



# NEWTON PARISH COUNCIL

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

A meeting of Newton Parish Council will be held on  
**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2026 Starting at 7.30pm in  
Newton Village Hall**

The Public and Press are invited to attend with the public participation sessions being held at the start of the meetings.

Except where members of the public have been excluded due to the confidential nature of the business, any person may film, photograph, audio record or use social media to report on meetings of the Council including the public participation session.

**Dave Crimmin CiLCA, PIALC, PSLCC**  
Clerk to Newton Parish Council

2<sup>nd</sup> April 2026

Both Draft and Approved minutes are contained within the Parish Council section of the

Newton Website [www.newton-pc.gov.uk](http://www.newton-pc.gov.uk)

A copy can also be requested from the Clerk, whose contact details are at the top of this notice

**NEWTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING  
BEING HELD ON 8<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2026  
AGENDA**

64. **Apologies** for absence
65. Receive **declarations of interest** and requests for dispensation from councillors
66. Agree **Minutes** of Newton Parish Council (NPC) meeting held on **11<sup>th</sup> March 2026**
67. Consider applicant(s) for **co-option to fill the councillor vacancy**
68. **Public participation session**: to receive reports from the County and District councillors and for the public to make representations on the agenda items.
69. Agree on actions required for **emails circulated** to councillors by the Clerk since the last meeting which are not on the agenda
70. Agree on any actions required following a review of the **Clerk's Report**
71. **Planning**
  - a. Consider **Planning Application DC/26/00898 Land Rear Of Brook Farm, Sudbury Road** - Change of use of land (Part) and erection of 1 No Self build dwelling and ancillary outbuilding, utilising existing (shared) access.
  - b. Consider any further **Planning Application(s) received since the agenda was posted** requiring a response before the next scheduled meeting
  - c. **Status** of planning applications, appeals and any enforcement referrals.
72. Update on the sale of **the Saracens Head**
73. **Finance**
  - a. To consider the **Bank Reconciliation and the Receipts and Payments Account** for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026
  - b. To consider the **Internal Auditors Report** for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026
  - c. To approve **Section 1 of the Annual Return** for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026
  - d. To approve **Section 2 of the Annual Return** for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026
  - e. To approve the explanation of the **quantified significant variances** and note the period for the public inspection of NPC's records
  - f. To approve the **Earmarked Reserves** to be carried forward to 2026 / 2027
  - g. To approve the **CIL Return** for 2025 to 2026
  - h. From the **RFO Report**, authorise payments made since the last meeting and to be made and note income received since the last meeting.
74. Update on the **Walking Infrastructure project**
75. Update on the review of **Newton's Neighbourhood Plan and the public meeting held on the 28<sup>th</sup> March 2026**
76. Councillors to report on community assets following their **Walk of the Parish and agree the purchase of a new dog bin**
77. Receive reports on the **meetings of Newton Green Trust and the Village Hall**
78. Consider plans for the **Annual Parish Assembly**.
79. **Questions** to the Chair
80. Newton's **Annual Parish Assembly is on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2026 starting at 7.30pm** in the Village Hall. NPC's Annual Meeting is on **Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> May 2026 in the Village Hall**, starting at 7.30pm.