



Members of **HADLOW DOWN PARISH COUNCIL** are summoned to the meeting of the **HADLOW DOWN PARISH COUNCIL** to be held on **Tuesday 3rd March 2026 at 19:00** in the Committee Room in the Village Hall.

Vicki Rutt – Clerk and RFO

25th February 2026

THE FIRST TEN MINUTES ARE AVAILABLE FOR THE PUBLIC TO EXPRESS A VIEW OR ASK A QUESTION ON RELEVANT MATTERS ON THE FOLLOWING AGENDA, THEY ARE THEN WELCOME TO STAY AND OBSERVE THE REST OF THE MEETING. **DURING THE MEETING FURTHER COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC, WILL ONLY OCCASIONALLY BE ALLOWED, AT THE CHAIR'S DISCRETION.**

AGENDA

- 233. **PUBLIC QUESTIONS**
- 234. **APOLOGIES**
- 235. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**
- 236. **MINUTES OF THE MEETING** held on 3rd February 2026 to be agreed and signed as a true record (previously circulated)
- 237. **OUTSTANDING ACTIONS FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS:**
 - a. Refer to Action Log 2025
 - b. Clerks report: update passed to councillors prior to the meeting.
- 238. **PLANNING:** *any applications received between the date of issue of the agenda, and the date of the meeting may be discussed and a response agreed at the meeting. Details of the application will appear on the village website.*
 - a. WD/2026/0095/F & WD/2026/0096/LB for STILEREED FARM, CRIERS LANE, FIVE ASHES, HEATHFIELD, TN20 6LG
Single storey bedroom and shower room addition
 - b. Approved applications: WD/2026/0039/FA for CRISPHAMS COTTAGE, ROSERS COMMON, BUXTED, TN22 4QA
 - c. Enforcement updates
- 239. **REPORTS FROM CLLR.BOB STANDLEY, ESCC & CLLR. MICHAEL LUNN (WDC)**
- 240. **HIGHWAYS**
- 241. **COMMUNITY CENTRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE UPDATE**
 - a. To note minutes from the Advisory Committee held on the 10th February 2026
 - b. To discuss and agree membership of the Advisory Committee in regard to a layperson sitting on committee
 - c. To agree an official resolution that the Parish Council fully support the HDCC project
 - d. To agree the final copy of the HDCC new lease and arrange for it to be signed following the meeting
- 242. **TO RECEIVE AN UPDATE ON DEVOLUTION**
- 243. **TO AGREE RESPONSE TO THE LOCAL PLAN CONSULTATION**
- 244. **PARISH ASSEMBLY**
 - a. Confirm Parish Assembly date as 14th April 2026
 - b. Discuss and agree Parish Assembly logistics and expenditure
- 245. **CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED**
 - a. Argos Hill closure
 - b. Wilderness Lane ditches
- 246. **REPORTS FROM COUNCILLORS (COUNCIL MATTERS AND OUTSIDE BODIES)**
- 247. **CLERKS MATTERS**
 - a. Clerks hours for February 2026
- 248. **FINANCE MATTERS:**
 - a. Agree Finance Report for March 2026
 - b. Agree and sign Bank Reconciliation for February 2026
- 249. **DEFIBRILLATOR BATTERY** - To confirm checked
- 250. **ITEMS TO GO ON NEXT AGENDA**

Signed: Vicki Rutt – Clerk and RFO

Date: 25th February 2026