



The next meeting of Beaminster Town Council will take place in the Cowie Room, Public Hall on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2026, at 7pm.

Sara Cradock  
Town Clerk  
15<sup>th</sup> July 2026

**PUBLIC SESSION - MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE INVITED TO RAISE ISSUES WHICH MAY BE SUBSEQUENTLY DISCUSSED AT TOWN COUNCIL**

**REPORTS FROM AND QUESTIONS FOR:**

- Dorset Police – to **RECEIVE** report from PCSO Alex Bishop
- Dorset Council member – to **RECEIVE** report from Councillor Craig Monks
- Enforcement Officer – to **RECEIVE** report from Mr Amatt

## **A G E N D A**

- 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
- 2. MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 19<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2026**  
To **APPROVE** the minutes of the Council meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> May 2026 (*attached*)
- 3. MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 2<sup>ND</sup> JUNE 2026**  
To **APPROVE** the minutes of the Council meeting held on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2026 (*attached*)
- 4. MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 23<sup>RD</sup> JUNE 2026**  
To **APPROVE** the minutes of the Council meeting held on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2026 (*attached*)
- 5. MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 7<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2026**  
To **APPROVE** the minutes of the Council meeting held on 7<sup>th</sup> July 2026 (*attached*)
- 6. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST & DISPENSATIONS**  
To **RECEIVE** any declarations of interest or dispensations.
- 7. PAYMENTS & RECEIPTS**  
To **RESOLVE** payments and receipts from 19<sup>th</sup> May 2026 to 20<sup>th</sup> July 2026 (*to be tabled*)
- 8. TO RESOLVE MINUTES OF THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEES:**

- (a) **Community Engagement Committee meeting held on 21<sup>st</sup> May 2026**  
To **NOTE** the minutes of the Community Engagement Committee meeting held on **21<sup>st</sup> May (attached)**
- (b) **Finance & General Purposes Committee meeting held on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2026**  
To **NOTE** the minutes of the Finance & General Purposes Committee meeting held on **23<sup>rd</sup> June 2026 (attached)**
- (c) **Community Engagement Committee meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> June 2026**  
To **NOTE** the minutes of the Community Engagement Committee meeting held on **25<sup>th</sup> June 2026 (attached)**
- (d) **CB3 Management Committee meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> June 2026**  
To **NOTE** the minutes of the CB3 Management Committee meeting held on **15<sup>th</sup> June 2026 (attached)**
- (e) **Town Amenities Committee meeting held on 14<sup>th</sup> July 2026**  
To **NOTE** the minutes of the Town Amenities Committee meeting held on **14<sup>th</sup> July 2026 (attached)**
9. **TOWN AMENITIES COMMITTEE**  
To **RESOLVE** membership 2026/27
10. **FINANCE & GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE**  
To **RESOLVE** all members form Finance & General Purposes Committee for 2026/27
11. **CB3 MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**  
To **RESOLVE** membership 2026/2027
12. **COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT COMMITTEE**  
To **RESOLVE** membership 2026/27
13. **COMMUNITY FRIDGE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**  
To **RESOLVE** membership 2026/2027
14. **NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN STEERING GROUP**  
To **RESOLVE** membership 2026/27
15. **COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESILIENCE STEERING GROUP**  
To **RESOLVE** membership 2026/27
16. **APPOINTMENTS TO OUTSIDE BODIES**  
To **APPOINT** the following:

**(a) Liaison Officers**

| TOPIC                | EXISTING OFFICER              |  |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Crime Prevention     | Cllr A Dawkins                |  |
| Public Transport     | Vacant                        |  |
| Right of Way         | Vacant                        |  |
| Community Resilience | Cllr Gunning & Ethan Kalejmen |  |
| Tree Warden          | Vacant                        |  |

**(b) Outside Organisations**

| ORGANISATION                                    | EXISTING REPRESENTATIVE |  |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| Allotment Association                           | Nan Dower               |  |
| Beaminster Pre-School Ltd                       | Cllr Dawkins            |  |
| Beaminster & District Town Twinning Association | vacant                  |  |
| DAPTC                                           | vacant                  |  |
| Prout Bridge Project                            | Cllr Corbett            |  |

## 17. CONSULTATION DOCUMENTS

### (a) West Dorset Wilding – Proposed Beaver Reintroduction in the Brit Valley

To **CONSIDER** correspondence received from West Dorset Wilding regarding its proposal to apply for a licence to reintroduce Eurasian beavers into the Brit Valley catchment.

## 18. CORRESPONDENCE

No items of correspondence have been received.

## 19. DATE OF NEXT MEETING – to **NOTE** the next scheduled Full Council meeting will take place on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September.

### **PUBLIC BODIES (Admission to meeting) ACT 1960**

## 20. To **RESOLVE** that public and press be excluded from the meeting whilst discussion takes place on the following item on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of business to be transacted in respect of consideration of quotations received.

- (a) To **CONSIDER** the quote for an internet access point in the Skyrn Room (to allow Wi-Fi to reach the Community Fridge CCTV) and Wi-Fi at the Pavilion (for the CCTV and use for hirers).
- (b) To **CONSIDER** the quote to add ticket sales and payment software to the new Beaminster Town Council website.