
  - Action: Clerk to follow-up.
- **Foot / cycle path around dangerous bend in Roch** – A. Peach confirmed there was no further update. The clerk agreed to contact PCC highways team to seek update.
  - Action: Clerk / A. Peach to follow-up.
- **Nolton Haven beachfront matters** – M. Canton confirmed no issues currently.
  - Action: Clerk to follow-up.

- **Village footpath and signage for Roch to Newgale new footpath** – The clerk confirmed there was no further update.
  - Action: Clerk to follow-up.
- **Sand Castle Competition at Nolton Haven** – M. Canton proposed this item is deferred to the next meeting with a view this event should be carried out in August.
  - Action: Deferred to next meeting.
- **Roch wildflower meadow strip(s)** – The clerk confirmed a full response and invitation was sent to EcoDewi's POC following the April meeting and as yet no reply has been received or invitation accepted.
  - Action: Clerk to monitor.
- **Church Road rocks on edge of highway** – A. Peach suggested the situation should be monitored going forward and if further concerns raised, the matter should be raised to PCC highways.
- **NRCC website and addition of local directory** – The clerk confirmed that an extra page can be added to the existing website at no extra cost. There was discussed regarding which organisations, points of contact and places should be included, and the clerk agreed to action the required work.
  - Action: Clerk to follow-up.

2327 Planning

- No planning applications/proposals received since April 2026 meeting.

2328 Finance and Legal Matters

- The clerk confirmed the Annual Audit Findings Report had not been received from the internal auditors as yet therefore this agenda item would be deferred to June meeting.
- The clerk updated the councillors on the state of finances and bank account balances.
- Expenditure requests: Paint and consumables for Nolton Toilets (£130.00), Stephen Hancock Concrete Products (£27.60) and ICO (£47.00).
- Requests for donations FY 26/27 – None.
- Assertion 10 Governance and Compliance – The clerk confirmed the new email box for the clerk had been setup and is now operational.

2329 Correspondence

- Senedd 2026 election: Statement of Parties and Other Persons Nominated
- Launch of the One Voice Wales Civility and Respect Pledge
- The Voice - Issue 2
- Appointment of Community Council Member of the Standards Committee

2330 Meetings attended by Councillors / forthcoming meetings

- Code of conduct training carried out on 20th April 2026.

2331 Other items

- None.

