

The next meeting of Stradishall Parish Council will take place on Monday 3rd March 2025 at 7p.m. in Café 33.

Members of the public are welcome to join the meeting. There will be a public session near the start of the meeting to give residents an opportunity to speak to councillors informally about items on the agenda. Members of the public may stay and observe the rest of the meeting but may not address the Council.

AGENDA

1. To accept apologies and reason for absence.
2. Declaration of interest by Councillors in items on the agenda and dispensation requests.
3. To approve the minutes of the meeting held on Monday 6th January 2025.
4. Public session (15 minutes).
5. County Councillors Report.
6. District Councillor's report.
7. HERA report
8. Police issues.
9. To receive an update on the list of actions agreed at the last meeting.
10. To discuss the following financial issues:
 - a) Approval of payments and signing of Schedule of Payments.
 - b) Approval of payments authorised between meetings.
 - c) To receive a statement of receipts and payments made since the last meeting
 - d) Bank balances and confirmation of bank reconciliation as of 28th February 2025.
 - e) Update on the financial checks carried out by a councillor.
 - f) To review the income and expenditure for 2024/25 against the budget and discuss the level of reserves for general and earmarked expenditure.
 - g) To review the register of fixed assets and insurance values and check that the level of insurance cover is adequate.
 - h) To review the Council's risk assessment.
 - i) To check that the levels of liability insurance are adequate.
 - j) Review of confidential cashbook and deductions by a councillor.
 - k) To nominate a councillor to inspect the Council's property for damage or defects by 30th April 2025 and complete the inspection checklist.
11. To discuss any planning issues.
 - a) DC/25/0223/TCA – 6 Cricket Meadow – One beech and one maple reduce overall crown by 2 metres.
 - b) Planning applications received between meetings.
12. To discuss any highways/Rights of Way/tree/transport issues.
 - a) Location of pedestrian signs and suggestion to hold a competition to get local children to draw signs.
13. To discuss any playing field issues.
 - a) Latest play inspection report.
 - b) To set a date for a maintenance day on the playing field.
14. To discuss any village issues:
 - a) Replacing the bin opposite the Best One.
15. To confirm the dates of meetings in 2025/26.
16. To discuss the procedure and possible items for the Annual Parish Meeting.
17. To discuss the following correspondence:
 - a) Email from One Suffolk about a reduction in the price of a gov.uk domain name to £25 a year and £2 a month for a gov.uk email address.
 - b) SALC area forum for the Western Area Tuesday 25th March online 7-8.30pm to discuss devolution.
18. Any other business for noting or including on the agenda of the Annual Parish Meeting on Monday 12th May 2025 at 7pm and the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council after the Annual Parish Meeting.