QUEEN THORNE PARISH COUNCIL

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You are summonedd to a Meeting of the Queen Thorne Parish Council to be held on **Monday 3rd November 2025** commencing at 7.30pm in Trent Memorial Hall. Members of the public are invited to address the Council during the Open Forum which takes place around 8:15 at the Chairman's discretion.

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- 1. Apologies.
- 2. Declarations of Interest with items on the agenda
- 3. Casual vacancies in Nether Compton, Over Compton and Trent, to co-opt new members
- 4. To elect a new parish council representative to Trent Memorial Hall Committee
- 5. Minutes to resolve the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 1 September 2025
- 6. Reports from Dorset Council with the opportunity to ask questions
- 7. Business Items arising from Meeting 01/09/25
- a. Nether Compton Recreation Ground, update
- b. Allotments, including water usage and bill at Nether Compton
- c. Neighbourhood Plan, update
- d. Highways issues, new issues and updates on:
 - i. A30 road safety at the Marl Lane junction, changed layout and unauthorised coach park
 - ii. Over Compton, road signs
- e. Highways issues, already reported and awaiting decision/works:
 - i. Hummer Bridge area, road surface repairs
 - ii. Shiller's Lane, wall / fallen trees
 - iii. Mill Lane, Trent
 - iv. Damage to listed wall at Hill House, Compton Road
 - v. Glebe Farm, OC, drains and state of road
- f. Environment: Issues /reports
- g. Wessex Internet fibre broadband connection, update
- h. Mobile phone coverage Sandford Orcas proposal, update-
- i. Flood Prevention in Sandford Orcas, Swale and drains, update
- j. Repair to the wall at Over Compton Triangle
- k. Parish Council laptop and domain
- I. Proposed solar farm at Wyke, update

8. New Business:

- a. Tree planting and maintenance
- b. Repairs to village notice boards in Trent, to consider quotation.
- c. State of pavement on Down Lane, Trent
- d. Nether Compton defibrillator, pads and spare pads
- e. Bradford Abbas Neighbourhood Plan consultation
- f. Roadside hedges and verges, owners responsibility
- g. Sandford Orcas Manor, update

9. Financial Matters:

- a. To receive financial report year to date and agree payment of invoices
- b. Budget preparation, to decide on working group

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10. Planning Matters:

- a. To report on applications for comment by the Parish Council
- b. To report applications determined by Dorset Council
- c. To report on neighbouring applications to Somerset Council
- 11. Dates of future Meetings.
- 12. Items for next Meeting