

Brendon & Countisbury Parish Council

Annual Parish Meeting

No members of the Public attended

Minutes of Annual Council Meeting (77)

**Held in The Staghunters Inn on
Thursday 21st May 2026**

- 1. Councillors Present.** Karen Wall (Chair), Pat Patel (Vice Chair), Nigel Webber, John Atherton, Tony Robins, Paul Grout.
Andrea Davis (DCC),
Apologies. Andrew Hodges, John Patrinos (NDDC), Scott Elliott (Police)
- 2. Declaration of Interests.** None
- 3. Public Participation.** None
- 4. Approval of minutes of last meeting.** Karen Wall proposed that the minutes be approved. This was seconded by Pat Patel and all agreed.
- 5. Matters arising.** None
- 6. Planning.** The meeting was informed that the NP Luminance Officer had recently approved the application, the Council had no objection.
- 7. Finance.** Audit fee £110. Grass cutting April. Insurance £176.56.
Nigel Webber proposed that they should all be paid. This was seconded by Tony Robins and all agreed.
- 8. Audit Report.** The RFO informed that the Audit had been completed with no issues.
The AGAR statements, end of year accounts and document review were all signed by the Chair ready for publication along with the exercise of public rights.
- 9. County Councillor's report.** On website.
- 10. District Councillor's report.** On website.

11. AOB. Karen Wall informed the meeting that it may be possible to obtain funds from "Farming in Protected Landscapes" (FiPL) to clear the river of fallen and dead trees. Riparians along the river will be contacted. Update at next meeting.

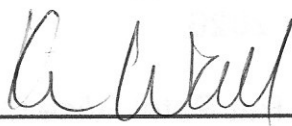
Meeting closed @ 19:45

Signed



Clerk

Approved



Chair

Date

18/06/2026

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