

Halse Parish Council

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HALSE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA Wednesday 8th April 2026

Members of the public and press are entitled to be at the following meeting in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meeting Act 1960 Section 1) unless the Parish Council by resolution enters confidential session, when the public are excluded. Such entitlement to attend does not include the right to speak on any matter except at the commencement of the meeting given over specifically for that purpose.

To: All members of Halse Parish Council

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of Halse Parish Council of 8th April 2026 at 6:30 pm to be held at Halse Village Hall Halse TA4 3AH

Yours faithfully

C A Windeatt

Clerk to the Council

Questions and comments from members of the public (limited to 20 minutes in total)

This provides an opportunity for members of the public (who are not usually permitted to speak during the meeting except by special invitation of the Chair) to participate before the start of the meeting by asking questions, raising concerns or making comments on matters affecting Halse Parish. No decision can be taken during this session, but the Chair may decide to refer any matter for consideration.

Reports from Council Councillors

The County Councillors are invited to give a short oral or written reports on matters affecting Halse Parish.

1. Apologies

Members will be expected to provide reasons for absence. Members are reminded that absence for six consecutive meetings without approval could lead to disqualification.

2. Declarations of Interest

The Code of Conduct requires that Members disclose interests of a personal, prejudicial and pecuniary nature that may be pertinent to tonight's business. A prejudicial or pecuniary interest

will require the member to leave the room during the discussion of the relevant item. In cases of uncertainty members are recommended to consult the Clerk.

3. Approval of Minutes

To approve the minutes of the previous meeting. The minutes of the meeting held on 28th January 2026 will have been previously circulated.

4. Actions from previous meetings

5. Finance

5.1 Schedule of payments – to approve list of payments made and payable since the last meeting

5.2 Draft year end accounts to 31st March 2026

6. EV Charging Units

Update on installation of new EV charging units

7. Roads and Footpaths

7.1 Highways report

7.2 Footpaths report

8. Planning

Report on planning and related matters

9. Clerk's Report

9.1 New Halse Parish Council website – update

9.2 Review Risk Assessment prior to renewing Public Liability Insurance

9.3 Annual Governance Statement 2026

9.4 Set date for the Annual Meeting

10. Matters of Report

10.1 Halse Village Hall report

10.2 Police report

10.3 Other

11. Date of meetings for 2026/27 financial year