

Linkinhorne Parish Council

PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

9th February 2026 at 7.30pm at The Crosslink Centre, Upton Cross

AGENDA

Lena Batten 2nd February 2026

Those present will be minuted

- 7.30 1) Apologies: To minute apologies for absence.
2) Code of Conduct: a) To receive declarations b) To grant dispensations.
3) Minutes: of Council Meeting(s)
To approve the Minutes of the Meeting of Linkinhorne Parish Council held on the 12th January 2026.
4) Public participation (15 minutes max): to hear matters raised by parishioners:
5) Reports from and matters of concern to:
a) Cornwall Councillor: None.
b) Reports from councillors:
6) Finance: a) To receive/approve cash flow of accounts/bank reconciliation for January:
b) Payments: i) £222.00 (allotment annual rent), ii) £366.88 (Corserv, field maintenance), iii) £330.00 (Sheila Street, WC cleaning, January).
c) Receipts: None.
- 8.00 7) Planning: [please view applications at
<http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/environment-and-planning/planning/online-planning-register/>
a) Planning applications:
i) PA26/00326 – Land North West of Kenilworth, Rilla Mill, PL17 7PB – construction of new self build dwelling and associated works (in lieu of PIP PA23/09394).
b) Any applications received before the date of this meeting: None.
c) To note for information the response received from Cornwall planning with reference to PA25/07804.
8) Play equipment and recreational areas:
a) Weekly safety inspections: i) To resolve Cllr cover for safety checks in the play areas for three weeks commencing the 9th February 2026.
b) Jubilee Field: i) To consider / resolve treatment of the rails of the paling fence on top of the mound at Jubilee Field which are showing evidence of rot – one Councillor reports that no immediate work is required. ii) To consider / resolve repairs to the ballustrade at the top of the slide which is wobbly. iii) To consider / resolve any next steps following information received regarding debris from Highways blocking the drain which the clerk has reported to Highways.
c) Rilla Mill Play Area: i) To note for information the Chicken has been checked and is safe to use.
9) Public Conveniences: a) Minions: i) To note for information the water meter reading on the 22nd January 2026 was 882. b) Upton Cross: No reports of concern.
10) Public Rights of Way: i) To note for information footpath 614/18/1 which was reported to Countryside services, has been listed for an officer to visit but no timescales can be confirmed.
11) To consider / resolve whether to accept the offer of trees from Proper Cornish Trees.
12) To consider / resolve whether to hold a public meeting in Autumn 2026 to look at a public safety plan for Linkinhorne Parish Roads during poor weather conditions.
13) To consider / resolve the update of Linkinhorne Parish Emergency plan.
14) To confirm the written agreement between Linkinhorne Parish Council and the new Guardians of the BT kiosk located at Rilla Mill.
15) “(Exclusion of Press and Public to exclude press and public on the grounds that the following item of business involves disclosure of confidential information as defined in Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960)” - To consider / resolve next steps following an informal meeting held on the 19th January 2026 regarding potential purchase.
16) To consider / resolve whether to apply for the CIL funding now open until the 27th February 2026 for a local infrastructure project.

- 17) To agree the advert, policy and application form for grant applications for 2026 with a closing date of 1st April 2026 and applications to be considered on the 13th April 2026 meeting.
- 18) To agree application for a Memorial to be placed in Upton Cross Civic Burial Ground.
- 19) To agree/ resolve any comments to be submitted in relation to the Public Path Diversion Order for footpath 32 with a deadline for submission of 25th February 2026.
- 20) To consider / resolve to respond to a request for information regarding Community transport in the Parish.
- 21) To consider / resolve any response to Wildanet who wish to utilise the National Grid pole in Jubilee Field for fibre optic cabling.
- 22) Correspondence as listed:

NB all timings are approximate and subject to change

Decisions forwarded by Cornwall Council:

PA25/09134 - Mill House, Rilla Mill, Callington, PL17 7NT - Works to Trees within a Conservation Area (TCA) - T1 - 3 Cherry trees - Cut back by 80%. T2 - Beech - Pollarding and reduction by 15%. T3 - Beech - 4 lower limbs to be removed. T4 - Ash - Remove 4 lower limbs. T5 - Ash - Full removal of tree - Decided not to make a TPO (TCA apps).
 PA25/09254 - Meadow Brook, Rilla Mill, Callington, PL17 7NT - Works to Tree within a Conservation Area (TCA) - T1 - Beech - Full removal - Decided not to make a TPO (TCA apps).
 PA25/09363 – Nampara, Henwood, Liskeard, PL14 5BP - Works to trees in a Conservation Area, T1- reduce 8 Ash Trees by up to 40% as annotated in photographs - Decided not to make a TPO (TCA apps).
 PA25/07804 - Land South Of Lanhargy, Bray Shop, Cornwall, PL17 8QA - Proposed self build farm managers dwelling and garage – approved.

Notifications forwarded by Cornwall Council:

PA25/09700 – Netherhill, Rilla Mill, Callington, PL17 7NT - Works to trees in a Conservation Area, T1 - Oak tree needs pruning, T2 - Oak Tree needs pruning, T3 - 3 Sycamore trees need pruning.
 PA26/00373 - Barn At Great Lanhargy Farm, Bray Shop, Callington, PL17 8QJ - Prior Approval for change of use of agricultural building to 6 dwellings.

- 23) Close of Business: