

# Marston Montgomery Parish Council

## Agenda 12<sup>th</sup> January 2026

### Present

Mick Butler, Matthew Bates, Steve George, Liz Archer, Mr & Mrs Gardner, Alex Stephen.

### 1. Apologies for absence

Cllr Sue Bull	Peter Collyer
Cllr Steve Bull	Nick Brown

### 2. Declarations of interest - None

### 3. Minutes of the last meeting Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2025

The Minutes of the last meeting were agreed and approved as a true record of the meeting. They were proposed by Parish Councillor Steve George and seconded by Parish Councillor Matthew Bates.

### 4. Matters arising from previous meetings

- Images of the block drains near Ashbourne Glamping sent by Matt Bates to Cllr Steve Bull for escalation.
- Images of the pothole in Waldley, sent to Cllr Steve Bull
- Flooding along Thurvaston road was discussed – Matt Bates to send images to Cllr Bull when the issue arises again.
- Steve George gave the parish statement for the book club (in relation to the phone box) to Liz Archer to present at their next meeting. The book club in December was cancelled.

### 5. Public participation

Mr & Mrs Gardner raised concerns about the planning along Thurvaston road. The revised plans were shown at the meeting and discussed. Previous plans were revisited on the Derbyshire Dales website.

### 6. Planning

#### - **25/00621/FUL Thurvaston Road – discuss email response**

Steve George and Mick Butler attended the site meeting on 12/01/26. They were given the opportunity to run through concerns that the parish had posted on the Derbyshire Dales Planning website.

#### - **26/00001/AGR Marston Brook Farm, Barway – No objections**

### 7. Banking/payments

- Clerk timesheet approved
- Steve George reimbursement for the purchase of the printer - £149.99, agreed.

**8. Precept 2026** – Clerk sent over to DDC.

**9. Website** – Discussions about the logo are taking place over the next couple of days. Matt Bates and Alex are to work together to get the website up and running, hopefully by the next meeting. All agreed that planning applications will be published on the new website to provide villagers with more transparency.

**10. DALC training** -Alex to advise councillors of costings and book relevant clerk training.

**11. Communications** – All relevant emails were circulated to councillors before the meeting.

**12. Any other business**

To action the review of parish standing orders and policies. Councillors to work together, along with the clerk, to update policies and standing orders in line with DALC.

**13. Date of next meeting – Monday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2026.**