

IDRIDGEHAY & ALTON AND ASHLEYHAY PARISH COUNCIL
ORDINARY MEETING
Wednesday 12th November 2025 | 19:00
Cornstore - Idridgehay

Members Present:

- Cllr Jane Smith [Chairman]	- Cllr Mike Westbrooke
- Cllr Carl Hempshall	- Cllr Eric Matkin
- Cllr Dudley Ibbett	- Matthew Evans [Clerk]

IAAP – 44/25 Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Cllr. Westbrooke and Cllr. Brooks.

IAAP – 45/25 To receive any Declarations of Interest.

Cllr. Ibbett raised an interest in the planning item on the agenda.

IAAP – 46/25 To approve the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting

It was proposed by Cllr. Smith and seconded by Cllr. Ibbett that the minutes be accepted, and this was agreed.

IAAP – 47/25 Questions from members of the public:

No questions received.

IAAP – 48/25 Reports from Borough & County Councillors and Derbyshire Police

Reports were received from Cllr. David Taylor, regarding his work on the Amber Valley Borough Council.

Reports were received from Cllr. Rachael Hatchett, regarding her work on Derbyshire County Council.

IAAP – 49/25 Idridgehay Community Association

a) Bus Shelter

It was proposed by Cllr. Smith and seconded by Cllr. Hempshall that the Council will begin preparing to submit a formal application and that a full budget will be prepared by the Clerk ready for the start of the new financial year.

IAAP – 50/25 To consider any planning matters:

It was agreed to comment on application AVA-2025-0704 to comment on the application.

IAAP – 51/25 To receive updates about progress on resolutions:

a) Memorial Garden



It was agreed that the item would be deferred until the next meeting to allow Cllr. Westbrooke to comment.

b) Parish Online – Free .GOV.UK domain & inbox [Update]

The Clerk update the Council on the progress made with the transition to .GOV.UK domain and issues arising.

c) Newsletter November – To approve Draft

Draft was approved.

d) SIDs

It was agreed that the item would be deferred until the next meeting to allow Cllr. Westbrooke to comment.

e) Website Update

It was agreed that the item would be deferred until the next meeting to allow Cllr. Brooks to comment.

IAAP – 52/25 Finances:

a) Statement of Accounts

As of the meeting the following represents the amounts held by the Parish Council in its respective accounts:

Current Account: £35.81
Business Reserve Account: £7,314.97
95 Day Notice Account: £10,371.18

b) Approval of Payments

The approval of payments was proposed by Cllr. C. Hempshall and seconded by Cllr. E. Matkin. It was agreed upon unanimously, and the Chair signed off on both the accounts and schedule of payments.

(List of Payments Attached)

c) Approval of Bank Reconciliations

The bank reconciliations were proposed by Cllr. C. Hempshall, and seconded by Cllr. E. Matkin, and it was agreed upon unanimously.

d) Draft Budget 2026/2027



It was proposed by Cllr. Ibbett and seconded by Cllr. Smith to accept the draft budget subject to formal agreement in January 2026.

IAAP – 53/25 Correspondence

N/A

IAAP – 54/25 Items to be added (or carried forward) to the Agenda for the next meeting.

The following items will be added or carried forward to the agenda of the next meeting:

- Memorial Garden
- Defibs
- Website Update

IAAP – 55/25 To approve the date and time of the next meeting

The date of the next meeting will be 14th January 2026 at 19:00

The Chairman declared the meeting closed at 20:30

Chairman:

Signature: _____

