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## Thurcroft Parish Council

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**12<sup>th</sup> February 2026**

Dear Sir/Madam

You are summoned to attend the **Finance & General Committee** meeting of Thurcroft Parish Council to be held **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2026 at 6.30pm** in the **Council Chamber** of Gordon Bennett Memorial Hall, Thurcroft, S66 9DD.

**This meeting is open to the public by virtue of the Public Bodies (Administration to Meetings) Act 1960 S1.**

Yours faithfully

*S. Wilkinson*

Sarah Wilkinson

Clerk and Responsible Finance Officer

**Apologies for absence should be notified to the Clerk prior to the meeting.**

### **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Following completion of the first business, the Parish Council will invite members of the public to put questions on relevant Parish matters or to make statements appertaining to items on the agenda for the meeting, prior to the commencement of other business.

This is for a period of up to 15 minutes.



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## Finance & General Committee Meeting

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2026

### AGENDA

1. To receive and note reasons for absence
2. To receive declarations of personal and pecuniary interest<sup>1</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 meeting held on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2026**
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
8. Training and Development;
  - a. To discuss any training and development for councilors and employees and consider any further action
  - b. To discuss hours and time for the clerk to complete the CILCA
9. Finance;
  - a. To receive and note the payments made, and receipts received in January 2026
  - b. To receive and note the bank reconciliations for January 2026
  - c. To receive any grant applications received by the council and consider any further action
  - d. To receive an update regarding the investment account with the CCLA
  - e. To review the remaining budget for 25/26
  - f. To receive an update on assertion 10
  - g. To discuss financing the fireworks
  - h. To discuss outstanding payments from Gordon Bennett user groups
10. Policy review;
  - a. To adopt the recommended biodiversity policy
11. General;
  - a. To discuss the recent health and safety check and consider any further action



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### 12. HR;

- a. To clarify the working patterns of the clerk and admin team

### 13. Complaints;

- a. **CONFIDENTIAL SESSION** - To receive any complaints received by the council and consider any further action
- b. To note the latest report for complaints and compliments for the council and discuss any concerns

### 14. To notify the clerk of matters for inclusion on the agenda of the next meeting

### 15. To confirm the date and time of the next Finance & General Committee meeting will be held on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March at 6:30pm in the Council Chamber of the Gordon Bennett Memorial Hall

## Committee Meeting Dates

Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> March 2026
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2026

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<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).