



OUSTON PARISH COUNCIL

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To all Council members of Ouston Parish Council –

In accordance with the provision of schedule 12 (parts 2, 4 & 6) and section 9,13 & 270 of the Local Government Act 1972, you are hereby summoned to attend

A MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL – PARISH ASSEMBLY FOLLOWED BY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

To be held at Ouston Community Centre on Thursday 28th May at 6.30pm

Residents are welcome to attend and make representation to the Council during the 'Representation' part of the meeting. Please read our Public Participation guidance on our website or contact the clerk for a copy.

*****Please contact the clerk in advance if you would like to attend the meeting*****

The Annual Parish Assembly Agenda – Thursday 28th May 6.30pm

Residents are invited to attend for a full public meeting. Residents can make suggestions for future consideration. If possible, enquiries will be answered at the forum, however, Council may have to answer some enquiries at a later date.

- 1. Attendees**
- 2. Apologies for Absence**
- 3. Previous minutes to be agreed – May 2025**
- 4. Annual Parish Report**
- 5. Representations from Residents**

Annual General Meeting Agenda - Thursday 28th May

- 1. Election of Chair & Vice Chair**
- 2. Attendees**
- 3. Apologies for absence**
- 4. Declarations of interests**
- 5. Minutes of previous meetings to be agreed – April**
- 6. Representation from Residents and Allotment Tenants**
- 7. County Councillor Report**
- 8. OCA Information**
- 9. Allotments**
 - 9.1 Rent Rule Revision**
- 10. 2026-2027 Meeting Dates**
- 11. 2026-2027 Parish Events & Sub Group Members**
- 12. Clerk's Report**
- 13. Policies & Procedures – Review and approve**
 - 13.1 Standing Orders**
 - 13.2 Financial Regulations**
 - 13.3 Asset Register / Risk Register**
 - 13.4 IT & Digital Compliance Policies**
 - 13.5 Code of Conduct**
- 14. Financial Matters of the Council**
 - 14.1 Monthly Accounts & May Invoices**
 - 14.2 Approve AGAR 2025/26**
- 15. Items to Follow Up for Next Meeting**

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