

EPWELL PARISH COUNCIL

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To members of the Council:

You are hereby summoned to attend a Parish Council meeting on Monday 16th March 2026 at 8pm in Epwell Village Hall for the purpose of transacting the following business:-

AGENDA

- 26/12. To receive apologies for absence
- 26/13. To receive Declarations of Interest under the Council's Code of Conduct relating to business on the agenda (*Members should disclose any interests in the business to be discussed and are reminded that the disclosure of a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest will require that the member withdraws from the meeting room during the transaction of that item of business*)
- 26/14. To approve the minutes of the meetings of 10th November 2025 and 12th January 2026
- 26/15. Public participation session (Members of the public are invited to address the council. The session will last for a maximum of fifteen minutes with any individual contribution lasting a maximum of 3 minutes)
- 26/16. To discuss the play park, bringing it to a safe condition to reopen for the summer and agree working party dates
- 26/17. To receive an update on the Local Government Re-organisation (LGR) consultation
- 26/18. To discuss arrangements for the Annual Parish Meeting
- 26/19. To receive an update on the forthcoming Parish Council elections
- 26/20. Financial Report**
To receive a bank reconciliation
- To approve the following payments*
£554.16 To Parish Clerk (hours) and £138.60 to HMRC (tax)
£16.74 to Parish Clerk(mileage)
£228.00 to OALC (membership)
- 26/21. Village Matters**
- To agree the cost to purchase a post for the new defibrillator
 - To discuss a herb and plant sale for ERA
 - To discuss setting up a Neighbourhood Watch Scheme
 - To thank Cllr Rudge for organising International Women's Day
- 26/22. To discuss the following highway matters**
- Drainage issues and meeting Highways
 - Condition of verges
 - Damage to the road and kerb in Back Lane

26/23. To receive an update on planning

- 26/00177/CLUE, Certificate of Lawfulness of Existing use for land within the red line to be used as amenity land at Rectory Farmhouse, Back Lane.

To consider any other applications received before the meeting

26/24. To receive the following correspondence

- CDC, Mid Cherwell Neighbourhood Plan Extension of Consultation period
- CDC, Spring Clean 2026
- Cotswolds National Landscape, Change of address
- Highways, Road closure on Sibford Road 14th-16th April

26/25. To note next meeting date and time

Issued by: *C Coles* (Parish Clerk)

11.03.26

Please note, this is a public meeting and you may be filmed, recorded or published.