

BURTLE PARISH COUNCIL

A meeting of Burtle Parish Council was held on Wednesday 7th January 2026 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

82 PRESENT

Councillor R Dallimore (chairman)
Councillor S Bull (vice chairman)
Councillor J Hedges
Councillor N Ponsillo
Councillor J Porter

83 APOLOGIES

None received

84 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None noted

85 DISPENSATIONS

None were sought

86 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Minutes of the meetings held on 3rd December 2025 were agreed and signed.

87 MATTERS ARISING

Highways – Mark Rd work to repair surface now appears to have been completed but edge falling away towards Black Bull Bridge.

Edington Road – Lots of potholes reported. Notification to say work complete has been received but not all have been repaired. Email and photos of potholes still requiring repair sent to Highways.

Waste dropped in Burtle Road, Westhay which is believed to contain asbestos Still there – remind Highways

Bridge at Redgate and Catcott Broad Drove – still no response from Bridges dept.

Drainage work at Catcott Broad Drove –nothing to report

Restart a heart training – Training arranged for Café Burtle on 9th January. Nathan Chard, Burtle defibrillator guardian, also planning to attend.

88 FINANCE

Precept request 2026/27

After discussing statement of accounts to 31.12.26 Cllrs unanimously agreed to request £4,500 the same amount as last year

Proposed Cllr R Dallimore

Seconded Cllr J Hedges

Invoices for payment

None received

89 PLANNING

Applications –

None notified

Decisions -

None notified

90 TRAFFIC THROUGH THE VILLAGE AND ROAD MARKINGS

Noted that SID is not operational again.

91 ENFORCEMENT ISSUES

Nothing to report

92 DATES FOR 2026 - Annual Parish Meeting 4th March, Annual Meeting 6th May
Spring Clean up day Saturday 28th March subject to weather conditions. Clerk to book hall etc.

93 CORRESPONDENCE

SALC Training re new Audit requirements clerk booked for 12.1.26
Clerk to investigate new website and email packages to comply with new regulations.

94 ITEMS OF INTEREST

Summary of meetings – was previously posted in the Polden Post each month and residents have said that they miss reading this now that it is no longer published. Clerk to approach Burtle Village Hall Committee to ask whether they would consider including a short summary of the parish council meeting in their monthly newsletter.

95 DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

Wednesday 4th March 2026 at 7.15pm in the Village Hall this will be a short meeting to deal with urgent business. The Annual Parish Meeting will follow at 8pm.

There being no further business the chairman closed the meeting at 8.35pm.

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