



To all members of Westgate-on-Sea Town Council

You are summoned to attend a Meeting of the Full Council

On Wednesday 8th April 2026 at 7pm

To be held at the Town Council Office, 78 St Mildreds Road, Westgate-on-Sea CT8 8RF

Members of the public are welcome.

Signed: *Nabila Yakub* Town Clerk

This meeting will be livestreamed to the Westgate-on-Sea Town Council Official Facebook Page

1. **Welcome from the Chair**
2. **Apologies for Absence**
To receive and accept apologies for absence, if any.
3. **Members' Interests**
To receive any declarations of pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests.
4. **Public Right to Speak**
To invite the Public to raise any issues of interest for a maximum of 15 minutes, 3 minutes per person.
5. **Minutes**
To receive and approve the minutes of the Full Council meeting held on 11th March 2026.
6. **Calendar of Meetings**
To consider changes to frequency and days of Full Council and Committee meetings. **Decision required in principle**, for adoption at Annual Council Meeting.
7. **Policies**
To review/adopt the following policies:
 - Whistleblowing
 - Training and Development
 - Social Media
 - Press and Media
8. **Council Association Memberships**
To renew Annual Membership to KALC and NALC, year ending 31st March 2027. **Decision required.**

9. Committees

Council to approve advertising co-option of up to two community members to the Events, Tourism and Development Committee. **Decision required.**

10. Annual Town Meeting

To discuss format of the Wednesday 13th May event.

11. Councillors' Reports

Councillors to report on any matters arising since the last meeting, if appropriate.

12. County and Thanet District Councillors' Reports

KCC and/or TDC Ward Councillors to report on issues affecting Westgate-on-Sea.

13. Reports from Steven England, Beat Officer for Westgate and Birchington, and/or Jason Gordon, Community Warden

To report on issues pertaining to the Westgate area.

14. Clerk's Correspondence

To receive an update.

15. Date of Next Meeting

6th May 2026, 7pm – Annual Council Meeting.

16. Exclusion of the Public and Press

The Council is requested to pass a resolution to exclude Press and Public from the remainder of the meeting pursuant to section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meeting Act) 1960. Because of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted, the public and the press may be asked to leave the meeting during consideration of the following items:

To consider confidential staffing matters.