

# Finance and Economic Overview and Scrutiny Committee



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COUNCIL

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Tuesday, 24 February 2026 at 2.00 pm  
Council Chamber - Council Offices, St. Peter's Hill,  
Grantham. NG31 6PZ

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**Committee** Councillor Bridget Ley (Chairman)  
**Members:** Councillor Gareth Knight (Vice-Chairman)  
  
Councillor Matthew Bailey, Councillor Tim Harrison, Councillor Graham Jeal,  
Councillor Gloria Johnson, Councillor Max Sawyer, Councillor Lee Steptoe and  
Councillor Murray Turner

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## Agenda

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- 1. Public Speaking**  
The Council welcomes engagement from members of the public. To speak at this meeting please register no later than 24 hours prior to the date of the meeting via [democracy@southkesteven.gov.uk](mailto:democracy@southkesteven.gov.uk)
- 2. Apologies for Absence**
- 3. Disclosure of Interests**  
Members are asked to disclose any interests in matters for consideration at the meeting.
- 4. Minutes from the previous meeting** (Pages 3 - 18)  
To confirm the minutes of the meetings held on 18 November 2025.

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5. **Updates from previous meeting** (Page 19)
6. **Announcements or updates from the Leader of the Council, Cabinet Members or the Head of Paid Service**
7. **General Fund Finance Update Report: Quarter 3 (April to December) 2025** (Pages 21 - 32)

To present the Council's forecast 2025/26 financial position as at end of December 2025 with specific regard to:

  - General Fund Revenue Budget
  - General Fund Capital Programme
8. **Housing Revenue Account (HRA) Update Report: Quarter 3 (April to December) 2025** (Pages 33 - 44)

To present the Council's forecast 2025/26 financial position as at end of December 2025.

The report covers the following areas:

  - Housing Revenue Account (HRA) Revenue Budget
  - Housing Revenue Account (HRA) Capital Programme
9. **Turnpike Depot Closure Report** (Pages 45 - 53)

This update provides a closure report on the construction of the new Waste Depot at Turnpike Close, Grantham
10. **Update on UK Shared Prosperity Fund 2025-26** (Pages 55 - 66)

To provide the Committee with an update regarding progress on the UK Shared Prosperity Fund 2025-26 allocation.
11. **Update on Grantham Southern Relief Road** (Pages 67 - 71)

To provide the committee with an update as the progress on the Grantham Southern Relief Road.
12. **Work Programme 2025/26** (Pages 73 - 74)
13. **Any other business, which the Chairman, by reason of special circumstance decides is urgent**