

Correspondence List for 11th February 2026 Parish Council Meeting

Subject	From	Date Received	Notes
Road Closure notifications	Somerset Highways	Various	Road closures relevant to our parish have been circulated.
Taunton Local Community Network Meeting - 23 February 2026 / Local information	Local Community Network Link Officer	09/01/2026	Email circulated to councillors.
Fence bordering Quantock View	Members of the public	10/01/2026	Several members of the public upset that the fencing that was falling down alongside Quantock View has been taken down without their agreement. New fencing is required but no one is admitting responsibility.
Wheatstones grass	A member of the public	12/01/2026	A request to have fencing put round the grass to stop people parking on it. Request sent to Somerset Council.
Somerset Council Asset Devolution - Bishops Lydeard Parish Council.	Senior Property Manager Somerset Council	13/01/2026	Email circulated to councillors. A decision will be required.
Flooding, damage to drive damage to vehicles also causing ice	A member of the public	15/01/2026	Email sent to advise that this needs to be reported to Somerset Council.
Ramblers 2026 Project: Potential Rights of Way for Cothelstone Parish Council	Somerset Ramblers Area Footpath Officer	15/01/2026	Email forwarded to the PPLO and Councillors for comment.
January Parish Council Meeting	A member of the public	15/01/2026	Updated councillor training provided.

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			NALC "Civility & Respect" training to be investigated (cost and dates) before a decision can be made.
Activation of Emergency Plan & Related Matters.	A member of the public	16/01/2026	Response sent – the Emergency Plan is in draft and has not been adopted by the council yet.
Weekly Parish Email - contains important information	Senior Parish and Community Development Officer Somerset Council	16/01/2026	Information as follows: Parish Briefing Sheet and Q&As about Somerset Council's Consolidation Strategy for Effective dog control. Useful links following Storm Goretti and Fostering information.
Love Your Countryside: New Awards celebrate great things happening in Somerset's countryside.	Campaign to Protect Rural England	20/01/2026	Email circulated to councillors.
Wessex Water Community Drop-In – Wiveliscombe	Wessex Water Community Outreach Coordinator	20/01/2026	Information uploaded as an 'event' to the Parish Council website.
Citizens Advice Somerset - update and 2025 reflections	Citizens Advice - Executive Operations Manager	24/01/2026	Email circulated to councillors.
Urgent - Storm Chandra - Somerset Community Impact Feedback	Somerset Council	26/01/2026	Email circulated to councillors.
Storm / flooding response	Local Community Network Link Officer	26/01/2026	Email circulated to councillors.
Parish Update - Storm Chandra	Locality Development Manager	28/01/2026	Email circulated to councillors.

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Stakeholder briefing - major incident and flood response update	Somerset Council Communications Team	28/01/2026 and then daily	Email circulated to councillors.
Every Life Matters - Suicide Prevention is Everyone's Business	Somerset Council	28/01/2026	Email circulated to councillors. Information added to website.
Application to Parish Council Community Safety Grant from Crimestoppers South West	Crimestoppers Southwest Region	29/01/2026	Grant request to be reviewed at a Parish Council meeting.
Derby Way Telephone Box	A member of the public	02/02/2026	Email reply sent thanking the member of the public for the information provided.
Residents Invited to shape the future of social care in Somerset	Somerset Council	03/02/2026	Email circulated to councillors.
Support for community warmer greener homes	Somerset Council	03/02/2026	Email circulated to councillors.
News and updates from SCF	SCF Chief Executive	05/02/2026	Email circulated to councillors.
RSV poster for your parish	NHS Somerset	05/02/2026	News item added to website.