

Notice of Kersey Parish Council meeting

Kersey Parish Councillors are summoned to attend an ordinary meeting of Kersey Parish Council on Monday 18 November 2024 at Kersey Village Hall at 7.30 pm.

Members of the public are welcome to attend this meeting and raise any issues or concerns in Parish Time. The Council, members of the public and press may record, film, photograph or broadcast this meeting when the public and press are not lawfully excluded.

Copies of Parish Council agendas, minutes and supporting documents are published on the Kersey website <https://www.kerseyparish.gov.uk/parish-council/meetings/>

COVID-19 safety – Please do not attend if you or a member of your household has COVID-19 symptoms.

Questions, comments or concerns can be submitted before a meeting to the Clerk or Councillors.



Sarah Partridge, Clerk to Kersey Parish Council. 13 November 2024

Agenda

1. Receive apologies for absence and consider approval of Councillor absence
2. Accept Members' Declarations of Interest & consider Dispensation requests for Pecuniary Interests
3. Confirm and sign the minutes of the previous meeting held on 2 September 2024
4. Public forum and reports
 - a. Suffolk County Councillor report - Robert Lindsay
 - b. Babergh District Councillor report - Leigh Jamieson
 - c. Parish Time – Parishioners' opportunity to raise matters and ask questions
5. Planning applications
 - a. Progress
 - b. Consider planning applications received:
 - DC/24/04730 Linton House, The Street, Kersey, Ipswich Suffolk IP7 6DY – Tree works
 - DC/24/04935 Row View, The Street, Kersey, Ipswich Suffolk IP7 6DY
6. Clerk's report
7. Correspondence
8. Finance
 - a. Note current bank balances and ratify expenditure
 - b. Review actual spending against budget
 - c. Confirm bank reconciliations have been completed and verified
 - d. Confirm the insurance has been renewed
 - e. Review and adopt new financial regulations
 - f. Approve recently published pay scale rates for the Clerk
9. Receive report from Internal Auditor
10. Footpath Working Group general report
11. KCPC Working Group general report
12. Report on progress with the Neighbourhood Priorities Statement
13. Consider broadband internet connectivity for Kersey
14. Consider mobile phone reception for Kersey
15. Consider the evolution of Kersey Good Neighbours
16. Agree dates for ordinary Parish Council meetings for 2025
17. Receive report from the Clerk's job appraisal and salary review
18. Budget and precept 2025/2026 – consider budget including income and reserves, set provisional precept and note powers used for budgeted spending
19. Agree content for newsletter articles Pride in our Parish and Community Organisation spotlight
20. Training

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21. Reports from other meetings
 - a. Police and Parish Forum
 - b. SALC Babergh Area Forum
22. Forthcoming meetings
 - a. Police and Parish Forum 18 Dec 7.30pm Stutton
 - b. SALC Babergh Area Forum 21 Nov 7pm virtual
23. Any other business – Councillors’ opportunity to bring matters to the Council’s attention

The date of the next scheduled Parish Council meeting is will be confirmed at this meeting.