# Longhirst Parish Council

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## NOTICE OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

I hereby give notice that a meeting of the above-named parish council will be held at Longhirst Village Hall, Longhirst, Morpeth NE61 3LX, commencing at 7p.m. on **Thursday, 3rd September 2026**

All members of the Parish Council are summoned to attend for the purpose of considering and resolving the business to be transacted at the meeting as set out hereunder. Background documents which are referred to in the agenda or were circulated in preparation for the meeting are published as part of the agenda.

Barry Flux
Clerk to the Council

## PUBLIC SPEAKING

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A PUBLIC FORUM (10 minutes)

At the invitation of the Chair, members of the public are invited to: (a) make representations; (b) ask questions; (c) give evidence relating to the business to be transacted. For more detail see the Public Participation at Meetings policy.

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## Agenda

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| 1 | **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**<br>To receive any apologies for absence and approve reasons for non-attendance. |
| 2 | **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**<br>To receive any declarations of interest which a member has in matters included on the agenda, which others might reasonably consider to influence his or her actions. |
| 3 | **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS**<br>To approve as a correct record and authorise the signing of the minutes of the previous parish council meeting held on Thursday 2nd July 2026. |
| 4 | **CLERK'S REPORT**<br>• Updated declarations of interest (Clerk to bring forms) |

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| | • Financial Report<br>• Policies update<br>• 2026 Local Government Pay Settlement<br>• Joint Town and Parish Council Conference (Thursday 8th October 2026) |
| 5 | **PLANNING**<br><br>• **26/00498/COU Fairwinds, Ulgham Lane, Longhirst, Northumberland, NE61 3NE**<br>To note this was approved<br><br>• **26/02938/DISCON Land At North Of Middle Moor Farm Middle Moor Farm Drive Longhirst Northumberland**<br>Discharge of Conditions 1 (Biodiversity Net Gain) and 8 (Ground Gas Monitoring) of approved application 25/04581/FUL<br><br>• **26/02858/FUL The Crossing House, Ulgham Lane, Longhirst, Northumberland NE61 3NF**<br>Timber built L-shaped stable-block comprising of three boxes (1 main stable, 1 equipment/tack room, 1 feed/bedding store) with concrete base, area of hard-standing and fencing. (New submission) |
| 6 | **GENERAL ITEMS**<br>• Land in front of village hall (chippings)<br>• Poppy Wreath procurement.<br>• Christmas lights<br>• Church yard & donation<br>• Path clearance<br>• Potland Park |
| 7 | **AOB** |
| 8 | **ITEMS FOR THE NOVEMBER MEETING** |
| 9 | **NEXT MEETING**<br>To confirm the date and time of the next meeting as Thursday 5 November 2026 starting at 7pm to be held at Longhirst Colliery Hall |
| **EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC:** The Council may at any point pass a resolution that under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the public and the press shall be excluded from the meeting during consideration of any item of business if publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest due to the confidential nature of the business to be transacted, e.g. employment matters; terms of commercial tenders and negotiations for contracts; and legal proceedings preparation or advice. | |