



## Agenda

- Meeting:** Transport, Economy, Environment and Enterprise Overview and Scrutiny Committee
- To:** Councillors David Staveley (Chair), Melanie Davis (Vice-Chair), Philip Barrett, Derek Bastiman, Hannah Gostlow, Paul Haslam, David Ireton, David Jeffels, Janet Jefferson, Steve Mason, David Noland, Subash Sharma, Phil Trumper, Steve Watson, Andrew Williams and Robert Windass.
- Date:** Wednesday, 29 April 2026
- Time:** 10.00 am
- Venue:** Brierley Room, County Hall, Northallerton, DL7 8AD
- Please note:** A lunch break is scheduled for 12:30pm.

### Business

- 1. Apologies for Absence**
- 2. Minutes of the Meeting held on 28 January 2026** (Pages 3 - 8)
- 3. Declarations of Interest**

All Members are invited to declare at this point any interests they have in items appearing on this agenda, including the nature of those interests.
- 4. Public Participation**

Members of the public may ask questions or make statements at this meeting if they have given notice (to include the text of the question/statement) to Will Baines, Senior Scrutiny Officer ([william.baines@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:william.baines@northyorks.gov.uk)) no later than midday on Friday 24 April 2026. Each speaker should limit themselves to 3 minutes on any item. Members of the public who have given notice will be invited to speak:

  - At this point in the meeting if their questions/statements relate to matters which are not otherwise on the Agenda (subject to an overall time limit of 30 minutes);
  - When the relevant Agenda item is being considered if they wish to speak on a matter which is on the Agenda for this meeting.

If you are exercising your right to speak at this meeting, but do not wish to be recorded, please inform the Chair who will instruct those taking a recording to cease while you speak.
- 5. Highways Maintenance Capital Funding 26/27 to 29/30** (Pages 9 - 32)

6. **Development and Adoption of a Tree and Woodland Policy** (Pages 33 - 86)
7. **Climate Change Delivery Pathway Performance Report** (Pages 87 - 102)
8. **Annual Report of the Climate Change Member Champion** (Pages 103 - 108)
9. **Progress on Issues Raised** (Pages 109 - 112)
10. **Work Programme** (Pages 113 - 116)
11. **Report for Information Only**
- 11a **Corporate Bi-annual Performance Update** (Pages 117 - 144)  
Deferred from the previous meeting.
12. **Any other items**  
Any other items which the Chair agrees should be considered as a matter of urgency because of special circumstances.
13. **Date of Next Meeting**  
Monday 6 July 2026 at County Hall, Northallerton, 10am start.

Members are reminded that in order to expedite business at the meeting and enable Officers to adapt their presentations to address areas causing difficulty, they are encouraged to contact Officers prior to the meeting with questions on technical issues in reports.

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