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NOTICE OF A COUNCIL MEETING

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of Hemsworth Town Council to be held in the main hall, Hemsworth Town Council Community Centre, Bullenshaw Road, Hemsworth, commencing at 7.15pm on 5 February 2026 for the purpose of transacting the following business.

Andrew Firth
Town Clerk

*NB: This meeting will be broadcasted simultaneously via 'Zoom',
the details of which are at the foot of this agenda.*

BUSINESS

01 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence and to consider and approve the reasons for absence.

02 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillors should disclose pecuniary or non-pecuniary interest/s in any item/s on this agenda.

03 MINUTES

a) To approve the minutes of the council meeting on 8 January 2026 as detailed in the minute book (2025-26).

b) To adopt the minutes of the finance committee meeting on 8 January 2026 as detailed in the minute book (2025-26).

04 ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

To confirm the payment of accounts for October, November and December 2025.

05 INCOME

To review the council's income for December 2025.

06 CONTRACT AWARDS

To consider the approval and publication of contract awards.

07 MEMORIAL BENCH

To approve the placement of a memorial bench at Hemsworth Water Park.

08 STANDING ORDERS

To consider a change to standing orders.

09 POLICIES

To consider replacing the existing “Abuse, Intimidation or Rudeness Policy” (approved at the Policy, Planning and Staffing Committee on 17 October 2024) with the revised Policy on Unacceptable Behaviour by Members of the Public.

10 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS

To approve the payment of accounts for February 2026.

11 PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

To receive questions from members of the public and to receive any reports from community meetings.

12 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

Members of the public and the press to be excluded for the consideration of business a confidential nature, as per the Public Bodies Admissions to Meetings Act 1960.

13 CLUB TERRACE

To receive an update on the sale of land at Club Terrace.

CIRCULATION

Councillors Bacon, Bates, Conway, Darby, Dixon, Dodson, Fernie, Hardacre, Kendall, McGinnies, S Middleton, V Middleton, Rushmer, Stephens and Whitehead.

Andrew Firth
Town Clerk
30 January 2026

To remotely attend via the Zoom app:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82179908780?pwd=QnMo2c3HOd9uGFhnhYmXqA2NJ4nKX.1>

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