



# Rutland County Council

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Ladies and Gentlemen,

A meeting of the **PARISH COUNCIL FORUM** will be held via Zoom on **Monday, 19th April, 2021** commencing at 7.00 pm when it is hoped you will be able to attend.

<https://zoom.us/j/93083106259?pwd=Y0FRbkRZSHN3TXJnb3VpM2owNGRnUT09>

Yours faithfully

Mark Andrews  
**Interim Chief Executive**

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## **A G E N D A**

**1) WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL**

**2) APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

**3) NOTES OF THE LAST MEETING**

To confirm the Notes of the Parish Council Forum held on 15<sup>th</sup> March 2021.  
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**4) BIODIVERSITY**

To receive a presentation on Biodiversity from Tim Graham, Chief Executive Officer and John Clarkson, Head of Conservation - Leicestershire & Rutland Wildlife Trust.

**5) ENVIRONMENT: CLIMATE SUMMIT**

To receive a verbal update on the Climate Summit being held in May from Councillor Stephenson, Portfolio Holder for Culture and Leisure, Environment, Highways, Transportation & Road Safety.

**6) EXTERNAL FUNDING - ACCESS AND PROCESS**

To receive a verbal report on External Funding from Jake Atkinson, Chief Executive, Leicestershire and Rutland Association of Local Councils (LRALC) and Ja'Neen Day, Deputy Chief Executive LRALC.

**7) PARISH COUNCIL FORWARD PLANNING**

Potential items for the next or future meetings are noted below:

- Leisure (verbal)
- Highways and Transport Working Group process – Speeding
- Updates from previous items as appropriate
- Scrutiny – How the Parish Forum could contribute to this work.

**8) ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

To consider any other items of business which parish representatives may wish to raise.

**9) DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS**

Dates of future meetings to be advised.

Potential agenda items for the Parish Council Forum should be sent to the Governance Team, Rutland County Council, Catmose, Oakham, Rutland, LE15 6HP, or emailed to [governance@rutland.gov.uk](mailto:governance@rutland.gov.uk)

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