

Toft Parish Council

I hereby give notice that the 834th meeting of Toft Parish Council will be held on Monday 2 March 2026 in the People's Hall, Toft at 7.00 pm

The Public and Press are invited to be present. Members of the Public are welcome to attend and may speak under the Open Public Session only

All members of the Council are hereby summoned to attend for the purpose of considering and resolving upon the business to be transacted at the Meeting as set out hereunder

Ben Stoehr

Mr Ben Stoehr, Clerk, 25/02/26

AGENDA

Comments and observations from members of the public on items on this agenda only and reports from the District and County Councillors

- 1. Apologies for absence and declaration of interests**
 - 1.1 To receive written apologies and reasons for absence
 - 1.2 To receive declarations of interests from councillors on items on the agenda
 - 1.3 To receive written requests for dispensations and to grant any dispensations
- 2. To approve the minutes of the last meeting**
- 3. To consider any matters arising from the last or a previous meeting including**
 - 3.1 (3.1) Dogs in field notices – to consider quotation ^(EM, ED)
 - 3.2 (3.3) Disposal of Asset of Community Value – update ^(MY)
 - 3.3 (3.6) 20 mph application draft submission ^(ED)
 - 3.4 (3.9) Finding Fitness - update on any responses received if any and next steps ^(ST)
 - 3.5 (3.11) To consider Police speed van visit/fixed speed camera – update and to consider forming a Speedwatch group ^(ED)
 - 3.6 (7.8) Proposal for a new bin at the junction of Church Road and Comberton Road along with “No dog fouling” signs on lamp posts ^(ED)
 - 3.7 (7.0.9) MVAS data – update on repositioning ^(MY)
- 4. To consider correspondence received requiring the Council's attention**
 - 4.1 Local Government Reorganisation consultation
<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/local-government-reorganisation-in-cambridgeshire-and-peterborough>
- 5. Finance, Procedure and risk assessment and use of delegated powers**
 - 5.1 To consider the finance report and approve the payment of any bills
 - 5.2 To receive play inspection reports and consider any work required ^(MY)
 - 5.3 To consider any matter which is urgent because of risk or health and safety
 - 5.4 To consider the date of the May meeting
- 6. To consider any Planning or Tree works applications or related items received**
 - 6.1 Planning applications received – to be considered
 - 6.2 Planning applications for which a response has been made between meetings using delegated powers – to be noted
 - 6.3 SCDC planning decision notices and appeal notifications and applications for information only
 - 6.4 Tree works applications
 - 6.4.1 26/0088/TTCA – 6 Glebe Close
- 7. Members items and reports for information only unless otherwise stated**
 - 7.1 Village Maintenance ^(MY)
 - 7.2 Highways ^(ED)
 - 7.3 Toft People's Hall ^(ST)
 - 7.4 Footpaths ^(EM)
 - 7.5 Defibrillator report ^(ST)
 - 7.6 Birdlings liaison ^(AC)
 - 7.7 Lot Meadow ^(MY)
- 8. Closure of meeting**

Clerk report to Toft Parish Council meeting on 2 March 2026

2. To approve the minutes of the last meeting on 2 February – attached
3. Matters Arising

(3.5) SCDC have replied regarding the requested moving of the street light in School Lane:
“One of my colleagues is looking into this with a view to BT moving their pole, we are not intending to move the column.”
4. Correspondence
- 4.1 Local Government Reorganisation consultation
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5. Finance, Procedure and risk assessment and use of delegated powers
- 5.1 To consider the finance report and approve the payment of any bills
Attached
- 5.3 To consider any matter which is urgent because of risk or health and safety
None at the time of writing.
- 5.4 To consider the date of the May meeting and APM
The First and Annual meeting after the elections must be held within 14 days of Councillors taking office (4 days after the election i.e the 11 May 2026). the Parish Council would normally meet on the 2nd Monday in May (11th May) due to the bank holiday.
Does the Parish Council want to keep this date or move it to another date?
6. Planning Applications received

* NB Some planning applications may not be specifically listed on this agenda but may still be considered by the Parish Council due to the time constraints of making a recommendation to the District Council.

The planning portal for new applications can now be found at <https://applications.greatercambridgeplanning.org/>

The Parish Council may choose its own wording to show whether it agrees with an application or not and can now both support/approve or object/ refuse etc parts of the same application
The Parish Council should include material planning reasons why the Council take this stance via its comments.

The Parish Council *does/does not** request that the application be referred to the District Council Planning Committee *(please delete)
Material planning reasons:
Planning reasons:
- 6.1 Planning applications - to be considered
None at the time of writing.
- 6.2 Planning applications for which a response has been made between meetings using delegated powers – to be noted
None.
- 6.3 SCDC planning decision notices and appeal notifications and applications for information only
None at the time of writing.

6.4 Tree works

6.4.1 26/0088/TTCA – 6 Glebe Close.

7. Members items and reports for information only unless otherwise stated

8. Closure of meeting