

STURMINSTER NEWTON TOWN COUNCIL

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Dear Councillors

You are summoned to a meeting of the Town Council which will be held on
Wednesday 2 September 2026 at 7.15pm in The Council Chamber.

Members are reminded that the Council has a general duty to consider the following matter in the exercise of any of its functions:
Equal Opportunities (race, gender, sexual orientation, marital status, religion, belief or disability), Crime & Disorder, Health & Safety
and Human Rights.

Only agenda items where the indicated function is to approve, consider or decide may be decided at this meeting. Other items are
for information only and no decision can be taken unless and until they are raised at a later meeting.

Kate Squire Town Clerk

27 August 2026

- 26/27/130 To receive comments and questions from members of the public**
Members of the public are invited to raise any matter and speak for **up to three minutes**.
Matters raised cannot be discussed unless they already appear on the agenda.
- 26/27/131 Report from Dorset Councillor Carole Jones**
- 26/27/132 Apologies for absence**
- 26/27/133 To approve declarations of interest and written applications for dispensation**
- 26/27/134 To approve the minutes of the previous Town Council meeting held on
12 August 2026**
- 26/27/135 To consider planning applications:**
- **P/VOC/2026/04255 8 Plot 2 North Dorset Business Park, Rolls Mill Way**
 - **P/FUL/2026/04348 Bonslea Lodge, White Lane Close, DT10 1EJ**
 - **P/VOC/2026/04527 Banbury Cross Boarding Kennels and Cattery, Angers Lane, Fiddleford, DT10 2BY**
 - **P/PIP/2026/04574 The Retreat, Hewletts Drove, Rivers Corner, DT10 2AE**
- 26/27/136 To consider a request from the Manston Road Residents Association
regarding land East of Manston Road.**
- 26/27/137 To consider Co-Option to fill the vacancy in the position of Town Councillor**
- 26/27/138 To consider first draft of strategic plan and agree further actions**
- 26/27/139 To consider funding of the Terracycle blister pack recycling service and a
possible community engagement opportunity**

- 26/27/140** **To consider Councillor capacity for community engagement at the Cheese Festival 2026 and agree further actions**
- 26/27/141** **To agree budget timetable for budget setting 27/28**
- 26/27/142** **To review and approve the following policies:**
- **Publication Scheme**
 - **Accessibility Statement (Website)**
 - **GDPR**
 - **Privacy**
- 26/27/143** **To approve the recording of Town Council meetings to enable more efficient administration of meeting minutes and actions**
- 26/27/144** **To approve payments over £2000**
- 26/27/145** **To receive correspondence**
- 26/27/146** **To receive a report from the Town Clerk**
- 26/27/147** **To receive a report from the Town Mayor**
- 26/27/148** **To receive information from members and proposals for future business**