



BLYTH TOWN COUNCIL

You are hereby requested to attend a **Special Meeting** of **BLYTH TOWN COUNCIL** to be held on **Thursday 26 March 2026** at **5:30pm** in the Council Chamber, Arms Everytne House, Quay Road, Blyth, NE24 2AS.

MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

D Swinhoe (Mayor)	D Johnson
R A Baker (Deputy Mayor)	C Jones
D Campbell	D Nicholson
D Carr	M Nicholson
A Cartie	K Nisbet MBE
B W Elliott	M Peart
T E Elliott	N Rolls
B Erskine	J Woods

Electronic devices can be used to access Committee papers. Please ensure that mobile phones are switched to silent mode during the meeting. Members are reminded to observe the Blyth Town Council Code of Conduct.

The Council Chamber will be open to members of the public 10 minutes before the meeting is about to commence.

Please remember to sign in.

The deadline for receipt of an apology for absence shall be the end of office hours on the same day as the meeting. Apologies for absence shall be made directly in advance and not via a third person such as another Member at the meeting.

Malcolm Wilkinson
Town Clerk

Date: 19 March 2026

AGENDA:

1	Apologies for absence
2	Disclosure of Interests and Grant of Dispensations
3	Minutes of the Full Council Meeting held on the 17 February 2026. To agree the minutes as a true record.
4	Community Funding Policy To RESOLVE the proposed changes to the Community Funding policy.
5	Project Shield To consider funding for Project Shield 2026/27.
6	Committee Membership & Representation on Outside Body. To RESOLVE to agree: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- The revised Committee membership- Representation on NALC
7	Office Accommodation To CONSIDER recommendations from the Office Accommodation working group.
8	DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING The next meeting of Full Council will be held on Thursday 14 May 2026 in the Council Chamber, Arms Everytne House. Public Question Time starts at 6.00 pm and Council will commence directly afterwards.
9	Part II Pursuant to the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960; that in view of the confidential nature of the business about to be transacted, it is advisable in the public interest that the press and public be excluded, and they are instructed to withdraw.

10	UK Town of Culture 2028
11	Office Accommodation