



The Old Courthouse,
Jaycroft Road,
Burnham on Sea,
TA8 1LE

27th November 2025

To: All Members of the Town Council

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED TO ATTEND an extraordinary meeting of the **TOWN COUNCIL** to be held on **3rd December 2025** in the Council Chamber, Old Courthouse, Jaycroft Road, TA8 1LE at **6.00 pm** for the purpose of transacting the business set out in the agenda below.

All members of the public are welcome to attend.

Building doors will be open at 5:45pm

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "K Noble", enclosed in a thin black rectangular border.

Katherine Noble
Town Clerk

Please contact the Town Council reception (01278 788088) if you need further information on this agenda.

Members of the Burnham and Highbridge Town Council

Councillor R. Baker
Councillor M. Facey (Mayor)
Councillor G. Gudka
Councillor R. Keen
Councillor B. Metcalfe
Councillor P. Mills
Councillor K. Pearce
Councillor C. Searing
Councillor B. Vickers

Councillor P. Clayton
Councillor J. Flurry
Councillor A. Hendry
Councillor A. Matthews
Councillor L. Millard
Councillor M. Murphy
Councillor S. Perry
Councillor N. Tolley
Councillor P. Wynn (Deputy Mayor)



Public participation

A public participation session will now be held before the meeting starts. Anyone wishing to speak on any matters is encouraged to give notice of the request and subject matter to the Town Clerk no later than midday on the last working day prior to the meeting. Public participation shall be restricted to the public participation session, unless directed otherwise by the Chair. In accordance with standing orders the public participation time will not exceed 15 minutes in total with no individual speaker exceeding 3 minutes.

Extraordinary Town Council Meeting Agenda

3rd December 2025

- 576.0.T25 Apologies for absence**
- 577.0.T25 To receive any declarations of interest on items included on this agenda**
- 578.0.T25 To consider request from Burnham Chamber of Trade to cover the cost of 12 solar powered Christmas trees for the High Street**

A Burnham Chamber of Trade member has been in touch this evening with a great suggestion to brighten up the High Street this Christmas - by hiring 24 solar powered Christmas trees to be installed on the 12 High Street hanging basket columns. These have previously worked well in Burnham many years ago.

The total cost would be £1,248 and they could be installed by the end of next week.

The chamber member says that if the council has no budget, they would be willing to offer a contribution to make it happen.

We think this is a very positive suggestion, but it would naturally need to be moved on quickly given the timescales. Is this something that you would consider?