

Darsham Parish Council
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SUMMONS

Notice is hereby given that the Meeting of the Darsham Parish Council
will be held on **Tuesday 10th March 2026** at 7.00pm
in the Village Hall, Darsham.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

Welcome to Members of the Public: -

Democratic Quarter-Hour/Public Question Time - Residents are invited to give their views and question the Parish Council on issues on this agenda or raise issues for future consideration at the discretion of the Chairman. Members of the public, whilst welcome to join/listen to the meeting, may not take part in the meeting itself.

Reports from Suffolk County and East Suffolk Council Representatives.

AGENDA

1. To receive apologies for absence, accept apologies or record absence without apologies.
2. To receive Councillors Declarations of Interest and consider any dispensations.
3. To consider the Approval of the draft minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Tuesday 10th February 2026.
4. **Matters Arising from the Parish Council meeting held on Tuesday 10th February 2026.**
 - 4.1 Maintenance – Cllr Oliver to email costs to upgrade the telephone box to Richard Smith & Paul Ashton.
 - 4.2 Speeding – Cllr Holmes to source funding from Sizewell C for a new SID.
 - 4.3 Power Projects – Cllr Walmsley to produce a draft email to circulate to all regarding Lion Link.
 - 4.4 Emergency equipment – Clerk to check whether CIL funding can be used for Emergency Equipment.
 - 4.5 Litter Pick – Clerk to organise the litter pick equipment.
 - 4.6 Dog waste bin – Clerk to check whether a dog waste bin could be placed at Greenside, and the cost.
5. **Parish Council Matters & Councillor Portfolio Reports:**
 - 5.1 Village Hall – update from Cllr Ballantine
 - 5.2 Speeding/20's Plenty – Cllr Holmes
 - 5.3 Orchard & Allotments – updates from Cllr Fergusson
 - 5.4 Sizewell C/Power Projects – Cllr Walmsley/Cllr Blackburn
 - 5.5 Report on Emergencies – Cllr Taylor
 - 5.6 Footpaths/Community Self Help Group – Cllr Davies
 - 5.7 Maintenance/Telephone Box – Cllr Oliver
 - 5.8 Policies – To readopt the Standing Orders, Financial Regulations, Internal Control Statement, Financial Risk Assessment, GDPR, IT Policy and Code of Conduct.
6. **Planning Matters**
 - 6.1 Planning Report – new planning applications since the last meeting.
DC/25/4305/FUL – Flock Farm, High Street, Thorington
Demolition of existing 4no. poultry houses and erection of 1no. poultry house.
 - 6.2 Planning notifications from previous applications.
7. **Financial Matters**
 - 7.1 Financial Statement since the February meeting.
To approve the financial statement and authorise payments.
8. **Items for consideration for inclusion on the next agenda –**
9. **Correspondence –**
10. **The next Parish Council Meeting will be held on 14th April 2026 at 7.00pm in the Village Hall, Darsham.**

Signed: *Marie Backhouse* Clerk to the Council

Dated: 3rd March 2026