



# Thurcroft Parish Council

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## Ordinary Meeting

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2025

### AGENDA

1. To receive and consider reasons for absence
2. To receive declarations of personal and pecuniary interest<sup>i</sup> for members and officers
3. To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests (if any)
4. To grant any requests for dispensation as appropriate
5. To receive and approve the minutes of the meetings held on **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2025**
6. To identify any agenda items which may be considered following the exclusion of the press and public, due to the confidential nature to be discussed. Under Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, S1 (2))
7. Public Participation Session 2025
8. To note the minutes for committee meetings held since the last ordinary meeting of the council
  - a) Finance and General Committee held on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2025
  - b) Recreation and Environment meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2025
9. To receive an update regarding investing in the CCLA
10. To discuss the closure schedule of the gates at Thurcroft Cemetery
11. To discuss new signs at the cemetery including cemetery rules and a keep of the grass sign
12. To discuss marking the Gordon Bennett car park once it's been resurfaced
13. To discuss changing the depth of the tarmac at the cemetery
14. To discuss quotes to replace the light bulbs on the games area at Thurcroft park
15. To discuss quotes for security lights to be installed at the back of the Gordon Bennett Memorial Hall
16. To discuss adding lights on the path through Thurcroft Rec
17. To receive an update on the current waste removal contract for the Gordon Bennett Memorial Hall and Thurcroft Cemetery
18. To receive an update on the memorial stone and the opening event
19. To receive an update on painting Thurcroft skate park
20. To discuss moving the hut on Thurcroft park
21. To receive the final audit from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025 and consider any further action.
22. To complete and approve section 1 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return (AGAR) and this to be signed by the clerk and chairman of the meeting
23. Following signing by the Responsible Finance Officer – to consider and approve the accounting statements of Thurcroft Parish Council relating to 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025. The chairman of the meeting to then sign section 2 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return (AGAR)



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24. To agree dates to be set to advertise the period during which the electors and interested persons may exercise rights relating to the Annual Accounts
25. To discuss Christmas closure 2025 at the Gordon Bennett Memorial Hall
26. To approve accounts for payment and note contractual payments made under the clerk delegation
27. To note expenditure outside of the meeting between the Clerk and the Chair in line with Financial Regulation 4.1
28. To receive and consider any grant applications received by the council
29. To receive an update regarding the Whitestone solar farm
30. To receive an update from the clerk (for information only)
31. To consider relevant planning applications as published on RMBC's weekly lists (March) along with any associated submissions received and any reports on previous planning applications/issues;
32. To notify the clerk of matters for inclusion on the agenda of the next meeting
33. To confirm the date and time of the next ordinary meeting of the council on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2025 at 6.30pm in the Council Chamber of the Gordon Bennett Memorial Hall

### Upcoming Meeting Schedule

June 26 <sup>th</sup>
July 31 <sup>st</sup>
September 25 <sup>th</sup>
October 30 <sup>th</sup>
November 27 <sup>th</sup>

<sup>i</sup> A Councillor is at risk of prosecution for committing criminal offences in s.34 of the 2011 Localism Act if they, without dispensation, participates or votes on a matter being considered in which they have a disclosable pecuniary interest (s.31(4) of the 2011 Act). Or written notification of such DPI has not already been given to the Monitoring Officer and the member does not provide written notification of the interest to the Monitoring Officer with 28 days of the meeting (ss.31(2) and (3) of the 2011 Act). Or they knowingly or recklessly provide false or misleading information about the above (s.34 (2) of the 2011 Act).