



Members of the Town Environment Committee

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the Town Environment Committee to be held on Monday 9th February, 7pm at Stonehouse Library, High Street, Stonehouse, GL10 2NG.

Committee Members:

Councillors: Keren Capeling, Keith Creighton (Committee Vice-Chair), Deborah Curtis (Committee Chair), Marcus Dixon, David Drew, Stephen Hunter, Simon Macgregor, John Parker

A period of up to 15 minutes will be set aside at the beginning of the meeting for members of the public to raise questions.

Carlos Novoth
Town Clerk
3rd February 2026

Attendees are reminded that the Proceedings of this meeting may be filmed, photographed or recorded.

A G E N D A

E/1009 To receive apologies.

E/1010 Declarations of Interest

E/1011 To approve the minutes of the Town Environment Committee meeting held on Monday 5th January.

E/1012 To receive the latest updated Environment Budget.

E/1013 To consider and recommend to Full Council, changes to the councils Earmarked Reserves.

E/1014 To recommend for Full Council to approve the reserve allocation to allocate £20,000 to the Ship Inn Community Space project to cover the anticipated funding shortfall anticipated over the next three years:
Year 1 - £5000, Year 2 - £7,500, Year 3 - £7,500.

E/1015 To recommend to Full Council that an application is made to Stroud District Council for a Certificate of Lawfulness for the building design/site plans, proposed for the Ship Inn Community Space.

E/1016 To agree in principle the restoration and potential relocation of the Kingfisher Sculpture.

E/1017 To consider and approve, the application for the siting of a memorial bench In Stonehouse.

E/1018 To seek retrospective approval for a tree survey to be undertaken by Glendale for a total of £813.78, plus VAT.

E/1019 To receive an update concerning Harpers Field and consider a response.

E/1020 To receive and approve the following recommendations from the Community Arboretum and Open Spaces working group:

- That the cedar outside the Globe be removed and replanted in a more suitable location, and that a swamp cypress be purchased and planted in its place.
- That Neil Gibbs be invited to join the CAOS Group, as a member of the public.

E/1021 To comment on recent Planning Applications (details in support papers).

E/1022 To receive a report on planning decisions received from Stroud District Council.

E/1023 To receive Working Groups updates from:

- Communications,
- Stroudwater (Bristol Road) Station,
- Transport and Highways,
- Public Rights of Way
- Recreation.
- Canal Rejuvenation
- Court View
- Community Arboretum and Open Spaces
- Events

E/1024 Date of next Environment Committee meeting: Monday 9th March 2026.