



**Minutes of the Meeting of Kidlington Parish Council's  
Extraordinary Meeting for Full Parish Council  
Held at Exeter Hall at 8.00 pm on Thursday, 12 February 2026**

**Present:** Cllr Lesley Mclean (Chair), Cllr Linda Ward, Cllr Phil Wyse, Cllr Nik Soheili, Cllr Dave Kanonuwa, Cllr Alison Street, Cllr Ian Middleton, Cllr Fiona Mawson, Cllr Doug Williamson, Cllr Robert Packard, Cllr Melanie Moorhouse, and Cllr Nik Soheili

**In Attendance:** Clerk – Sarah Kearney

**Apologies:** Cllr David Betts, Cllr David Robey, Cllr William Easdown Babb, Cllr Naveed Barakzai Pace

**Resident:** 0

**1. To receive Councillors' Apologies for Absence**

The Council unanimously **RESOLVED** and accepted the apologies from Cllr David Betts, Cllr David Robey, Cllr William Easdown Babb, Cllr Naveed Barakzai Pace

**2. To Record Members' Declarations of Interest regarding the Agenda Items**

To receive any requests for Dispensations or Declarations of Interest from Councillors relating to items on the agenda, in accordance with the Council's Code of Conduct, and to note any gifts and hospitality (please refer to the notes at the end of the agenda).

**Nothing to declared**

**3. To facilitate public participation with regard to items on the agenda** – Public participation is limited to 10 minutes in total. Members of the public may make only one address to the Council of no more than five minutes' duration and only concerning topics on the agenda.

**Nobody attended**

**4. Governance:**

**4.1 Town status for Kidlington** - to consider the attached proposal's

After a broad discussion on the rationale and survey responses provided

The Council **RESOLVED** to agree to the following proposal, and that it be referred to the Extraordinary Meeting on 19 February 2026 for consideration and a formal vote by Full Council on the Proposal that the Council considers and votes on the redesignation of Kidlington as a Town.

**5. Chair's announcements**

No Announcements

**6. Confidential Matters** – Public and Press will be asked to leave while matters are discussed, confidentially, by the Council

No Sections taken on Confidential Matters to be discussed

**Meeting Finished:**

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