



LANGPORT TOWN COUNCIL

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Notice of a Town Council Meeting

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND THE PRESS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND ALL COUNCIL MEETINGS

(Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960)

Dear Councillors,

You are hereby summoned to attend the following meeting:

Meeting of Langport Town Council

Time **7.00pm**

Date Tuesday 15th April 2025

Place First floor meeting room, Town Hall, Bow Street, Langport

Councillors will be discussing all the items listed on the Agenda.

Gerard Tucker

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Town Clerk

10th April 2025

7.00pm (Prior to the start of the meeting)

Questions and comments from members of the public (limited to 15 minutes in total)

This provides an opportunity for members of the public (who are not usually permitted to speak during the meeting except by special invitation of the Chairman) to participate before the start of the meeting by asking questions, raising concerns or making comments on matters affecting Langport. No decision can be taken during this session¹, but the Chairman may decide to refer any matters raised for further consideration.

¹N.B Councils cannot lawfully decide items of business that is not specified in the summons/agenda (LGA1972 Sch 12, paras 10(2)(b) and Longfield Parish Council v Wright (1918) 88 LJ Ch 119).

Reports from County Councillors

The County Councillors are invited to give short oral reports on matters affecting Langport.

Councillors

Sean Dromgoole Michele Crumb Robert Crumb Alan Donald Stephen Glas Bill Paterson
Ian MacNab
Sarah Peterkin
Alan Wilson
Cosmin Gherasim

Under the Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014, any members of the public are allowed to take photographs, film and audio record the proceedings and report on all public meetings (including on social media). No prior notification is needed but it would be helpful to let the office know of any plans to film or record so that any necessary arrangements can be made to provide reasonable facilities to report on meetings. This permission does not extend to private meetings or parts of meetings which are not open to the public. All recording and photography equipment should be taken away if a public meeting moves into a session which is not open to the public.

If you are recording the meeting, you are asked to act in a reasonable manner and not disrupt the conduct of meetings for example by using intrusive lighting, flash photography or asking people to repeat statements for the benefit of the recording. You may not make an oral commentary during the meeting. The Chairman has the power to control public recording and/or reporting so it does not disrupt the meeting. Recording must be clearly visible to anyone at the meeting. Please see our policy on recording of meetings by clicking HERE
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LANGPORT TOWN COUNCIL - A G E N D A

TC2024/129 To receive Apologies for Absence and to approve the reasons given (LGA 1972 s85 (1))

TC2024/130 Declarations of interests

Members to declare any interests, including Disclosable Pecuniary Interests they may have in agenda items that accord with the requirements of the Town Council's Code of Conduct and to consider any prior requests from members for Dispensations that accord with Localism Act 2011 s33(b-e) (NB this does not preclude any later declaration

TC2024/131 To approve and sign as a correct record the minutes of the Town Council Meetings held on Tuesday 18th March 2025 (LGA 1972 sch 12, para 41 (1)

TC2024/132 Town Clerk's Oral Report -

Including use of delegated powers and update on progress since the last meeting.

To Include: Request from Edward Stokes to provide a circus in Langport in late May Canal Camp update

TC2024/133 Planning

A. Application Number 25/00667/LBC and 25/00668/FUL

Proposal: Proposed new external lift to provide DDA compliant access with associated internal and external alterations to the rear of the Town Hall. Removal of metal stairlift and reinstatement of balustrade.

Location: Town Hall, Bow Street, Langport TA10 9PR

Applicant: Mrs A Wray

Application Type: Listed Building Consent and Full Application

N.B This application has been prepared by Langport Town Council on behalf of Landmark Langport. It would be inappropriate for the council to formally respond to this application.

TC2024/134 Network Rail – proposed work on the railway bridge

TC2024/135 Somerset Council response to car park charging.

TC2024/136 To receive the tenders for work to undertake a repair/removal of part of the cemetery wall in Kennel Lane.

TC2024/137 To provide an update on the provision of Saturday Markets

TC2024/138 To receive written or oral reports from meetings and training attended by councillors on behalf of the Council

Local Community Network Transport Hub Finance and Personnel

TC2024/139 Reconciled accounts and balances to 31st March

TC2024/140 Income and payments made in March

TC2024/141 Summary of year end budget

TC2024/142 Content and format for the Annual Town Meeting

TC2024/140 - Chairman's Report

End of Agenda