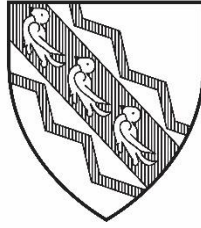


# DISLEY PARISH COUNCIL



## Freedom of Information - Publication Scheme

### Introduction

This model publication scheme has been prepared and approved by the Information Commissioner. It may be adopted without modification by any public authority without further approval and will be valid until further notice.

This publication scheme commits Disley Parish Council to make information available to the public as part of its normal business activities.

Further information on publication schemes, definitions and sector-specific guidance manuals issued by the Information Commissioner are available on-line at:

<https://ico.org.uk/for-organisations/local-government/>

The scheme commits the Council:

- To proactively publish or otherwise make available as a matter of routine, information, including environmental information, which is held by the authority and falls within the classifications below.
- To specify the information which is held by the authority and falls within the classifications below.
- To proactively publish or otherwise make available as a matter of routine, information in line with the statements contained within this scheme.
- To produce and publish the methods by which the specific information is made routinely available so that it can be easily identified and accessed by members of the public.
- To review and update on a regular basis the information the authority makes available under this scheme.
- To produce a schedule of any fees charged for access to information which is made proactively available.
- To make this publication scheme available to the public.

### Information held by Disley Parish Council but not specified within the Publication Scheme

Information held by the Council, that is not specified in this publication scheme, can be requested from the Council in writing, when its release will be considered in accordance with the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act.

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## Information availability

The Council will endeavour to provide information *not* available on its' website within five working days of receipt of request. Information relating to Council meetings will be available within two working days of receipt of request. The Council will make as much information as possible immediately available.

If you require a hard copy of any information contained in the scheme or wish to verify whether specific information is available, please contact the Parish Council as below.

## Contact details

The Parish Council office is open between 9.00am and 1.00pm, Monday to Fridays.

Address:	Disley Community Centre off Buxton Old Road Disley SK12 2BB
Telephone:	01663 762726
Email:	<a href="mailto:admin@disleyparishcouncil.org.uk">admin@disleyparishcouncil.org.uk</a>
Website:	<a href="http://www.disleyparishcouncil.org.uk">www.disleyparishcouncil.org.uk</a>

Information published	Information location	Cost*
<b>1. Who we are and what we do?</b> (Correct at date of re-adoption)		
Contact details for The Parish Clerk and Council Members.	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Councillor's Declaration of Acceptance of Office	Hard copy available on request	FOC
Councillor's Register of Interests	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Location of Council Offices and contact details.	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
What does the Council do?	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Councillor responsibilities: Council committee memberships Council Project Team Membership. Membership of non-Council bodies.	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
List of Council Officers and roles	Disley Parish Council website	FOC

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<b>2. What we spend and how we spend it</b>		
Annual Return – Annual Governance, Accounting Statements and External Auditor’s Report	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Annual Internal Auditors Report	Council Meeting Agenda Packs Hard copy available on request	FOC
Annual Chair’s Review and Chair of Finance Annual Report.	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request Distributed with Spring/Summer Edition of Disley News.	FOC
Approved Annual Budget	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Precept (Contained within Accounting Statement, Annual Finance Report and Annual Budget)	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Standing Orders and Financial Regulations	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC*
Community Grants awarded	Examples on Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Chair’s allowance and Councillor expenses (Contained within Annual Finance Report and Annual Budget)	Hard copy available on request	FOC
Details of current contracts awarded	Hard copies available on request	FOC
Council expenditure (past two years) (Itemised within Council Meeting minutes)	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC*
<b>3. What our priorities are and how we are doing.</b>		
Chair’s Annual Report to Parish Meeting	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request Distributed with Spring/Summer Edition of Disley News.	FOC
Parish Council Current Projects List	Copy in monthly Council Meeting Agenda Pack. Hard copy available on request	FOC
Disley and Newtown Parish Strategy 2024 -2028	Updated version due in Spring 2024	
<b>4. How we make decisions</b>		
Meetings Schedule (Council meetings and Annual Parish meeting)	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Agendas of meetings	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request Parish notice boards	FOC

