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Members of Barrow Parish Council are summoned to attend the **Parish Council Meeting** on 5th October 2026 at **Barrow Village Hall**, commencing at 6.30pm.

Members of the public are welcome to attend.

Agenda

1. **Apologies for absence**
2. **Approve draft minutes of the Parish Council Ordinary Meeting on 27 July 2026 and the Extraordinary Meeting held on 28 August 2026**
3. **Declarations of disclosable pecuniary and other registrable and non-registrable interests**
4. **Public participation**

This 30-minute session (time limit of five minutes per item/per person) provides members of the public an opportunity to indicate interests in an agenda item and put questions to the Parish Council. Such questions may be answered after the meeting or become an agenda item at a future Parish Council meeting.

ITEMS for DECISION/DISCUSSION:

5. **Finance report**

Report of the Clerk (enclosed) to approve the:

1. Accounts to date.
2. Schedule of Payments as set out in the Report.
3. Reconciliation of Receipts and Payments as shown in the Report

6. **Planning Report**

To consider planning matters since previous meeting.

7. **Lengthsman**

Update on agreed schedule of duties and discussion/agreement on budget and requirements for ad hoc items to end of financial year.

8. **Gardener – Trafford Gardens**

Verbal update and consideration of options for next year.

9. Playing Fields

Verbal update on recent maintenance works to the play equipment and playing field. To consider options for repair of safety matting edges around play equipment.

10. Remembrance Day 2026 and Christmas Tree & Lights 2026

Consider and agree requirements for November and December.

ITEMS for INFORMATION:

11. Transfer of Woodland Path

Verbal update, Cllr. Street.

12. Councillor Reports

For information.

PART 2 ITEMS for DECISION/DISCUSSION

EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC (permitted due to existing or potential commercial, legal, reputational, or personal information sensitivities)

13. Washbrook Play Area

Verbal Report by the Clerk for discussion and decision.

14. Clerk Remuneration – NJC 2026/7 pay award

Report by Cllr. Street for discussion and decision.



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Future Council Meetings:

2026: 16 Nov, 18 Jan, 15 Mar
