Notice of the Ordinary Parish Council Meeting – 10th November 2026 at 19.00

You are summoned to the Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council in the Village Hall, Kingston St Mary

All council meetings are open to members of the public and the press.
(Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960)

Public Forum

(a) Matters for report only

(b) Questions and Representations from Residents

This provides an opportunity for members of the public (who are not usually permitted to speak during the meeting, other than on Planning Applications, or by special invitation of the Chairman) to participate before the meeting by asking questions, raising concerns or making representations, regarding Kingston St Mary Parish. No decision can be taken on issues raised unless the matter is already an item on the agenda. As this is not part of the formal meeting minutes will not be produced. This meeting may be recorded. If you do not wish to be recorded, please say so before making any statements or asking questions.

(c) Somerset Councillor's Report

Somerset Councillors may give short verbal reports on matters affecting the Parish as this is also not part of the meeting, minutes will not be produced.

AGENDA

Members are reminded that the Parish Council has a general duty to consider the following matters in the exercise of any of its functions; Equal Opportunities, Crime and Disorder, Health & Safety, Bullying & Harassment and Human Rights.

1. Attendance and Apologies

2. Councillors' Declaration of Interests

3. Approval of Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 14th October 2026

4. Planning

Applications

Case Ref: 20/26/0029 – Erection of a first floor extension to the rear, with installation of 2 No. dormer windows to the front and 1 No. dormer window to the rear at Yarford Lodge, Kestercombe Lane, Yarford, Kingston St Mary

Case Ref: 20/26/0012 - Variation of Condition No. 02 (approved plans), for amendments to the design and appearance of dwelling, of application 20/22/0020 at Newtons, Nailsbourne, Taunton

Approvals

Case Ref: 20/26/0032/AGN - Application for prior notification for the erection of an agricultural storage building on land at Abattoir, Staplegrove Mills, Mill Lane, Taunton

Case Ref: 20/26/0028 - Erection of a single storey extension to the rear of 2 Edgeborough Cottages, Edgeborough Farm Road, Staplegrove

5. Matters Outstanding from Previous Minutes

a. Internet Banking
b. Somerset Bus Franchising proposal
c. Traffic calming in the lanes
d. Hedge cutting and ditch clearing
e. "Act Together to Adapt" project

f. Community resilience

6. My Community Flood Resilience Programme

7. Precautionary Winter Gritting Network

8. Dog Control Public Space Protection Orders Review

9. Local Nature Recovery Strategy Community Seed Fund

10. Climate Emergency

11. Playing Field

12. Local Community Network

13. Kingston St Mary Community Land Trust

14. Kingston Community Partnership

15. Financial Matters

To note the monthly bank reconciliation and authorise the following payments:

Payments

£162.00 – JK Grounds Maintenance, removal, clearance and chipping of fallen trees and branches in the playing field

£74.60 – HMRC, Clerk's PAYE for the period 06/10/2026 to 05/11/2026

16. Items for Next Agenda

17. Items for Link Up and KSM Website

Date of Next Meeting: 10th December 2026

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4 November 2026