

FINNINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Notice of Meeting

*A meeting of Finningham Parish Council will be held on
Monday 9th February 2026,
in St. Bartholomew's Church, Finningham, starting at 7.30pm.*

All council Members are duly summoned to attend.

AGENDA

1. Chair's welcome and to consider and approve apologies for absence
2. District and County Councillor reports
3. Footpath Warden's report
4. Public participation session
5. To receive any pecuniary or non-pecuniary declarations of interest on agenda items, and any Gifts of Hospitality
6. To consider requests for dispensations on agenda items
7. To approve minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 8th December 2025
8. Chairman's Report
9. Clerk's Report
10. National Grid Norwich to Tilbury – invitation from Planning Inspectorate to preliminary meeting and notification of hearings
11. EN0110019 EcoPower Suffolk Solar Project EIA Scoping Notification
12. To consider repositioning of VAS (vehicle activated sign) on Wickham Road
13. To consider replacing oldest VAS (vehicle activated sign) due to unreliability concerns
14. Consideration of new 20mph speed limit policy
15. To consider quotations for mower servicing
16. Churchyard maintenance responsibility update
17. Correspondence received
18. Finance
 - RFO's Report (bank balance, receipts, and payments)
 - Requests for payments presented and to review matters coming forth
19. Planning
 - To consider applications: None.
 - Decisions and to consider planning matters coming forth:
 - **DC/25/04976** - Householder Application - Erection of a single storey side extension inclusive of alterations to existing external facing materials. Maycroft, Walsham Road, Finningham, Stowmarket Suffolk IP14 4JG.
 - **DC/25/04121** - Householder application - Replacement windows, replacement / refurbishment of fascias and soffits, re-cladding of dormer window. Lautrec, Gislingham Road, Finningham, Stowmarket, Suffolk, IP14 4HY.
 - **DC/25/03856** - Householder Application - Erection of a detached double garage. Riverside, Gislingham Road, Finningham, Stowmarket, Suffolk, IP14 4HY.

20. Documents and Policies

- Asset Register
- Internal Control Statement
- Standing Orders
- Health & Safety Policy
- Risk Assessment and Management Policy

21. To discuss date of the next meeting

22. Agenda items for the next meeting

All members of the public are cordially invited to attend, but are respectfully asked not to contribute during the meeting outside of the public participation session, unless invited to do so by the Chairman.

Jane Challis Parish Clerk.

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4th February 2026

