



Priddy Parish Council

SUMMONS: Public notice is hereby given that Priddy Parish Council (PPC), Council meeting, to which members are summoned to attend, will be held at Priddy Village Hall on Wednesday 11th 2026 at 7:00pm. Sent from the clerk's office contact parish.clerk@priddyparish.gov.uk

Agenda

for the Priddy Parish Council meeting

to be held on 11th February 2026 at 7pm at Priddy Village Hall

Public Forum: Meeting to be adjourned for a maximum of 15 minutes for members of the public to bring their concerns. Please note that, unless the concern is within the agenda below, Council will not be able to resolve any issue until the following Full Council.

130	Apologies for absence:	ALL
131	Declarations of interest:	ALL
132	Exclusion of public and press <i>from any agenda item under Standing Order 3d), due to the confidential consideration of asset purchase and 26/27 budget approval - ref to 143/e</i>	Chair
133	Adjournment of meeting for public forum:	ALL
134	Chairs Announcement including resignation of Councillor Chris Dyke:	Chair
135	Minutes of previous meeting(s):	ALL
136	P1 Governance (GOV) report	
	a) Portfolio groups update:	All
	b) Parish clerk update:	SB
	c) Policy review: village greens policy:	RT
	d) Parish archives to Somerset Heritage Centre:	RT
	e) LCN matters:	RT
	f) Councillor training:	All
	g) Serious crime concerns of local parishioner's/farmers:	RT/All/SB
	h) Resignation of Councillor – PPC casual vacancy/advertisement of & application process:	All
137	P2 Built Environment Group applications & group (BEG) report	ALL
	a) Planning Applications <i>Object / support / comment / material considerations: Consideration of planning applications including any arising before the meeting NB Levelling-Up and Regeneration Act 2023: duty to seek to 'further' the statutory purposes of Mendip Hills NL Protected Landscape. Special qualities list circulated.</i>	
	<u>None received as off 30/01/26</u>	
	b) Parish plan:	RT/CD/MD/BS
	c) <u>Topics:</u>	
	i) Village Hall energy efficiency survey:	JC
	ii) Community Council for Somerset affordable housing needs (Thrive):	MD
	iii) Issues on construction in field on the Wells Road:	BS
	iv) Issues raised regarding Hastoe Housing/Reeves Paddock:	RT/MD
138	P3 Assets and maintenance group (AMG) report:	
	a) Annual inspection for asset register:	DC/MD / ALL
	b) <u>Topics:</u>	
	i) Fountain:	DC
	ii) Hobb's bench:	SB
	iii) Greens maintenance:	SB/DC
	iv) Vegetation growth damaging the Causeway:	MD/DC/JC
	v) Requests for new memorial bench – Development of Draft policy:	BS/All
	vi) Update on Hunters Lodge defibrillator:	SB

139	P4 Large infrastructure Playground project group (LIG_PG) report):	
	<u>Topics:</u>	
	i) grants (awards for all):	VB
	ii) community engagement:	VB
	iii) landowner approaches:	VB
140	P5 Parish IT & Communications group COM) report	
	<u>a) Topics:</u>	
	i) website / social media / Pew /ZOHO mail:	BS/VB/SB
	ii) Frequency of events / festivals/ Concerns:	BS/DC
141	P6 Environment (green) working group (EWG):	
	<u>a) Topics:</u>	
	i) Eastwater Drove:	JC/EWG
	ii) Mineries:	JC/EWG
	iii) Septic tanks scheme:	JC/EWG
	iv) Request by New House owners to excavate an electric cable under the lower Green:	ALL
	v) Village Green Tree matters:	JC/EWG
	vi) Village Green wall boundary:	JC/EWG
	vii) Priddy Pool excavation:	JC/EWG
	viii) Crescent wall proposal:	SB/JC/EWG
	ix) Proposal from Folk Festival committee to add permanent water and mains power supply to the lower green/including notice from Bristol Water:	RT/DC
142	P7 Highways Action Group (HAG) report:	
	a) Local Community Network (LCN) highways/active travel:	DC /RT
	<u>b) Topics:</u>	
	i) Speed Indicator Devices:	MD/DC
	ii) Village gateways plan:	MD/DC
	ii) Quiet lane initiative:	MD/DC
	iv) Proposal to install hedgehog road signs on approaches to village:	DC/RT/ALL
	v) Hunters Crossroads current accident rate:	DC/All
143	Finance: RFO report, budget & payments:	
	a) <u>Approval</u> of new payments:	ALL/RFO
	i) Request for £200 grant from Crime Stoppers.	
	ii) Clerk Office Supplies – printer Ink +/- £40.00	
	b) <u>Expected</u> payments made:	ALL/RFO
	i) To MD, re-imburement of Poster Printing costs for Thrive Survey - £24.00	
	ii) To Clerk, re-imburement of MS office subscription - £104.99	
	iii) Open Spaces Society Subscription - £45.00	
	iv) Parish Online Annual membership costs - £378.00	
	v) Payment IN from Magpie Auctions - £500.00	
	c) Internal auditor report:	RFO/ALL
	d) Rugby & Hinckley Savings account access:	MD/ALL/RFO
	<u>(note public exclusion) for 143/e</u>	
	e) Purchase of assets:	ALL
144	Matters of report:	All