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Minutes of meetings. (N.B. Excluding information that is properly regarded as private to the meeting).	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC*
Reports presented to council meetings (Agenda Packs) (N.B. Excluding information that is properly regarded as private to the meeting i.e. PART 2 Agenda items).	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC*
Council responses to public consultations (Contained in meeting minutes)	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Responses to planning applications (Contained in meeting minutes)	Hard copy available on request Cheshire East Council Planning Portal	FOC
<b>5. Our policies and procedures</b> (Correct at date of re-adoption)		
Standing Orders and Financial Regulations	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC*
Committee remits	Hard copy available on request	FOC
Delegated authority in respect of officers (contained in Standing Orders)	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC*
Members Code of Conduct	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Policy statements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• General Privacy Notice</li> <li>• Complaints Procedure</li> <li>• Equality Policy</li> <li>• Training Statement of Intent</li> <li>• Social Media and Electronic Communication Policy</li> <li>• Cyber Security Policy</li> <li>• Retention of Documents Policy</li> <li>• Disposal of Land Assets Policy</li> <li>• Safeguarding Policy</li> <li>• Gifts and Hospitality Policy</li> </ul>	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Freedom of Information Publication Scheme	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Transparency Code for Smaller Authorities	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Policy on Balances and Reserves	(Contained with Standing Orders and Financial regulations). Hard copy available on request	FOC

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Information published	Information location	Cost*
Risk Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Risk Assessment Action Plan</li> <li>• Community Centre</li> <li>• Events</li> <li>• Business Continuity Plan</li> <li>• Play Area Safety Inspection Reports</li> </ul>	Hard copy available on request	FOC*
Schedule of charges (for the publication of information)	Contained within this document	
<b>6. Lists and Registers</b> (Correct at date of re-adoption)		
Assets Register	Hard copy available on request	FOC*
Register of gifts and hospitality	Hard copy available on request	FOC
<b>7. The services we offer</b>		FOC
Allotments Blank tenancy agreement Schedule of charges Site plans	Hard copy available on request Disley Parish Council website	FOC
Community centre Hire rates Conditions of Hire.	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC
Community Bus Hire rates Conditions of Hire Timetable of trips.	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request Village notice boards	FOC
Information published	Information location	Cost*
Streetlights Schedule of Parish Council owned and maintained lights	Hard copy available on request	FOC
Land assets Schedule of Parish Council owned land.	Hard copy available on request	FOC
Community events	Disley Parish Council website	FOC
<b>Additional Information</b>		
Disley & Newtown Neighbourhood Plan documentation	Disley Parish Council website Hard copy available on request	FOC*
Communications Monthly eBulletin Disley News newsletter. Website Twitter feed	Hard copies and on-line Disley Parish Map and Walks (Hardcopy)	FOC £2.00

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Facebook Page Biennial Village Guide Disley Parish Map and Walks		
Directory of village businesses and organisations	Disley Parish Council website	FOC

## Exempt material includes:

- Personal information relating to Councillors other than that declared in the Register of Interests.
- Personal information relating to employees.
- Tenders and bids from contractors and suppliers.
- Information prohibited from publication by data protection legislation.

## \*Schedule of charges

Hardcopies up to a maximum of five A4 sides will be provided free of charge. Hardcopies of five sides and above will be charged as below:

TYPE OF CHARGE	DESCRIPTION	BASIS OF CHARGE
<b>Disbursement cost</b>	Photocopying @5p per sheet (black & white)	Actual cost
	Photocopying @10p per sheet (colour)	Actual cost
	Postage for mail requests	Actual cost of Royal Mail standard 1 <sup>st</sup> or 2 <sup>nd</sup> class postage as requested.
<b>Other</b>	Information inspected at the Parish Council Office.	Free of charge
	Information transmitted electronically.	Free of charge

	DATE	REVIEWER
Adopted	13/09/2017	R Holland
Reviewed	25/01/2019	R Holland
Re-adopted	13/02/2019	R Holland
Reviewed	18/07/2019	R Holland
Reviewed	24/11/2020	R Holland
Reviewed	18/02/2021	R Holland
Reviewed	10/02/2022	R Holland
Reviewed	17/01/2023	R Holland
Reviewed	30/01/2024	R Holland