



## Ordinary Meeting

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February

2026

### AGENDA

1. To receive and consider 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 29<sup>th</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 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 19<sup>th</sup> February 2026
  - b) Facilities and Events committee held on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2026
9. To discuss any applications for co-option
10. To discuss the stones at the back of the Gordon Bennett
11. To receive an update on the proposed cemetery extension
12. To receive an update from the Events committee on 2025's events
13. To discuss proposed events for 2026
14. To review the remaining 25/26 budget
15. To discuss the firework donation for 2026
16. To discuss the Christmas lights for 2026
17. To receive an update regarding the parish newsletter
18. To Receive an update regarding the library land
19. To discuss hours and time for the clerk to complete the CILCA
20. To clarify the working patterns of the clerk and admin team
21. To review the remaining budget for 25/26
22. To discuss outstanding payments from Gordon Bennett user groups
23. To discuss the council's compliance to assertion 10
24. To adopt the recommended biodiversity policy
25. To approve quotes to cut back the trees in the memorial garden
26. To approve quotes to resurface the path in the memorial garden
27. To review the current mole activity and contract
28. To receive an update from the architect



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29. To review the recent health and safety inspection report
30. 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;
31. To approve accounts for payment and note contractual payments made under the clerk delegation
32. To note expenditure outside of the meeting between the Clerk and the Chair in line with Financial Regulation 4.1
33. To receive and consider any grant applications received by the council
34. To receive an update regarding the Whitestone solar farm
35. To receive an update from the clerk (for information only)
36. To notify the clerk of matters for inclusion on the agenda of the next meeting
37. To confirm the date and time of the next ordinary meeting of the council on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2026 at 6.30pm in the Council Chamber of the Gordon Bennett Memorial Hall

### Upcoming Meeting Schedule

26 <sup>th</sup> February 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).*