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NOTICE OF A PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a Meeting of Full Council will be held at Gamlingay Eco Hub in the Kier suite **on Tuesday 14th April 2026 at 7.30pm**. All members of this Committee are hereby summoned to attend for the purpose of considering and resolving upon the business to be transacted at the Meeting as set out hereunder: -

Dated Weds 8th April 2026
Mrs. K Rayner /Mrs L Bacon
Clerks

BUSINESS TO BE TRANSACTED

148. To receive apologies for absence and to receive declarations of interest from councillors on items on the agenda.
149. To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests (if any) and to grant any requests for dispensations as appropriate.
Reminder to councillors to update Register of Interest forms and to declare any interests at each meeting to be recorded in the minutes.
150. To approve and sign the Minutes of the Full Council meeting held on the 10th March 2026 and to consider any matters arising. To note the draft minutes of F&GP 24th March 2026
151. To receive any representations from Members of the Public and Press relating to items of business on this agenda during a ten-minute Open Forum.
152. Note Correspondence from Local MP, District and County Councillors, Police and reports from local groups.
 - i. District Councillor Bridget Smith-apologies
 - ii. County Councillor James Stuart.
 - iii. Climate Action Group (CAG). a) National Emergency briefing- film showing 13th May 7pm and actions arising b) CAG draft minutes-18th March- for information
 - iv. Neighbourhood Watch – to receive any update
 - v. Speedwatch – to receive any update
153. To receive reports from other initiatives involving the Parish:-
 - i. Eco Hub -PCLC special meeting minutes 18th March 2026- matters arising
 - ii. Open spaces- a) Grasscutting contract review meeting date and issues to be raised to note b) Quotation to repair pathway at Kissing Gate (Lower Field) c) Gamlingay Village Show-19th September- looking for an alternative venue for 2026.
 - iii. Old Methodist Chapel – next MCMC meeting 21st May 2026 at 3.30pm
 - iv. Cemeteries and Churchyards –no items
 - v. Outdoor play equipment working party – terms of reference for approval and to invite volunteers
 - vi. Youth Club – feedback report



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- vii. 40th Anniversary of Greensand Ridge Walk/Greensand Country-Gamlingay circular Guided Walk- 23rd August -views and representative requested

- 154. Information, communications, and consultation
 - i. APM 28 April 2026 – latest
 - ii. New IT Policy- for adoption
 - iii. Data audit – to note
 - iv. Biodiversity Audit- a) feedback, discussion and actions resulting b) Proposal for registering important parish trees as TPO's- Heath Road and parish wide.
 - v. East West Rail Spring consultation events information – public display and consultation event- Tempsford Memorial Village Hall-23rd April 2-7pm Tempsford Memorial Hall
 - vi. Tempsford new town proposal – a) MP meeting details- 17th April 2026. b) To agree a response to the New Towns Draft Programme consultation- Department of Housing, communities and Local Government
 - vii. Meeting with Merton College- draft minutes and actions resulting

- 155. Financial
 - i. To approve payment vouchers 344 – 350 and 1 – 3 (2026-7)
 - ii. Version 5 of budget 2026-7 for information

- 156. Cambridgeshire County Council and South Cambridgeshire District Council items
 - a) SCDC and Cambridge City (Greater Cambridgeshire)
 - i) Street and house numbering- Little Heath
 - b) Cambridgeshire County Council- i) Heath Rd- accident & request for 20mph assessment ii) SEND school latest iii) Footpath Slurry works- planned Green Acres iv) Close Pass campaign- Active Travel

- 157. Staff and councillor matters
 - a) District Council and Town and Parish Council Elections - 7 May 2026. To note statement of persons nominated (published 10.4.2026)/or election arrangements.
 - b) Councillor training- feedback- JB and PC
 - c) CAPALC membership i) LGR- report ii) renewal of membership - for consideration

- 158. Routine Correspondence – available in the office.
- 159. Items for the next meeting – dates for Mays meeting tbc (due to election)
- 160. Dates of next meetings: Planning and Full Council Tuesday 12th May 2026, F and GP 26th May 2026 and Planning Tuesday 28th April 2026. (tbc)
- 161. Record Closure time of meeting