

Meeting of the Parish Council to be held on Monday,13th October 2025 at Singleton Village Hall Starting at 7.30pm Agenda

1. Apologies for Absence

To receive and approve apologies for absence.

2. Declarations of Interest

To hear declarations of interest on this agenda, relating to:

2.1. Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

Under Localism Act 2011 relating to items on this agenda. The nature as well as the existence of any such interests must be declared.

2.2. Other Significant Interests

Under the Kent Code of Conduct for members relating to items on this agenda. The nature as well as the existence of any such interests must be declared.

2.3. Other Interests

Not required to be disclosed under 2.1 or 2.2, eg stated for transparency reasons alone such as membership of other bodies who may be affected by decisions on agenda items or where Councillors themselves or their family or close associates may be affected by such decisions.

3. Minutes of the Previous Meeting

To approve the <u>minutes of the meeting</u> held on Monday, 8th September 2025 as a true record.

4. Safeguarding

To receive update on any matters relating to safeguarding

5. Reports from Borough Councillors and other organisations

- 5.1. Cllr Bill Barrett Singleton East Ward
- 5.2. Clirs Jessamy Blanford & Alan Pickering Weald Central Ward
- 5.3. Cllr Sally Gathern- Singleton West Ward
- 5.4. Cllr Clive Hallett -Washford Ward

6. Reports from County Councillors

- 6.1. Cllr Jeremy Eustace Ashford Rural West
- 6.2. Cllr Nick Wibberley Ashford South

7. Reports from Committees/Groups

To receive reports from committees

7.1. Planning Committee

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- 7.2. Singleton Spaces
- 7.3. Environment Committee
- 7.4. Stronger Communities
- 7.5. Finance Committee
- 7.6. Devolution Working Group
- 7.7. Parish Building
- 7.8. Policy Review Committee

To consider formation of Policy Review Committee

Public Participation: There will be 15 minutes of the meeting to hear public questions and comments.

8. Grant Applications

To consider and approve grant applications (if applicable)

8.1. John Wesley Primary School

9. Car Park

To approve extension of the Singleton Village Hall car park on parish council land

10. Meeting dates

To approve meeting dates and locations for 2026

11. Review of Polices

To approve policies and procedures

11.1. Co-option Policy

12. Kent Association of Local Councils Community Awards Scheme 2026

To agree nomination(s) for the Community Award

13. Highways Improvement Plan

To consider and agree any additional requests to be included in the plan

14. Singleton Oast Play Park

To agree to submit a <u>request</u> to Ashford Borough Council for the installation of an additional entrance to the play area.

15. Finance

15.1. Items for Payment

To agree <u>items for payment</u> in October and acknowledge bank reconciliation and <u>earmarked reserves</u> and <u>credit card payments</u> in September. List of items to be checked and signed.

15.2. Mobile phones

To consider purchasing mobile phones for members of the council

15.3. Barclays Credit card

To seek permission to share Cllrs details.

16. Apprenticeship

To receive an update on the progress of securing an apprenticeship

17. Clerk's Report and Update on Issues not Listed Elsewhere on the Agenda

Report on recent or ongoing activities.

18. Correspondence

Review of correspondence received since the last meeting.

19. Items for Information or Agenda for Next Meeting

To receive items of information from members and/or for inclusion on next agenda.

20. Date and Venue of Next Meeting

The next scheduled Council Meeting will be held on Monday, 10th November 2025 at Chilmington Cabin starting at 7.30 pm.

Signed

Aniko Szocs- Clerk to Parish Council