

## Maidwell with Draughton Parish Council

All Councillors are summoned to the General Meeting of Maidwell with Draughton Parish Council to be held at Loder Hall, Maidwell on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2025 at 7.30pm

*Members of the public and press are invited to attend and to participate in the Open Forum*

### AGENDA

45. To receive and approve apologies for absence
46. To receive Declaration of Personal and Prejudicial Interests under the Council's Code of Conduct related to business on the agenda. *(Members should disclose any interests in the business to be discussed and are reminded that the disclosure of a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest will require that the member withdraws from the meeting room during the transaction of that item of business)*
47. To receive and approve for signature the Minutes of the Meeting held on 9 July 2025 v1
48. Matters arising from the Minutes of the Meeting held on 9 July 2025
  - i. **(31i)** Planning – Land at Dale Farm – Awaiting WNC committee date. WNC received appeal from applicant regarding non-determination of the application – copy circulated.
49. **Open Forum** (Members of the public are invited to address the Council. The session will last for a maximum of 15 minutes with any individual contribution lasting a maximum of 3 minutes. Members of the public should address their representations through the Chairman of the meeting)
50. **Speeding Traffic through Maidwell**
  - i. Road re-surfacing
    - Items 3,5 & 6 from the original list – Was due to be completed under Highways Budget 2025/26. Correspondence received through Cllr Irving-Swift (copy attached). Clerk has no official reply to original letter.
    - Bridge collapse Blueberry Lane and Manor Farm Road
  - ii. SID Data – Cllr Goddard
51. **Sustainability**
  - i. Maidwell-Being – Cllr Goddard/Cllr Hackworth – Next Coffee Morning - **Saturday 13th September**
  - ii. NCALC Climate & Nature Champion Scheme – Sent to email distribution list. No updates. Nominate Councillor or Clerk to take part?
52. **Policies**
  - i. Internal Controls NEW
  - ii. Banking Arrangements NEW
  - iii. Grants Policy – No Changes

**53. Notification of the WNC Annual Parish Conference** – Parishes in Partnership – **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2025** at Franklin Gardens. Awaiting more information. Clerk cannot attend.

**54. Notification of NCALC 78th Annual Conference** – **Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2025**, 10-1pm at Moulton Community Centre, Moulton – Space for 2 delegates to attend. Book by 22<sup>nd</sup> September. Clerk cannot attend.

**55. Planning and Licensing Consultations:**

**Planning**

- i) **Deadline Passed:** 2025/2792/FULL - Bay Trees, 18 Harborough Road, Maidwell, NN6 9JA - Formation of new vehicular access and side boundary wall. Deadline for Comment: 14 August 2025.

**Consultations/Engagement Activities:**

- i) **Have your say on Planning Application Requirements** - West Northamptonshire Council is inviting people to have their say on the draft Local Validation List. This document lays out the national and local requirements for planning permission specific to each application type. This activity closes 23:59 **26 October 2025**
- ii) **Emergencies: How prepared are you?** - September is Preparedness Month and as part of the national #30Days30WaysUK campaign we run an annual survey to find out how prepared people are for emergencies that may happen. This activity closes 23:59 **Friday 31 October 2025**.
- iii) **Have your say on the draft Northampton Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan**  
This activity closes 23:59 **5 October 2025**
- iv) **Deadline Passed:** Help shape the future of Northampton town centre. Closed 10<sup>th</sup> August 2025
- v) **Deadline Passed:** Your thoughts on the future management of Council Homes. Closed 7<sup>th</sup> September 2025
- vi) **Deadline Passed:** Feedback sought on how the Council engages with communities on its planning services. Closed 25<sup>th</sup> August 2025

All WNC consultations can be found on this website. [https://westnorthants.citizenspace.com/consultation\\_finder/](https://westnorthants.citizenspace.com/consultation_finder/)

**Finance:**

**56.** Clerk to produce accounts to 31<sup>st</sup> August 2025 with bank reconciliation, bank statements and spend v budget v forecast.

**57. Payments**

- i) Resolution to approve monthly payments

Parish Clerk – Aug-Sept'25 & Backpay - **£ 662.42**  
SLCC Membership – 50% due to be paid back by Great Oxendon - **£ 144.00**  
Blades – Grass Cutting Inv 28 – Jul'25 - **£ 174.67**

- ii) Resolution to approve payments made since last meeting

Direct Debits  
Npower Apr'25 - IN13830758 - **£ 50.64**  
Npower May'25 - IN13830803 - **£ 40.05**

Npower Jun'25 - IN13830854 - £ 33.46

Npower Jul'25 - IN13830901 - £ 36.68

- iii) Resolution to approve any additional payments received since publication of agenda

**58. Correspondence/Urgent Matters** – for report only (Notified to the Chairman before the meeting)

**59. Date and Time of Next Meeting** – The next meeting will be held on **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2025** at 7.30pm  
at Loder Hall, Maidwell

***Dates of Future Meetings***

*Wed 12th Nov 2025*

*Wed 14th Jan 2026*

*Wed 11th Mar 2026*

*Wed 13th May 2026*

**60.** Close of meeting



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