



EMERSONS GREEN
TOWN COUNCIL

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7th of April 2026

To Councillors: Simon Budd, Colin Hunt, Rachael Hunt, Graham Hutter, Tina Potter and Eli Akatwijuka.

Dear Councillors,

You are hereby summoned to a meeting of the **Planning Committee** of Emersons Green Town Council to be held in **The Council Chamber of Emersons Green Town Council** on **Monday the 13th of April 2026 commencing at 1030hrs** for the transaction of the business on the **agenda attached**.

For your convenience, I have attached some useful guidance notes should any of your constituents wish to attend the meeting.

After the meeting, there will be the usual opportunity to share parish notices and other useful information with colleagues.

Of course, if you cannot attend for any reason then please send me your apologies by letter or email.

Joanne Bryant

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Town Clerk

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Emersons Green Town Council Meetings

Guidance Notes

Recording of Council Meetings

In accordance with The Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014, all Emersons Green Town Council meetings are open to the public and may be recorded.

All forms of recording and use of social media are permitted during our meetings, which are always open to the public.

However, as a matter of courtesy and practicality, we kindly request that visitors wishing to record a meeting provide as much advance notice as possible. Our Council Chamber has limited space, but we will do our best to accommodate media and recording requirements on a first-come, first-served basis.

Distractions

Attendees are asked not to cause any distraction during meetings. The definition of a distraction is determined entirely at the Chair's discretion.

As a minimum, please avoid using flash photography or equipment that produces loud noise without prior approval. Failure to comply may result in being asked to leave by the Chair.

Public Participation

Public participation will take place only during the designated agenda item, which will be limited to a maximum of 30 minutes. During this time, members of the public are welcome to make representations, ask questions, or provide evidence relating to items on the agenda.

To assist with meeting administration, Emersons Green Town Council requests that members of the press and public email their questions in advance to clerk@emersonsgreen-tc.gov.uk no later than 12:00 noon on the day before the meeting.

In the email, please confirm whether you will attend in person or would like an officer to read your question on your behalf.

Priority for physical attendance will be given to members of the press and individuals who have submitted questions in advance—especially those wishing to present their questions personally. Remaining seats will then be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

At the Chair's discretion, each individual representation will be limited to no more than five minutes. During the meeting, the Chair will invite speakers who have indicated a wish to participate. Written representations may also be accepted at this time.

Standing Orders

For reference, copies of the Council's Standing Orders and all other policy documents governing meeting conduct are available on our website:

www.emersonsgreen-tc.gov.uk/town-council/council-policies

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AGENDA¹ 13th of April 2026

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INTRODUCTION

Welcome and Introductions.

The chair of the meeting will welcome members of the public, introduce all Councillors and guest speakers, describe the emergency procedures, and make any necessary safety announcements.

PL_2026.001 Declaration of Interest – Localism Act 2011.

Under Section 31 of Localism Act 2011 and in accordance with the Councils' Code of Conduct (section 27(6) (d)), any declarations of disclosable pecuniary or personal interests must be declared and Standing Orders followed. Requests for dispensations can be considered if received in advance of the meeting and in writing to the Clerk (Proper Officer) – Localism Act 2011 S33.

PL_2026.002 Public Participation.

Members of the public will be given the opportunity to ask questions of the committee for a maximum of five minutes per person in accordance with the guidance notes.

COUNCIL ADMINISTRATION

PL_2026.003 Minutes.

To consider that the *Minutes of the Planning Committee Meeting on the 30th of March 2026*, copies having been circulated, be approved as a correct record, and signed by the Chair.

PL_2026.004 Outstanding items.

To receive an update from the Committee Clerk.

PL_2026.005 Planning and Licensing Applications.

To consider the Schedule of Planning and Licensing Applications at Appendix A.

PL_2026.006 Planning Decisions.

To note the Schedule of Planning Application Decisions at Appendix B.

COMMUNICATIONS



PL_2026.007 Correspondence.

To note official correspondence to the Committee, copies having been circulated.

PL_2026.008 Next Meeting.

To note the next meeting of the Planning Committee is currently scheduled for:

Monday 27th of April 2026 at 1030hrs in Emersons Green Town Council Chambers.

To note the time that the business of this meeting was closed.

At the discretion of the Chair, Councillors may be invited to make Parish announcements and take part in a general discussion after the meeting.

Schedule of Planning & Licensing Applications.

Items to be considered at the meeting on the 13th of April 2026:

DATE	REF NO	LOCATION	PROPOSAL	EGTC COMMENTS
02/02/2026	P26/00240/F	Buildings A And D Green Tree Farm Lyde Green Emersons Green South Gloucestershire BS16 7NT	Change of use of 1no. building to 6no. flats (Class C2) and 1no. building to shared recreational space with associated works as defined in the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order 1987 (as amended) (retrospective).	
27/03/2026	P26/00731/HH	7 Meadgate Emersons Green South Gloucestershire BS16 7AZ	Erection of single storey side and rear extensions to form additional living accommodation.	

Schedule of Planning Application Decisions.

Items to be noted at the meeting on the 13th of April 2026:

DATE	REF NO	LOCATION	PROPOSAL	EGTC COMMENTS	PLANNING DECISION
30/12/2024	P24/03000/RVC	Downend Car Wash The Huntsman Garage Westerleigh Road Downend South Gloucestershire BS16 6UB	Variation of condition 2 attached to permission PK12/3591/RVC (formerly PK11/3240/F) to allow for the installation of external lighting. Change of use from Car and Van Rentals (Sui Generis) to Hand Car Wash and Car Sales (Sui Generis) as defined in The Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order 1987 (as amended). Creation of new vehicular access.	Objection in regards to the obtrusiveness of the lighting to neighbouring residents. If approval is granted, prior to this we recommend a full lighting assessment is completed.	Approve with Conditions
20/11/2025	P25/02691/PIP	Land South Of Westerleigh Road, Emerson Green, Bristol BS16 6UB	Permission in principle for the erection of a minimum of 8 no. dwellings and a maximum of 9 no. dwellings.	No Objection.	Approve

23/12/2025	P25/02989/F	Car Park At The National Composites Centre Bristol And Bath Science Park Emersons Green South Gloucestershire BS16 7FSGloucestershire BS16 7GA	Erection of 1no. building to form data facility, with fencing, and associated works	No Objection.	Approve with Conditions
05/02/2026	P26/00262/HH	264A Badminton Road Downend South Gloucestershire BS16 6NS	Installation of replacement 1no. side dormer to form additional living accommodation.	No Objection.	Approve with Conditions