



Lostwithiel Town Council Extraordinary Meeting Tuesday 28 April 2026

Meeting Minutes

An Extraordinary Meeting of Lostwithiel Town Council was held in Lostwithiel Guildhall on Tuesday 28 April 2026 at 6.30pm.

Councillors Present

Mayor Berryman, Deputy Mayor Rawlings, Councillor Anders, Councillor Guiterman, Councillor Henderson, Councillor Lindsay-Gale, Councillor Lowe, Councillor McClarin, Councillor Nineham, Councillor Santo Warner & Councillor Surgey.

In attendance

Two members of the public were in attendance
Town Clerk Sandra Harris was in attendance

395/25 Apologies of Absence

Apologies were received and accepted from Councillor Ankowski, Councillor Eastham & Councillor Thomas.

396/25 Declarations of Interest

None.

397/25 Public Participation

The Council was addressed regarding agenda item 05 Cornwall Council's 20 mph Phase 5 Pre-Consultation Stakeholder Meeting.

Both members of the public left the meeting.

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It was **resolved** that the minutes of the Extraordinary Council Meeting held on 14 April March 2026 are accepted, approved and duly signed by

Mayor Berryman.

Proposer: Cllr Henderson

Seconded: Cllr Nineham

Vote: 9 votes in favour, 2 abstentions.

399/25 Cornwall Council 20mph Phase 5 Pre-Consultation

It was **resolved** that following the Pre-Consultation Teams Meeting the Council submits the following observations and suggested amendments to Cornwall Council:-

- That the reduction in speed on the A390 (approaching Lostwithiel from the St Austell direction) be introduced further up the hill to improve safety at the Tanhouse Lane and South Street junctions, noting poor visibility, difficult bends, steep gradient and increased downhill stopping distances.
- That a 20mph limit be introduced along the A390 between Duke Street and the Community Centre due to pedestrian activity and the presence of bus stops.
- That the existing 30mph limit on the A390 be extended back to the second island gate and the skatepark stile to improve pedestrian safety.
- That the speed limit on Castle Hill be extended beyond the Gilbury estate entrance due to the absence of pavements and vehicle speeds on the downhill section.
- That the existing 30mph limit on Bodmin Hill be retained, with a transition to 20mph introduced near the entrance to Knights Court to support bridleway and footpath users.

Proposer: Cllr Nineham

Seconded: DM Rawlings

Vote: 11 votes in favour.

400/25 Councillor Staff Protocol

It was **resolved** to approve the policy as drafted subject to the following amendments:- Page 4 Amend two statements to read 'To represent the Council externally when authorised by Full Council and 'to act as advocates for their residents when authorised by Full Council' together with correction of minor typographical errors.

Proposer: Cllr Guiterman

Seconded: Cllr Nineham

Vote: 11 votes in favour.

401/25 Local Council Planning Protocol & Addressing Cornwall Council Planning Committee Meetings

It was **resolved** to approve the policy as drafted subject to the addition of clarification that where a member of the Council's Planning Committee is

unable to attend a Cornwall Council Planning Committee meeting, another Town Councillor may, with the authorisation of Full Council, represent the Council either in person or virtually.

Proposer Mayor Berryman

Seconded Cllr McClarin

Vote: 11 votes in favour

It was **resolved** that under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the public and representatives of the press and broadcast media be excluded from the meeting and that the live streaming and any recording cease, during the consideration of the following items of business as publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest because of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.

Proposer: DM Rawlings

Seconded: Cllr McClarin

Vote: 11 votes in favour

The meeting closed at 19:50

Chairman

Date