

WEST OXFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the
Council

Held in the Council Chamber, Council Offices, Woodgreen, Witney, Oxfordshire OX28 1NB
at 2.00 pm on **Wednesday, 22 July 2026**

PRESENT

Councillors: Carl Rylett (Chair), Joy Aitman (Vice-Chair), Tammy Abarno, Thomas Ashby, Andrew Beaney, Adam Clements, Sandra Coleman, Andrew Coles, Rachel Crouch, Duncan Enright, Sarah Evans, Roger Faulkner, Nick Field-Johnson, Andy Graham, David Jackson, Edward James, Liz Leffman, Dan Levy, Jan Lund, Liam Mackenzie, Stuart McCarroll, Paul Marsh, Hannah Massie, Michele Mead, David Melvin, Rosie Pearson, Elizabeth Poskitt, Andrew Prosser, Nigel Ridpath, Geoff Saul, Sandra Simpson, Alaric Smith, Tim Sumner, Jack Treloar, Sarah Veasey, Liam Walker, Mark Walker, Simon Watson, Alex Wilson and Alistair Wray

Officers: Madhu Richards (Director of Finance), Andrea McCaskie (Director of Governance and Regulatory Services), Phil Martin (Chief Executive and Head of Paid Service), Frank Wilson (Managing Director - Publica), Andrew Brown (Head of Democratic and Electoral Services), Anne Learmonth (Democratic Services Officer), Maria Harper (Democratic Services Assistant), Ana Prelici (Senior Democratic Services Officer), Georgina Dyer (Head of Finance), Phil Shaw (Planning Services Transformation Lead), Emma Tarry and Andrew Thomson (Planning Policy Manager)

Guests: Julian Cooper

CL.120 Apologies for Absence

There were no apologies for absence received.

CL.121 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest received.

CL.122 Participation of the Public

CL.123 Award of Honorary Title to Julian Cooper

The Meeting closed at 2.15 pm

CHAIR