

THURTON PARISH COUNCIL

Freedom of Information Model Publication Scheme

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Information available from Thurton Parish Council under their publication scheme

Hard copies of documents are available from the Clerk and will be charged in accordance with the Schedule on Page 7.

Information to be published	How the information can be obtained	Cost
Class1 - Who we are and what we do (Organisational information, structures, locations and contacts) This will be current information only	From the Council's website Displayed on noticeboards As a hard copy from the Clerk, or electronically attached to an email from the Clerk	See costs on Page 7 for hard copies of documents in Class 1
Who's who on the Council and its Committees	From the Council's website As a hard copy from the Clerk, or electronically attached to an e mail from the Clerk	as above
Contact details for Parish Clerk and Councillors (named contacts where possible with telephone number)	From the Council's website Clerk's contact details are on Page 7. Clerk and Councillors' details hard copy, as an attachment to an email from the Clerk	as above
Location of main Council office and accessibility details	Office is in Clerk's home. Meetings at the Village Hall, meetings open to public. Limited parking adjacent to the Hall	
Staffing structure	Clerk is sole employee	

Class 2 – What we spend and how we spend it (Financial information relating to projected and actual income and expenditure, procurement, contracts and financial audit) Current and previous financial year as a minimum	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	See costs on Page 7 for hard copies of documents in Class 2
Annual Return (Pages 2, 3 and 5) Reasons for Variations = / - 15% Payments over £100 [if a council with turnover £25,000 or under] or payments over £500 [if a council with turnover £200,000 or over]	As above As above As above	
Finalised budget	As above	
Precept	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	
Financial Regulations and Standing Orders	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	
Grants given and received Grant Award Policy	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	
List of current contracts awarded and value of contract (currently not applicable as no contracts awarded)	Hard copy from the Clerk	
Councillors' allowances and expenses	Currently N/A	
Class 3 – What our priorities are and how we are doing (Strategies and plans, performance indicators, audits, inspections and reviews)		See costs on Page 7 for hard copies of documents in Class 3
Action Plan/s [if any]	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	
Chairman's Annual Report to Parish Meeting (current year only)	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	
Minute relating to General Power of Competence adoption	Currently not used - N/A Or details can be found at: [...]	
Class 4 – How we make decisions (Decision making processes and records of decisions)		See costs on Page 7 for

Current and previous council year as a minimum		hard copies of documents in Class 4
Timetable of meetings (Council, any committee/sub-committee meetings and parish meetings)	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk Parish noticeboard/s	
Agendas of meetings (as above)	From the Council's website or noticeboard	
Minutes of meetings (as above) – NB this will exclude information that is properly regarded as private to the meeting	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk [Possibly parish noticeboard]	
Reports presented to council meetings - note this will exclude information that is properly regarded as private to the meeting	Currently N/A	
Responses to planning applications	Contained within minutes	
Responses to consultation papers		
Class 5 – Our policies and procedures (Current written protocols, policies and procedures for delivering services and responsibilities) Current information only		See costs on Page 7 for hard copies of documents in Class 5
Policies and procedures for the conduct of council business: Procedural standing orders Delegated authority in respect of officers: Code of Conduct Policy	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	
Policies and procedures for the provision of services and about the employment of staff: Equality and diversity Policy Lone Workers Policy Bullying and Harassment Policy Policies and procedures for handling requests for information Freedom of Information Publication Scheme	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	

Complaints procedures (including those covering requests for information and operating the publication scheme) Records Management Policy(records retention, destruction and archive)	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	
Class 6 – Lists and Registers Currently maintained lists and registers only		See costs on Page 7 for hard copies of documents in Class 6
Any publicly available register or list (if any are held this should be publicised; in most circumstances existing access provisions will suffice)	N/A	
Assets Register	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	
Register of members'/councillors' interests	Available from South Norfolk Council website	
Register of gifts and hospitality	Apply to Clerk	
Class 7 – The services we offer Information about the services the Council offers, including leaflets, guidance and newsletters produced for the public and businesses Current information only	From the Council's website or as a hard copy from the Clerk	See costs on Page 7 for hard copies of documents in Class 7
Allotments	Tenancy document available from the Clerk as a hard copy	
Other examples:		
Seating, dog waste bins		
Bus Shelters	No relevant information	
A summary of services for which the Council is entitled to recover a fee, together with those fees (e.g. burial fees)	None	
Additional Information [This will provide Councils with the opportunity to publish information that is not itemised in the lists above]		

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