



**Minutes of the Full Council meeting
held on Monday, 27 April 2026 at 19:30
held in Kings Worthy Community Centre, Fraser Road**

Attendees

Councillors Luke Ainscough, Colin Cossburn, Ray Elliott, Ian Gordon, Dorry Lawlor, Tim Paget, Charlotte Smith & Mark Sullivan

Clerk(s)

Parish Clerk (Christopher Read)

Apologies

Councillor Signe Biddle (the council resolved to approve Cllr Biddle's reason for absence).
Councillor Emily Fish (the council resolved to approve Cllr Fish's reason for absence).
Councillor Mandy Hallisey (the council resolved to approve Cllr Hallisey's reason for absence).
Councillor Phillip Horne (the council resolved to approve Cllr Hornes's reason for absence).

County & City Councillor(s)

None.

Members of the public

None.

PC/26/079 – Public Question Time [Please note that this is the only time that the public are able to speak and is limited to 5 minutes per subject]

None.

PC/26/080 – To receive reports from City & County Councillors and Parish Councillors following external meetings

None.

PC/26/081 – To agree and sign the Minutes of the meeting held on 18 March 2026

The minutes were unanimously agreed, by show of hands, as a true record of the meeting and signed by the Chair.

PC/26/082 – Matters arising from the meeting held on 18 March 2026

None.

PC/26/083 – To agree and sign the Minutes of the Meeting held on 30 March 2026

The minutes were unanimously agreed, by show of hands, as a true record of the meeting and signed by the Chair.

PC/26/084 – Matters arising from the meeting held on 30 March 2026

None.

PC/26/085 – To receive the minutes of the committees:

- Recreation & Amenities Committee – 09 April 2026 – A copy of the minutes had been published and circulated to all Councillors.

Review of Parish Council maintenance services – After discussion it was unanimously agreed for Cllr Cossburn to review the outstanding tasks with the current contractor.

Action - Clerks will discuss potential out of hours provision with local contractor, Infinity Playgrounds.

- Planning & Highways Committee – 24 March 2026 – A copy of the minutes had been published and circulated to all Councillors.

PC/26/086 – Lovedon Fields – Update on the allotments including Lovedon Fields site and potential provision of additional allotments - including the pre-application for a potential additional site.

Cllr Cossburn gave an update on the existing site and noted that the water meter has now been installed.

Potential additional site -

It was agreed to submit a pre-application for site at a total cost of £612.50+VAT to be shared 50/50 with the scouts.

It was unanimously agreed for the Clerk & Cllr Cossburn to negotiate with the sellers agents on the site.

Transfer costs will be approximately £1,500.00 per purchaser (with Wellers Law Group). They can handle transfer for both parties thus cost may be less if combined into one case file.

PC/26/087 – To review and approve the Council's Standing Orders

Defer to next meeting.

PC/26/088 – To approve the opening of an additional reserve account

It was unanimously agreed, by show of hands, to open a new reserve account with United Trust Bank.

PC/26/089 – To approve the sale of two shared ownership properties from within the parish

Following careful consideration, it was unanimously agreed to ratify the sale of two shared ownership properties within the village.

PC/26/090 – Provision of potential additional allotments within the Parish including pre-application for potential additional site.

See above.

PC/26/091 – Potential volunteer projects for Ridge & Partners LLP

- Repainting of the Burial grounds gate and benches
- Re-treating benches at Eversley Park

PC/26/092 – Arrangements for the Annual Parish Meeting

It was unanimously agreed for the meeting to start at 19:30.

PC/26/093 – Potential additional lighting at Eversley Park Recreation Ground and surrounding alleyways

Action – Liaise with Hampshire County Council to see they can fund this.

PC/26/094 – Plastic flowerpot recycling scheme for Parishioners

Scheme will run between 9th – 30th May at Broadview and in Hookpit Farm Lane

PC/26/095 – Council communications

Dog fouling (newsletter).

Committee reports (newsletter).

PC/26/096 – Update on Councillor training courses (including cyber security and data training)

Clerk to liaise with provider regarding log in issues.

PC/26/097 – Potential Parish civil emergency plan

CLlr Cossburn confirmed that the current plan is being reviewed but will not include the ramifications of war.

PC/26/098 – Clerk's Notices

None.

PC/26/099 – Chairman's Notices

None.

PC/26/100 – Items for discussion at the next meeting on 18 May 2026 (Annual meeting of the Council)

Litter Pick

Popham planning applications.

Meeting Closed at 21:14.

Signed:

Date: