



Lode Parish Council

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Chair: Cllr Fran Platten *Vice Chair:* Cllr Tessa Shrubbs *Parish Clerk:* Sam Chambers-Turner

To Members of the Council:

I hereby give notice that a meeting of Lode Parish Council will be held at **Meeting Room, St James Church, Lode on Monday 9th March 2026 at 7.30pm.**

You are hereby summoned to attend for the purpose of transacting the following:

Members of the public and press are invited to attend.

Sam Chambers-Turner

Clerk to the Council

3rd March 2026

Agenda for Meeting 29

424. **Chairmans Welcome**
425. **Apologies for Absence**
(LGA 1972 s 85(1))
426. **Councillors Declaration of Interest and Requests for Dispensation**
(Localism Act 2011 s 31 s 33)
427. **To Approve Minutes of Previous Meeting**
Proposal: To Approve the minutes of meeting 28 held on 9th February 12 2026.
428. **Communications**
To agree author of PC update in next edition of Lodestar.
429. **Open Forum for Public Participation (15 mins)**
At the close of this item, members of the public will no longer be permitted to address the Council unless invited to do so by the Chairman.
430. **Matters Arising/Clerk & Councillor Reports**
431. **Finances Including Approval of Payment of Outstanding Accounts**
 - **Proposal: To approve the bank reconciliation for February 2026.**
 - To note receipts.
 - **Proposal: To pay March 2026 accounts as per to pay accounts.**
432. **Planning Matters**
To consider planning applications and note decisions as per separate list.
433. **County and District Councillor Reports**
 - a. County Councillor Report
 - b. District Councillors Report
434. **Council Administration Matters**
 - a. To review Risk Assessment for 2025-26.
 - b. To approve the Asset Register for 2025-2026.
 - c. **Proposal: To adopt IT policy.**
 - d. To note the doodle poll for Code of Conduct training.
 - e. To consider Parish Council response to Local Government Reorganisation consultation.
435. **Environmental and Open Space Matters**
 - a. To discuss maintenance tasks for the Cemetery area in light of recent information.
 - b. To discuss master document for inspections and consider additional sites of

inspection.

436. Community Matters

- a. To discuss bus shelter for B1102.
- b. To discuss Swaffham Greenway.
- c. To agree to costings for replacing Perspex on Longmeadow notice board.

437. Items for Next Agenda

Any business and payments, to be considered at Parish Council meeting must be delivered to the Clerk for inclusion on the agenda at least 7 days prior to the meeting.

438. Date of the Next Meeting

7.30pm on 13th March 2026 at Meeting Room, St James Church, Lode, to be confirmed.