



# DEEPING ST JAMES PARISH COUNCIL

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Dear Parish Councillors **Bowell, Burdock, Dilks** (also a County and District Councillor), **Fowler, Gilbert, Halls, Hosking, Leader, Neville, Nickerson, Rose, Shinkins-Hoppe, Smith, Stevens and Townsin.**

A copy of the agenda has been issued to District Councillors **Denniston and Ley**

You are hereby summonsed to attend the meeting of Deeping St James Parish Council which will be held **in the meeting room at The Institute 38 Church Street Deeping St James PE6 8HD on Tuesday 14 April 2026 at 7.30pm.**

*Julie Fortnum*

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Parish Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer

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## AGENDA

Open Forum/Public Participation

**26.149** To receive and accept apologies where valid reasons for absence have been given to the Parish Clerk prior to the meeting.

**26.150** To receive declarations of interest under the Localism Act 2011 – being any interest in agenda items not previously recorded on Members' Register of Interests.

**26.151** To approve the minutes of the previous meeting held on Tuesday 17 March 2026.

**26.152** To receive the Clerks report and any updates from the minutes of the previous meeting.

**26.153** To receive reports from the District Councillors and County Councillor.

**26.154** Financial matters:

1. To receive the minutes and any recommendations from the finance policy and personnel committee meeting held on Tuesday 7 April 2026
2. To approve April 2026 expenditure.
3. To note April 2026 income.
4. To consider a grant application from the Deepings Raft Race Committee.

**26.155** Planning matters

1. To receive the minutes and any recommendations from the planning and transport committee meeting on Tuesday 7 April 2026.
2. To consider the following planning applications:

Application No: S26/0420

Applicant: Mr Tim Hicks

Proposal: Change of use from agricultural land to dog walking/exercise area with associated fencing, access and parking and extension to existing hard surface area. Erection of storage building on existing hard surface area.

Location: The Paddock , Hard's Lane, Frognall , PE6 8RP,

App Type: Full Planning Permission

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Application No: S26/0129

Applicant: Mr R Goodson

Proposal: Construction of 7 two-bedroom dwellings

Location: 38 Spalding Road, Deeping St James, Lincolnshire, PE6 8NJ,

App Type: Full Planning Permission

[S26/0129 | Construction of 7 two-bedroom dwellings | 38 Spalding Road Deeping St James Lincolnshire PE6 8NJ](#)

**26.156** To receive and/or consider the following correspondence:

1. Environment Agency – invitation to complete a survey (deadline 30 April 2026) and attend an event at Glington Village Hall (1.30pm to 3.30pm on Wednesday 22 April 2026) about the Maxey Cut Banks Refurbishments

**26.157** To receive reports and minutes from committees, advisory committees, meetings, seminars, training and events or meetings of external bodies attended on the Council's behalf and consider any recommendations from them:

1. Monday 23 March 2026 - Meeting with EKM Ltd about the installation of the new play house and required repairs to play equipment at Jubilee Park

2. Tuesday 24 March 2026 – Deeping St James Allotments Association Annual General Meeting

3. Wednesday 25 March 2026 – Meeting with a representative from South Kesteven District Council's Corporate Property Services to discuss the transfer of land at St Vincent's Close (Community Orchard) and next to 101 Spalding Road (Millennium Wood)

4. Friday 27 March 2026 - Market Deeping Town Council Mayor's Annual Civic Dinner at The Black Horse at Baston

5. Saturday 28 March 2026 – Judging the Rotary Club of the Deepings Schools Art competition at Market Deeping Tesco

6. 2pm Sunday 12 April 2026 - Parish Walk at Deeping Nature Reserve and along the Riverbank, as part of the South Kesteven Walking Festival organised by SKDC

To **RESOLVE** to move into closed session in accordance with The Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 due to the confidential nature of the business to be discussed in relation to the following matter.

**26.158** To receive an update regarding the exhumation

To **RESOLVE** to move out of closed session

**26.159** Parish Pump - items for information or inclusion on future agendas.

### **Important meeting dates during the next month**

3pm Friday 24 April 2026 – Virtual meeting with Lincolnshire Football Foundation and representatives from the Deepings School, South Kesteven District Council, Lincolnshire County Council and Deeping United Football Club, regarding the artificial grass pitch on the playing field. (KSH)

7pm Monday 27 April 2026 – Annual Parish Meeting and Making a Difference Awards at the Methodist Church, Church Street Deeping St James

6pm-9pm Tuesday 28 April 2026 – Chairs Workshop virtual training organised by Lincolnshire Association of Local Councils (HH and PN)

6.30pm Wednesday 29 April 2026 - Deepings Literary Festival Launch evening at the Deepings Community Library (KSH)

7pm Tuesday 12 May 2026 – Planning and Transport committee

8pm Tuesday 12 May 2026 – Recreation and Open Spaces committee

7.30pm Tuesday 19 May 2026 – Annual Parish Council meeting