

AMBLE TOWN COUNCIL
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To Members of Amble Town Council; L McTaggart, J Richards, I Rackham, M Joyce, C Dawson, C Connolly, K MacColl, T Regan, L Osborne

You are **SUMMONED** to attend an EXTRAORDINARY meeting of Full Council of Amble Town Council to be held on Wednesday 28th January 2026, 6pm. at Conference Room, Top Floor, Fourways 2, 6 Dilston Terrace, Amble, NE650DT for the transaction of the business shown on the agenda below

BY ORDER OF *VSmith*
Vicki Smith
Town Clerk
21st January 2026

OPEN SESSION

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME: (maximum 15 minutes)

In line with Standing Order 3d-1 members of the public may at the invitation of the Chairman ask questions, make representations, and provide information to the Council in respect of the business on the agenda or any other Town Council services.

BUSINESS TO BE TRANSACTED

193.APOLOGIES

194. To receive any declarations of interest from Members:

Members are invited to declare disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests in items on the agenda, as required by the Amble Town Council Code of Conduct for Members and by the Localism Act 2011, now or as they come up in the agenda process. Members are asked to review their completed Register of Interest forms to ensure that they are accurate and up to date.

195. MINUTES: TOWN COUNCIL

195.1: To consider the minutes of the meeting held on 8 January 2026, items 174-192.1

Members are asked to show their agreement

196. CLERK'S REPORT:

RECOMMENDATION – That the Council notes the contents of the report and consider actions where necessary.

196.1 Clerks Report attached

Members are asked to show their agreement

197. CHAIRMAN'S COMMUNICATIONS and REPORT:

To receive the communications and report of the Chairman pertaining to Council Business:

197.1: Chairman

197.2: Vice Chairman

Members are asked to note the reports

198: Update from Neighbourhood Development Steering Group

198.1 To receive report update from Steering Group and Sub Committees if available

199. REPORTS FROM COUNTY COUNCILLORS:

199.1: To receive a report from County Councillor Hume

199.2: To receive a report from County Councillor Davidson

200. REPORTS FROM COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES ON OUTSIDE BODIES & REPORTS OF MEETINGS ATTENDED BY MEMBERS AS PRIVATE INDIVIDUALS:

200.1 To receive the report of Councillors who represent ATC on outside bodies (Cllr Reports)

201. FINANCIAL REPORT:

201.1 To consider voucher numbers 249 – 268 for payment and 60 - 67 for receipt.

201.2 Bank Reconciliation

201.3 Year to date figures

201.4 Grant Requests

- Coquet Shorebase Trust - £700

202.AMENITIES MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE:

202.1 To agree 2026-2027 Allotment Rent

203: PLANNING COMMITTEE

203.1 To agree amendment to Planning Committee Terms of Reference

204. AGENDA ITEMS:

204.1 To agree decision on statutory grounds provision

204.2 To agree Capital and Revenue expenditure subject to the outcome of item 204.1

204.3 To agree proposed new policies as required

204.4 To agree amendment to existing policy

204.5 To agree amendment to Standing Order 3c(i) regarding frequency of meetings

204.6 To receive an update on the Staffing Working Party

204.7 To agree retrospective approval for January 2026 newspaper

204.8 To agree support to Amble Development Trust bid for Town of Culture Competition

205. COMMUNICATIONS: RECOMMENDATION - *That the Council note or discuss where necessary the items.*

205.1 NALC Newsletter

206. INFORMATION ITEMS AND ITEMS FOR CIRCULATION:

RECOMMENDATION - *That the Council note the information items.*

206.1 Amble Library Community Garden

206.2 To note Freedom of Information Request received on 19 January 2026

207. DATE & TIME OF NEXT MEETING:

207.1 12 March 2026, Amble Town Council Offices, Fourways2 at 6p.m.

Please note: The meeting scheduled for 12 February 2026 has been cancelled.

208. DATES FOR DIARIES

22 January 2026 – Joint Parish and Town Council meeting with Neighbouring Parishes

26 January 2026 – 3.00pm – 6.00pm – Northumbria Police Community Engagement Event, Amble Library

26 January 2026 – 6.00pm – Public Engagement session with Wynyard Homes – Conference Room, Fourways2, 6 Dilston Terrace, NE650DT

27 January 2026 - 4.00pm - Headteacher Roundtable

28 January 2026 – 6.00pm – EXTRAORDINARY FULL COUNCIL – Conference Room, Fourways2, 6 Dilston Terrace, NE650DT

29 January 2026 – 6.00pm – Amenities Committee - Conference Room, Fourways2, 6 Dilston Terrace, NE650DT

***12 February 2026 – FULL COUNCIL CANCELLED**

20 February 2026 – 10.00am – NCC Led Estate Walkabout, meeting point Lesley Drive

25 February 2026 – 5.30pm – Northumbria Police, Conference Room, Fourways2, 6 Dilston Terrace, NE650DT

5 March 2026 – 5.00pm – Town and Parish Council Spring Conference, County Hall, NE612EF

EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC: To consider passing the following resolution: That under Section 1(2) the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items on the agenda due to their sensitive nature.

PRIVATE

209. EXEMPT REPORT

209.1 RECOMMENDATION – That the Council notes the contents of the report and consider actions where necessary.

210. PRIVATE REPORTS FROM COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES ON OUTSIDE BODIES & REPORTS OF MEETINGS ATTENDED BY MEMBERS AS PRIVATE INDIVIDUALS

210.1 To receive the private report of Councillors who represent ATC on outside bodies (Cllr Reports)

211. AGENDA ITEMS

211.1 To discuss nominees for the Kings Garden Party 2026

ACCRONYMS

ATC – Amble Town Council

NCC – Northumberland County Council

JCSC – James Calvert Spence College

ADT – Amble Development Trust

NALC – Northumberland Association of Local Councils

AYP – Amble Youth Project

WHC – Warkworth Harbour Commissioners

LCWIP – Local Cycling Walking Infrastructure Plans

RAW – Rotary of Amble and Warkworth

NDP – Neighbourhood Development Plan