



Prudhoe

TOWN COUNCIL

Prudhoe Town Council
The Spetchells Centre
58 Front Street
Prudhoe
Northumberland
NE42 5AA

9th April 2026

To all members of the Finance Committee and Ex-Officio

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the Finance Committee of Prudhoe Town Council on Wednesday 15th April 2026 at 7:00pm at The Spetchells Centre, for the purpose of transacting the following business.

Please find as a 'footnote' the items you should expect to be enclosed. If you find that any items are missing, please contact me. If there is anything on the agenda that you would like further information on, or that you are unclear of, please do not hesitate to contact me.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Shall', is written over a faint, illegible printed name.

Yours faithfully

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**AGENDA FOR FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING OF
PRUDHOE TOWN COUNCIL**
to be held in Room 1, Spetchells Centre, Front Street, Prudhoe
on WEDNESDAY 15TH APRIL 2026 at 7:00PM

This meeting is open to the press and public (except for confidential items).

AGENDA

1. Welcome from Chair

Cllr Holly Waddell to welcome everyone to the meeting.

2. Apologies for Absence

To receive apologies for absence.

3. Declarations of Interest

To receive any declarations of interest.

4. Dispensations

To receive and agree.

5. Minutes of the Finance Committee Meeting, held on 14th January 2026

To receive and agree as a true record (*enc*)ⁱ

6. Financial update

To receive reports and raise any questions.

a) 2025-26 Year End

To receive an update on Year End finances and the 2025-26 Annual Governance and Accountability Return (AGAR).

b) Statement of Budget and Expenditure

To receive statement from 1 April 2026 – to date (*enc – to follow*)ⁱⁱ

c) Review of Budget and Expenditure

To review the current budget, including projected spending and overspends for the remaining financial year.

7. Grant Aid 2026-2027

a) Summary and Award Recommendations

To receive a summary of Grant Aid Funding requests and agree recommended awards of Grant Aid for the current financial year, to be reviewed by Full Council at the April Ordinary Meeting.

b) Grant Aid Celebration Event

To discuss and agree details for hosting a Grant Aid Celebration Event in 2026.

8. Financial Regulations

To review the current Financial Regulations (last updated in April 2025) and agree to any changes (*enc*)ⁱⁱⁱ.

9. Bank Signatories

To review authorised signatories and agree to recommend further signatories be added, including those with online access.

10. Date of Next Meeting

To agree the date of the next meeting.

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- i Minutes of Finance Committee Meeting held 14th January 2026
 - ii Statement of Budget and Expenditure (to follow)
 - iii Prudhoe Town Council - Financial Regulations (last updated April 2025)