



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 **Fassage Hall, Lode on Monday 14th September 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

8th September 2026

Agenda for Meeting 34

502. Chairmans Welcome

503. Apologies for Absence

(LGA 1972 s 85(1))

504. Councillors Declaration of Interest and Requests for Dispensation

(Localism Act 2011 s 31 s 33)

505. To Approve Minutes of Previous Meeting

Proposal: To Approve the minutes of meeting 33 held on 13th July 2026.

506. Communications

To agree author of PC update in next edition of Lodestar.

507. 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.

508. Matters Arising/Clerk & Councillor Reports

509. Finances Including Approval of Payment of Outstanding Accounts

- **Proposal: To approve the bank reconciliation for July and August 2026.**
- To note receipts.
- **Proposal: To pay September 2026 accounts as per to pay accounts.**

510. Budget Review

Proposal: To review the status of the budget for 26-27.

511. Planning Matters

To consider planning applications and note decisions as per separate list.

512. County and District Councillor Reports

- a. County Councillor Report
- b. District Councillors Report

513. Council Administration Matters

- a. To receive the closure of audit and note recommendations.
- b. To receive a report on the meeting with the Cricket Club.
- c. **Proposal: To consider Local Council Award Scheme.**
- d. To discuss proposal received on training for Councillors.
- e. To note endorsement of Local Government Reorganisation letter sent under delegated powers.

f. To note the insurance renewal.

514. Environmental and Open Space Matters

a. To receive monthly inspection reports.

b. To discuss tree audit and considered recommendations.

c. To discuss replacement of felled trees with a suitable species in Fairhaven Close.

d. To discuss correspondence received about dog fouling.

e. To discuss need for memorial stone testing in the Cemetery.

f. Proposal: To review Cemetery fees for 26/27.

g. To discuss hedge cutting and grass cutting requirements.

515. Community Matters

a. To discuss Highways Improvement Schemes for 26/27 and consider applications.

b. To discuss on going issue with geese in Mill Road.

516. 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.

517. Date of the Next Meeting

7.30pm on 12th October 2026 at Fassage Hall, Lode.