



**To Members of the Public.**

You are invited to attend a meeting of the Parish Council at **7.00pm on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2026 in the Oriel Room, St Ricarius Church, Aberford**, for the purpose of transacting the following business.

Date: 11<sup>th</sup> February 2026.

**AGENDA**

- 1. To receive apologies and approve reasons for absence.**
- 2. To receive any disclosures of interest from Councillors on matters to be considered at the meeting.**
- 3. To confirm the minutes of the previous Parish Council meeting as a true and correct records.**
- 4. Public Participation (15 mins).**
  - a. Members of the public may only speak with respect to items on the agenda.
  - b. Members of the public may speak about an agenda item they have requested.
  - c. Members of the public may not speak at any other time during the meeting unless invited to do so by the Chairman.
  - d. Ward Councillor comment.
- 5. Crime & Security.**
  - a. To summarise the latest crime report based on the Police.uk website.  
<https://www.police.uk/pu/your-area/west-yorkshire-police/leeds-north-east/>
  - b. To receive information about the PACT meeting.
  - c. The link for reporting non-emergency crimes or Anti-social behaviour is  
[www.westyorkshire.police.uk](http://www.westyorkshire.police.uk)
  - d. Community Alert scheme.  
<https://www.westyorkshire.police.uk/west-yorkshire-community-alert>
- 6. Projects.**

To receive a progress update and/or consider next steps for the following matters;

  - a. An update on the proposed agreement between the Parish Council/Leeds City Council/Bowling Club, following receipt of a twelve-month agreement and letter of comfort - (papers already circulated).
  - b. The future of the Arabian Horse public house following the notice issued that it was available to lease.
- 7. Traffic/Parking issues, Aberford Main Street.**
  - a. To discuss the information received regarding a permanent environmental traffic weight limit through the village.
  - b. To receive any information concerning the proposed meetings with Balfour Beatty (contractors for National Highways concerning the increased capacity on the A1(M) northbound) and Future Biogas Plant on Ridge Road and confirmation that their vehicles are not travelling through the village.

- 8. Correspondence received requiring discussion.**  
To **note/discuss** any new correspondence items and consider/agree the PC's response and any action required.
- 9. Planning Matters.**
- a. To consider and comment on new planning applications/appeals - (paper circulated).
  - b. To note the outcome of previous planning applications/appeals - (paper circulated).
- 10. Finance.**
- a. To receive a bank reconciliation and report on the receipts, payments and balances - (paper circulated).
  - b. To approve the bank reconciliation as at 31.01.2026.
  - c. To approve the invoices for payment - (paper circulated).
  - d. To consider further grant applications for the current financial year from
    1. Aberford Bowling Club – (papers circulated)
    2. Aberford PTA – (papers circulated)
    3. Aberford Literature Festival – (papers circulated).
    4. Aberford Albion FC – (papers circulated).
- 11. To receive any new information from the Clerk or Councillors and consider for Inclusion on the next agenda.**
- 12. To confirm the date of the Parish Council meeting at 7.00pm in the Oriel Room, St Ricarius Church, Aberford.**
- 13. Matters to be discussed at the exclusion of the public and press.**  
Parish Council meeting venue.

Signed  
**Barry Riley**  
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