

MINUTES OF A WINCHCOMBE TOWN COUNCIL FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING AT ABBEY FIELDS COMMUNITY CENTRE, BACK LANE, WINCHCOMBE AT 7.30PM ON WEDNESDAY 10 DECEMBER 2025.

PRESENT: Mr D Gray (Chair)                      Mr J Mason                      The Clerk  
                 Mrs G Madle                              Mr R Wakeford

1. TO NOTE APOLOGIES. None.
2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST. None.
3. MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING. None.
4. TO CONSIDER COMMUNITY GRANT SCHEME APPLICATIONS. One application received from Winchcombe Youth Football Club. Following consideration, the committee agreed to recommend that a grant be awarded at the Full Council meeting in January 2026.
5. TO RECEIVE AN UPDATE ON THE 2025-26 INCOME, ADMIN, FINANCE, EXTERNAL INTERESTS AND RESERVES BUDGETS. The committee reviewed budget summaries to date.
6. TO REVIEW THE PROPOSED 2026-27 BUDGETS FOR PLAYING FIELDS, GENERAL PURPOSES, BURIAL AND LEISURE & TOURISM. Following review, the committee agreed the proposed budgets be recommended to Full Council for approval at the January 2026 meeting.
7. TO SET THE 2026-27 BUDGETS FOR INCOME, ADMIN, FINANCE AND EXTERNAL INTERESTS.

Income	£43,786.25
Admin	£29,900.00
Finance	£158,230.00
External Interests	£1000.00

Proposed Cllr D Gray, seconded Cllr G Madle, carried unanimously.

8. TO SET THE 2026-27 PRECEPT REQUEST. The Committee agreed that a recommendation of setting the 2026-27 precept at £294,000 be presented to Full Council at the January meeting. Proposed Cllr J Mason, seconded Cllr D Gray, carried unanimously.

Meeting closed 8.43pm.