

THORPE MALSOR PARISH COUNCIL

All Councillors are summoned to an Ordinary Meeting of Thorpe Malsor Parish Council on

**Monday, 26th January 2026 at 7pm
in the Village Hall, Thorpe Malsor**

AGENDA

1. Declaration of Acceptance of Office and Register of Member's Interests
 - a) To receive Cllr Mark Zealey's Declaration of Acceptance of Office.
 - b) To receive his Register of Member's Interests or determine when it shall be received.
2. Apologies for absence.
3. Declarations of interest relating to business on the agenda.
4. Approval and signature of minutes of the Ordinary meeting of 3th December 2025.
5. Matters arising from the minutes not covered below on the agenda.
6. Open Forum (15min max, 3 min per person).
7. To consider the 2026/27 Grass Cutting proposal submitted by North Northamptonshire Council.
8. To consider quotation for replacement of village noticeboard.
9. Finance
 - a) To receive the Finance Report and approve the Schedule of Payments.
 - b) To set the Budget for Expenditure for 2026/27.
 - c) To set the Precept Demand for 2026/27.
10. To discuss transferring the Council's banking to Unity Trust Bank.
11. To consider obtaining a gov.uk domain name for the clerk's email address.
12. To consider the implications of the Community Governance Review and agree on the Council's approach to engagement.
13. To consider creating a WhatsApp group to support informal communication between council members/staff.
14. Policies & Procedures:
 - a) To review the Internet Banking procedure.
 - b) To consider adoption of a WhatsApp usage policy.
15. To consider recruitment of a Parish Clerk.
16. Date of next meeting.

Signed: Dated: 20th January 2026

Helen Sharp, Acting Clerk, Thorpe Malsor Parish Council