



Agenda

Standing Committee: Finance, Policy and Governance

Tuesday 9th June 2026 at 6.30pm

At the Parish Office 2 Albion Road, Birchington, CT7 9DN

Members of the public can attend the meeting.

Please contact the Parish Clerk by email: (clerk@birchington-pc.gov.uk)

To: The Finance, Policy and Governance Committee members: Councillors: Bob Prebble (Chairman), Marty Boneidol, Phil Fellows, Neville Hudson and John Tiley.

Ex Officio: Councillors Nick Blankley and Max Houghton (as Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Parish Council) .You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the Finance Committee on Tuesday, 9th June 2026

1. Apologies for absence

2. Declarations of Interest

To receive any declarations of pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests

3. Minutes of the Finance Committee meeting held on 7th April 2026 to be confirmed and to consider any matters arising. (Copy attached)

4. Chairman's Report and Public Participation

For Decision:

5. Election of Vice-Chairman

6. Pride in Place Impact Fund (PiPIF) (Cllr Blankley)

To receive an update and to agree the Parish Council's funding proposal.

7. Rossetti Gardens (Clerk)

To receive an update and to agree next steps.

8. Live Streaming (Chairman)

- i) To establish a formal working group.
- ii) To agree draft terms of reference.
- iii) To receive an update from Cllr Boneidol.

9. Former General Purposes Committee (Chairman)

Following the termination of the General Purposes Committee to discuss and decide allocation of the following workstreams:

- i) Parish Council Website.
- ii) Digital Transformation.

iii) Resilience and Business Continuity Plans.

10. St Thomas' Church / Baptist Church (Cllr Blankley)

To receive an update and agree a Parish Council position.

11. Grant Application (Clerk)

To consider a grant application received from Birchington in Bloom for the proposed Minnis Bay flowerbed.

For Discussion

12. S106 Funding (Cllr Blankley)

To receive an update.

13. CCTV System and Parish Office Fire Alarm System (Clerk)

To receive an update.

14. Red Telephone Box in The Square (Clerk)

To receive an update.

15. Parish Council Policies (Clerk)

To receive an update.

16. Finance/RFO Update (Clerk)

To receive the audit report following the visit of the Internal Auditor of May 12th 2026 and to note observations.

17. Clerk's Correspondence

18. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC The Committee is requested to pass a resolution to exclude the Press and Public from the remainder of the meeting pursuant to section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings Act) 1960, because of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.

19. Refurbishment of the Parish Council Office.

To consider tenders received and to agree recommendation to Full Council.

20. Removal of foliage at the Memorial Recreation Ground

To consider quotations received and to agree recommendation to Full Council.

21. Time and time of next meeting

Tuesday, 18th August 2026 at 6.30pm in the Parish Council Office.

Signed by the Parish Clerk.

Jane Bevan

Date: 1 June 2026