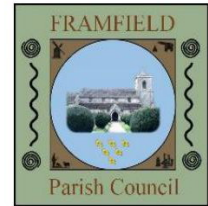


FRAMFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

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Dear Councillor

To all Members of the Framfield Parish Council you are hereby summoned to the attend the Annual Parish Council Meeting to be held at the Village Hall, Blackboys, on Monday, 18 May 2026 at 4 pm.

Meeting called by: Ann Newton – Clerk to the Council – 11 May 2026.

Ann E Newton

AGENDA

- 1. To Elect a Chairman and Receive Declaration of Office**
- 2. Apologies**
- 3. Declarations of Interest**
- 4. To Elect a Vice Chairman**
- 5. To Elect Committees and Representatives.**
Committees – to remain as all Councillors.
 - Finance and General Purposes (Chairman, Vice Chairman, plus a minimum of 3 other members).
 - Planning (maximum of 6 members).
*Committees to elect a Chairman at their first meeting.*Appointments/Representatives
 - WDALC/SALC (Clerk)
 - Wealden Cluster meeting (KB/Clerk)
 - Emergency Planning Co-ordinator/Police (KB).
 - Internal Audit (Mulberry & Co)
- 6. Approval of the last minutes – 31 March 2026 and 16 April 2026 (attached).**
- 7. Adoption of the Parish Asset Register – minor addition of fire alarms - attached.**
- 8. Adoption of the Parish Council Risk Assessment – on website – no changes.**

- 9. Adoption of the Financial Regulations – on website – no changes.**
- 10. Adoption of the Standing Orders – on website – no changes.**
- 11. Adoption of Updated Policies – to be deferred until the July meeting.**
- 12. Review and agreement to the Reserves – details attached within finance pack.**
- 13. Review of the Council's Internal Audit Effectiveness – the full report is attached.**
- 14. Review and adoption of the Governance Statement as detailed in the Annual Return (AR) – copy of the AGAR enclosed. Councillors to agree points 1-9 as detailed.**
- 15. Formal approval of the Accounts for the year ending 31 March 2026 (this will be subject to any minor amendments prior to submission) – copy of the AGAR enclosed.**
- 16. To resolve payment of two standing direct debits each year, namely British Telecom plc (quarterly telephone/internet) and the Public Works Loan Board (bi-annual – play area loan re-payment). All payments to be detailed on the finance sheet.**
- 17. To resolve payment of all staff salaries by BACS each month and any other payments which require BACS payment in advance of a Parish Council meeting (the latter to be with the authorisation of the Chair/RFO). All payments to be detailed on the finance sheet.**
- 18. Date of the next full Parish Council meeting – 28 July 2026.**