

East Farndon Parish Council
AGENDA
Wednesday 18th March 2026
East Farndon Village Hall 19:15

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To: All Parish Councillors

From: Clerk to East Farndon Council

Year Month Item	The following business will be transacted:																																																																																
2026 03 01	Apologies for absence.																																																																																
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To discuss risk assessments.
2026 03 09	To discuss the essential qualification criteria for co-opting Councillors. (BF)
2026 03 10	To receive a report from the Staffing Committee. (Staffing Committee)
2026 03 11	To receive an update regarding Assertion 10 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return. (Clerk)
2026 03 12	To receive an update on WNC's Local Plan and Harborough District Council's Local Plan. (MD&MC)
2026 03 13	To discuss the WNC Local Nature Recovery Strategies. (Clerk)
2026 03 14	To discuss the proposed uncontested election costs received from WNC and consider a response. (Clerk)
2026 03 15	To discuss issues regarding Highways and transport. (BF)
2026 03 16	To receive an update regarding the defibrillator. (MC)
2026 03 17	To discuss the Annual Parish Meeting rebrand.
2026 03 18	To discuss the village Spring Clean.
2026 01 19	To receive an update regarding footpaths.
2026 01 20	Correspondence.
2026 01 21	Any Other Business.
2026 01 22	Date and Time of next meeting.
2026 01 23	Meeting Closure.



Clerk to East Farndon Parish Council
12th March 2026