



NASSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL



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You are hereby invited to attend the meeting of Nassington Parish Council on **Wednesday 14th January 2026, at 7.00pm**, at Nassington Village Hall, Church St, Nassington for the purpose of transacting the following business:

Sarah Rodger

Sarah Rodger, Clerk to the Council

Date: 9 January 2026

You are reminded that it is unlawful to make decisions at the meeting re matters not specified on this agenda

AGENDA

Background papers and information can be accessed by clicking the [hyperlinks](#)

- 1. To note attendance and receive apologies for absence**
- 2. To receive declarations of interest and/or application for a [dispensation](#) on items for discussion on this agenda. Code of conduct extract can be found [here](#)**
- 3. To approve [Minutes](#) of the Meeting(s) held in November 2025 as previously circulated.**

Consider Resolution: To confirm the veracity of the minutes of the previous parish council meeting,

- 4. Questions or address from members of the public:**

Guidelines for public participation are available at www.nassington-pc.gov.uk . No decisions or representation can be made regarding matters about which the parish council has not previously been fully apprised.

Parish Council meetings are not public meetings – they are meetings held in public. MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE NOT PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING after the above agenda item without prior invitation from the chairman. Anyone is welcome to stay for the entire meeting and observe but cannot take part without invitation from the chairman.

- 5. Opportunity to consider co-option of new members of the parish council following shortfall in persons nominated for election:**

Receive proposals of persons interested in becoming member of the council and consider resolution to co-opt them to the parish council. Note: Only persons who have completed an [application to join the council and](#) submitted to the clerk in advance of the meeting will be considered. The applicant(s) will be asked to absent themselves from the meeting while the council deliberates. Co-option policy can be viewed [HERE](#). Co-opted members will be allowed to join the meeting but cannot participate in voting as due process will not have been followed.

- 6. Planning and licencing applications:**

To consider and resolve the council's response to planning applications listed below plus any other planning applications advised by North Northamptonshire Council and available [on its website](#) between the circulation of this agenda and the meeting to which it pertains. (Such planning applications which arrive after the preparation of this agenda that are considered at the meeting, may be subject to review at a later stage). Click on underlined hyperlinks to view: (members should acquaint themselves with the details of the application prior to the meeting – any problems with doing so should be addressed to the clerk). Only [MATERIAL PLANNING CONSIDERATIONS](#) should be considered:

- a) [25/01925/HFUL](#) | Garage conversion to studio, external alterations. | 1 Fotheringhay Road Nassington PE8 6QU
 - b) [25/01378/TPO](#) | T1/T2; Maple - Crown thin by 30%. | 4 Prebendal Close Nassington PE8 6SBU
 - c) Consider financial contribution towards legal costs of **NE/22/00266/FUL –judicial review process**
- 7. Planning and Development policies:**
- a) **Neighbourhood plan:**
 - b) **Heat Nassington:** Update
- 8. Governance:**
- a) Budget: Consideration of draft budget and opportunity for amendments and additions. Agree draft budget
 - b) Agree precept demand for 2026/27 financial year
 - c) Signing of papers to nominate all members as internet users and signatories to the Unity Trust Bank account.
 - d) Opportunity to clarify interests, register of interests, code of conduct and potential more judicious approach to dispensation process.
 - e) To consider the implications of the Community Governance Review and agree on the council's approach to engagement and whether a review of the parish council arrangements should be submitted for consideration under the current [community governance review](#).
 - f) Land registry update: Confirmation of change of address to PO Box address, for information.
- 9. Community / Projects:**
- a) **Village Hall:** Opportunity for update if available
 - b) **Black Horse Pub:** Update if available
 - c) **Trees:** Receive [details of email offer](#) and consider potential requirements.
 - d) **Christmas 2026:** Consider procurement of new decorations and lights. Consider permanent Christmas tree.
 - e) **Community safety:** Note: PLR [update](#); [crime prevention in a box](#) (applied for)
- 10. Playing field**
- a) Monthly inspection update
 - b) Cricket club – update if available
- 11. Maintenance and Services:**
- a) **Street lighting** – consider quotes received for street light repair and agree next steps.
 - b) **Highways [Briefing](#)** – consider attendance
- 12. Financial matters:**
- a) **Approve invoices** / accounts for payment or paid under delegated authority: [HERE](#) and note income.
 - b) Receive and approve [accounts](#) to end of previous month to date:
- 13. Receive Official announcements, notices or reports / Correspondence / representations of note:**
- a) **Northants NHFT youth work outreach:** [Email received](#) Consider ideas and way to take forward
 - b) **Request for [support](#).**
- 14. Agree Newsletter / Social Media / community communications.**
- 15. Matters to note** – not for decision. Future agenda items / matters to be carried forward –
Reminders to the clerk regarding previous resolutions can be noted. The nature of future agenda items can be openly discussed at this point, but no binding decisions can be made.
Proposals for new matters for future consideration should have regard to the [member's proposal form](#)