

## STURMER PARISH COUNCIL

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**DRAFT Minutes of the EXTRAORDINARY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING held at STURMER VILLAGE HALL on MONDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2026 AT 7:30PM.**

<b>COUNCILLOR</b>	
Cllr. Gareth Morley, Chairman	In attendance
Cllr. Terrie Jones	In attendance
Cllr. Sean Mercer	Apologies received
Cllr. Keith Notcutt	In attendance
Cllr. David Porth	In attendance
County Councillor	Note that County Council elections fell between the issuing of the Agenda to Cllr Peter Schwier and the election of Cllr Nathan Robins on 7 <sup>th</sup> May 2026.
Cllr. Diana Garrod, District Councillor	Apologies received

	<b>NOTE AND APPROVE APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE</b>
<b>26/EX1</b>	As noted above.
	<b>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</b>
<b>26/EX2</b>	To declare the existence and nature of any Disclosable Pecuniary, Pecuniary or Non-Pecuniary Interest relating to items on the agenda.
	None declared.
	<b>PUBLIC PARTICIPATION SESSION</b>
<b>26/EX3</b>	<i>This provides an opportunity for members of the public to raise questions and comment on items on the agenda. Time for this session is limited to 15 minutes (03 minutes per person)</i>
	None.
<b>26/EX4</b>	<b>To approve recruitment to the post of Parish Clerk &amp; Responsible Finance Officer</b>

	<b>All Agreed</b> – to undertake permanent recruitment to the post of Clerk and Responsible Finance Officer (RFO) and to appoint an interim locum Clerk & RFO until the process concludes, in order to ensure Parish Council business can continue.
<b>26/EX5</b>	<b>To approve a rescheduled date for the Parish Council Annual General Meeting</b>
	All Agreed.
<b>26/EX6</b>	<b>DATE OF NEXT MEETING: AGM 26<sup>th</sup> May 2026 at 7:30pm</b>
<b>26/EX7</b>	<b>Closure of the meeting</b>
	The Chair closed the meeting at 7:50pm having concluded all items of business.

Signed: *Terrie Jones*

**Terrie Jones - Chair**

**Date: 26<sup>th</sup>. May 2026**