MONKTON COMBE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday 6th January, 7:00 p.m. to be held IN THE VILLAGE HALL

At the beginning of the meeting, ten minutes will be available for members of the public to express a view or ask a question on relevant matters on the following agenda. The public are welcome to stay and observe the rest of the meeting.

AGENDA

1. **To receive apologies** for absence, and approve any reasons for absence
2. **Declarations of interest and dispensations**
   To receive declarations of interest from councillors for items on the agenda
   To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests (if any)
   To grant any requests for dispensation as appropriate
3. **Confidential Matters -** To agree any items for which publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest, and to resolve to exclude the public and the press for these items.
4. **Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held on 11th November 2025** to approve for signing by Chair.
5. **Financial Matters**
   RFO Report and Payments for Approval
   Community Infrastructure Report and proposed projects.
   Budget for 2026/26 and Parish Precept
6. **Parish Council Matters**
   Parish Councillor Vacancy
   Parish Councillor Responsibilities – To Review and allocate.
   Equipment and Facilities – Checks by Councillors to report
   Car Park
   Village Playground
   - Provision of a Slide using CIL Funding & WCEF funding

   Neighbourhood Watch & Police Report
   Lockup
   Miss Davies Garden
   Village Hall
   Combe Down Allotments – Any Update
7. **Church Wall Noticeboards -** Proposal from David Le Tall for Monkton Combe Interpretation Panels funded by Cotswolds National Landscape.
8. **Planning Matters** - Report
   Applications Received - None
   Decisions Pending
   Planning Decisions by B&NES
   Enforcement Update
   Other Planning Matters
   Call for sites for Gypsy and Traveller pitches (GTAA)
   B&NES New Local Plan - Somerset Shire Coal Canal Policy Options - Parish Council Response.
8. **Highways and Footpaths**
   Temporary Closure of Public Footpaths BA16_2 & BA22_18, Tucking Mill Reservoir
   Missing Footpaths - Mount Pleasant and Shaft Road – Potential CIL project - Report
   Church Lane Parking issues – Identified as a potential site for a Virtual Pavement as a CIL project.
9. **Reports:**
   PARISH LIAISON MEETING Next Meeting - Wednesday 18 March 2026 – at the Recycling Hub, Keynsham
   Bath Preservation Trust & any other Meetings
   School
10. **Correspondence received.**
11. **Other Matters to Report**
12. **Dates of next meetings**
    To confirm dates for the coming year:-
    - Tuesday 10th March 2026 - Parish Council Meeting
    - Tuesday 7th April 2026 at 7:30 p.m. Annual Parish Meeting
    - Tuesday 19th May 2026 – Annual Parish Council Meeting
      Audit and Annual Return.

Signed 29/01/2026

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