



Tisbury Parish Council - Notice of Meeting & Agenda

**All Councillors are hereby summoned to attend the
Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council on
Tuesday 1st July 2025 at 7.00 pm**

24/06/2025

Notes:

- a. The meeting will be held in the Reading Room, High Street, SP3 6LD
- b. Agenda papers will be available on the Tisbury PC website:
www.tisbury-wiltshire-pc.gov.uk
- c. The Chairman will confirm if any part of the meeting may not be filmed, photographed or audio recorded. If any member of the public has an objection to being filmed, photographed or audio recorded, please speak to the Chairman or Parish Clerk before the start of the meeting.

Questions or Statements

A short period of time will be set aside prior to the start of the meeting for questions or statements from members of the public; each person speaking for no longer than 3 minutes. Please note that any question requiring an answer which needs to be researched will be noted and included on the agenda for the following meeting.

Statements will be noted at the meeting, but no discussion will take place unless the topic is on the agenda; any discussion will take place during the agenda item.

Tisbury Parish Council operates under the 'General Power of Competence' which gives eligible councils "the power to do anything that individuals generally may do" as long as they do not break other laws. Being eligible, the Council adopted the General Power of Competence in May 2025 Minute 07.25 as defined by the Localism Act 2011 s1(1) and s8 and defined further in statutory instrument Parish Councils (General Power of Competence) (Prescribed Conditions) Order 2012.

Report from Wiltshire Councillor Gerry Murray

AGENDA

61.25 Apologies

To receive apologies for absence.

Members who cannot attend a meeting shall tender their apologies to the Parish Clerk prior to the meeting as, under Section 85(1) of the Local Government Act 1972, the members present must decide whether the reason(s) for a member's absence shall be accepted.

62.25 Declarations of Interest:

Any Councillor wishing to declare interests should do so at this point:

- a. Declarations of disclosable pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests already declared in the Register of Interests.
- b. Declarations of disclosable pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests not previously declared in the Register of Interests.
- c. Dispensations: if required.

63.25 Resolution of Minutes - see document

To approve the Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting held on Tuesday 17th June 2025.

64.25 Planning Application Decisions

To note the decisions on recent applications.

65.25 Consultations

- a. To consider a response to the Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government consultation on the implementation of its proposals to modernise planning committees (deadline 23rd July 2025)
<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/reform-of-planning-committees-technical-consultation>
- b. To consider a response to the Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs on 'Improving the implementation of Biodiversity Net Gain for minor, medium and brownfield development' (deadline 24th July 2025)
<https://consult.defra.gov.uk/defra-biodiversity-net-gain/improving-the-implementation-of-biodiversity-net-g/>

66.25 Tisbury Community Choir

To consider a request from Tisbury Community Choir for reimbursement of its expenses of £331.17 for the concert performance at St John's Church on the evening of VE Day.

67.25 Local Highway and Footway Improvement Group ('LHFIG') Request

To consider a request from the Committee of the New Vic@Tisbury to apply for a legal disabled parking space to be installed in front of the hall and a legal loading bay to be installed at the side of the hall to enable deliveries, performer and hirer unloading spaces for the hall.

Any approval will commit the Council to providing a 25 percent contribution towards the costs of any works carried out which are currently estimated at £5,000.

68.25 Speed Indicator Device

To consider a quote of £877.99 +VAT from Elan City for the conversion to solar power of the Council's existing Speed Indicator Device currently located in Hindon Lane.

69.25 Rounders Pitch on King George's Field

To consider an idea put forward by a resident to mark out a rounders pitch for summer use on the King George's Field. A quote of £180+VAT has been obtained from pitch marking contractors J H Jones & Sons.

70.25 Tisbury Village Fete – [see document](#)

To consider a report from Councillor Mason on the success of the Village Fete and his recommendations that Tisbury Parish Council:

- a. Retains any surplus from the 2025 Village Fete in an earmarked reserve for the funding of future fetes;
- b. Agrees to act as an enabling body by taking on responsibility for the organisation and operation of future Tisbury Village Fetes, in co-operation and co-ordination with local community groups, businesses and other organisations.

71.25 Fire Service Co-Responders

To agree on any actions to be taken in light of the recent announcement by South West Ambulance Service NHS Trust (SWAST) that it will cease the funding of fire co-responders in Wiltshire, including those based at Tisbury fire station.

72.25 Finance - July Financial Information - [see documents](#)

- a. Retrospective approval of payments made from 01/06/2025 to 30/06/2025.
- b. Approval of July Faster Payment transactions.
- c. Current Account bank reconciliation to 30th June 2025
- d. Deposit Account bank reconciliation to 30th June 2025
- e. Petty Cash Account reconciliation to 31st May and 30th June 2025
- f. Budget to Actual Reports to 30th June 2025
- g. Earmarked Reserves to 30th June 2025

73.25 Revised Policies for Adoption - [see documents](#)

- a. Model Publication Scheme
- b. Investment Policy

74.25 Risk Assessments - [see documents](#)**a. Multi-Use-Games Area Opening**

To approve a risk assessment for the formal opening event of the refurbished multi-use-games area on Friday 18th July at 5.30 pm.

b. Skatepark Disco

To approve a risk assessment for the annual skatepark disco on Friday 18th July from 6.00 pm.

75.25 Representative Reports

To receive reports from councillors:

Nadder Centre Liaison Group: To receive an update from Councillor Beattie on the re-opening of Tisbury swimming pool.

Rain Garden Opening: To receive a report from Councillor Davison on the opening of the Rain Garden.

76.25 Items for Information - [see documents](#)

- a. Clerk's report providing information on agenda items, recent issues and work completed.
- b. Report on the South West Wiltshire Local Highways and Footpath Improvement Group meeting.

77.25 Items for next meeting:

Emergency Plan

78.25 Date of next meeting:

To approve the date of the next meeting as Tuesday 5th August 2025 at 7 pm at the Reading Room, High Street, Tisbury.