



DURRINGTON TOWN COUNCIL
COUNCIL OFFICE, VILLAGE HALL, HIGH STREET, DURRINGTON, SP4 8AD
Minutes of the Meeting of the Town Council held on Tuesday 31st March 2026 at 8.30 p.m. in
the Village Hall, Durrington, SP4 8AD.

Present

Members Cllr G Wright - Chairman
 Cllr S Smith – Vice Chair
 Cllr J Todd
 Cllr P Paul
 Cllr A Stafford
 Cllr R Lock
 Cllr S Paines
 Cllr S Rennie
 Cllr S Botham
 Cllr A Hatt
 Cllr G Eydmann
 Cllr C Butler

Officers J Tudor – Clerk
 A Budge – Deputy Clerk

Public No members of the public were present

The Council Meeting was delayed slightly by the previous Annual Parish Meeting and started at 8.30pm.

Meeting

- 139/25** **Acceptance of Apologies.**
Apologies were received and accepted from **Cllr Johnson.**
Cllr Galan-Bamfield attended but was unable to stay for the meeting.
- 140/25** **Declarations of interest.**
There were no declarations of interest.
- 141/25** **Approval of minutes.**
The minutes for the meeting on the **24th of February 2026** were approved.

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142/25 Minutes of meetings for information.

The meeting accepted the following minutes

Finance and HR Committee dated the **17th February 2026.**

143/25 Accounts.

- a. The cheques and debits for **February 2026** were accepted.
- b. The bank reconciliation for **February 2026** was accepted.

144/25 Proposals – the Council resolved to: -

- a. To approve the recommendation of **LHFIG** for improved signage or road markings whichever is recommended by the Wiltshire Council Highways Department and to agree that **Cllr Butler** has authority to agree the Councils contribution towards the improvements up to a sum of **£500**.
- b. To note the Council’s proposal to fund **GOGA in Durrington**.
- c. To approve the Youth Working Party’s terms of reference.
- d. Not renew the **Fargo Road Play Park Lease** due to the unfavourable terms proposed.
- e. To review and approve the **APD Staff Data and Sickness Data Policy**.
- f. To note the **Grounds Maintenance Contract** will be put out to tender in the foreseeable future to comply with the council’s financial regulations.
- g. To note the **Finance and HR Committees assessment** that a raise in the precept is likely for 2027/28.
- h. To note that 12 of the 14 councillors have completed some form of GDPR training.
- i. Set the date for the next **community litter pick as the 9th May 2026** at 10am setting off from the Pavilion.

145/25 Planning.

No applications were considered.

146/25 Date of the next meeting 28th April 2026.

Meeting finished at 9pm

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