

FRECKENHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Notice of meeting to be held on
Monday 10th November 2025 at 7.30 pm at Freckenham Village Hall, 7 Fordham Road,
Freckenham, IP28 8JB for the purpose of transacting the following business.

AGENDA

1. Welcome
2. Apologies for absence & approval of reasons tendered
3. Declarations of members interests and dispensations
4. To receive approval of minutes of the parish council meeting held on Monday 16th September 2025 from those members present at the meeting (**Paper A**)
5. Public Participation – an invitation to members of the public to make representations to Councillors. Resolutions can only be made on items on the agenda
Members of the public are invited to speak and are only permitted to speak at this point in the meeting. (Public participation shall be in accordance with Standing Orders and shall not exceed 3 minutes per individual and 15 minutes in total unless such time is extended by the Chairman of the meeting)
6. District Councillors Report
7. County Councillors Report
8. To discuss any requirements of the next WSC Local Plan
9. To consider the proposed changes to the West Suffolk Local Council Tax Reduction Scheme 2026 – 2027 (**Paper B**)
10. Planning Consultations
 - 10.1 DC/25/1586/ELEC – Application under the overhead lines (Exemption) (England and Wales) Regulations 2009 – a. remove existing stay wire b. replace existing pole with stout terminal pole – Holmes Farm, Mortimer Lane, Freckenham
 - 10.2 DC/25/1714/TCA – Trees in a conservation area notification – one poplar (marked on plan) fell – Lane End, North Street, Freckenham
11. To consider the West Row Neighbourhood Plan (**Paper C**)
12. Parish Matters
 - 12.1 To note the ACV decision
 - 12.2 To receive and approve traffic calming proposals for Elms Road
 - 12.3 To receive feedback from the Community meeting with neighbouring parishes
 - 12.4 To receive feedback from the Police meeting
 - 12.5 To discuss the proposed letting of the woodland to the east and west of North Street

13. Financial Matters

- 13.1 To receive an update on the SID's
- 13.2 To receive the monthly bank accounts
- 13.3 To agree payments and expenses (**Paper D**)
- 13.4 To review and agree the 2026/27 budget (**Paper E**)
- 13.5 To review and agree the 2026/27 precept (**Paper F**)

14. To receive a verbal update on the Governance Review

15. Clerks Report

16. Correspondence

17. Exchange of information

18. Date and time of next meeting – Monday 12th January 2026 at 7.30pm in Freckenham Village Hall, 7 Fordham Road, Freckenham, IP28 8JB

Members of the public & the press are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

Naomi Alecock
Clerk and RFO to the Council

Dated – 5th November 2025