

Deene and Deenethorpe Parish Council

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Chairman: Hannah Chambers

Notice for Council Members:

You are hereby summoned to attend the Ordinary Meeting of Deene and Deenethorpe Parish Council in the Village Hall on Thursday 30th July 2026 at 7:00pm for the purpose of transacting the following business. Members of the Public and Press are welcome to attend.

AGENDA

30.07.154	Welcome
30.07.155	To consider requests for dispensation from members of the Council
30.07.156	To receive Councillor declarations of interest for items on the agenda
30.07.157	Public Open Forum In terms of paragraphs 3d to 3k of our Standing Orders (available on the Council's website), a member of the public is entitled to speak only once on agenda items, for no longer than 3 minutes. The total period of time for public participation, which is at the Chairman's discretion, shall not exceed 10 minutes.
30.07.158	North Northamptonshire Councillor Updates To receive an update from Cllr E McDonald and Cllr B O'Brien.
30.07.159	To approve apologies for absence
30.07.160	To approve the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 26 th May 2026
30.07.161	Finance • To review and approve the payments listed in Addendum A • To review bank access • VAT Refund • Bank Balances
30.07.162	To set meeting dates for 2026-27 municipal year. - September 2026 - November 2026 - January 2027
30.07.163	Planning matters The council may consider planning applications not included on the agenda but advised by North Northamptonshire Council and available on its website between the publication of an agenda and the meeting to which it pertains. (Such planning applications that arrive after the preparation of this agenda and which are considered at the meeting. Existing / Open Applications:

	26/01099/FUL – Full planning permission for installation and operation of a 1.4MW Ground mounted solar PV at Horizon Centre, Gretton Road, Deene, NN17 3AS New Application: 25/01907/REM – Follow up planning application submitted with Environment Statement. KP4 landscaped areas Play area, woodland walk, grass amphitheatre. Priors Hall Park (14th August Deadline).
30.07.164	Local Plan 2026 • Cllr Simon Fairhall kindly drew our attention to the local plan • Two significant housing developments proposed (Kirby and Weldon) • 2nd Stage Community Governance Review. Consultation stage and call for sites in October – could be more developments proposed • CGR Update
30.07.165	Ground Rules Festival • parishioner feedback on the Ground Rules Festival • Complaints received • Wash up Meeting with festival organisers • Collate constructive feedback
30.07.166	Highways and Village Maintenance • Yew Tree Deenethorpe – responsibility. Parishioner raised concerns it needs delimbing. Highways? • Deene Village speeding reported by residents – VAS unit currently in situ n Deene, has been moved locations within village • Highways Walkabout 17th August 11am onwards – who is available?
30.07.167	Parish Council to take on more responsibilities individually (volunteers!) - Police Fire and Crime commissioner meetings / Police Liaison Representative - Defib Lead - Northants CALC representative - Speed Limit Signs – monitoring, Charging and relocating - Maintaining and update the notice board - Local Plan - Planning - Local Link Newsletters - CAN champions Focus Meeting – Nature Recovery Focus Meeting 20.08.26
30.07.168	Councillor Emails - We changed emails in February 2025. Who has not logged into Zoho.
30.07.169	Official reports or correspondence received as previously circulated: • eUpdates from NCALC (Northampton's County Association of Local Councils) • Newsletters from Leader of NNC 1) NNC Events / Information Sessions
30.07.170	Councillor Training - Has anyone looked at the NCALC training on offer? - Off to a flying start
30.07.171	Parishioner Correspondence To respond to Deenethorpe resident in relation to a proposed planning application
30.07.172	Rural Grant

	Update on current situation – end of August deadline extension to use £10,000 Grant
30.07.173	Tresham Garden Village Update from Cllr Hickling
30.07.174	Clerk Replacement - New Clerk position interviews took place last week. New clerk appointed and starting 10.08.26 - To discuss the clerk having a contract - To discuss roles and responsibilities
30.07.175	Clerk Laptop To discuss and agree purchasing a new laptop for the Clerk position
30.07.176	Date Of Next Meeting The next meeting of the Parish Council will be agreed at this meeting.

Signed by:
Clerk/Responsible Financial Officer
Deene and Deenethorpe Parish Council

Issued on 27.07.26

Appendix A

PAYE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Joe Roberts	June Clerk Salary	338.10
NCALC	Balance of Training invoice	0.60
NCALC	Membership fee, Internal Audit	532.64
Deene and Deenethorpe Village Hall Hire	January 25 – December 25	125.00
DIRECT 365	Overdue account Dog Waste Bins	7.20