

Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee



SOUTH
KESTEVEN
DISTRICT
COUNCIL

Tuesday, 3 March 2026 at 10.00 am
Council Chamber - South Kesteven House, St. Peter's Hill,
Grantham. NG31 6PZ

Committee Members: Councillor Elvis Stooke (Chairman)
Councillor Emma Baker (Vice-Chairman)

Councillor Barry Dobson, Councillor Ben Green, Councillor Gloria Johnson,
Councillor Bridget Ley, Councillor Paul Martin, Councillor Max Sawyer and
Councillor Sarah Trotter

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
- 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 meeting held 13 January 2026** (Pages 3 - 10)
- 5. Updates from the previous meeting** (Pages 11 - 12)

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- 6. Announcements or updates from the Leader of the Council, Cabinet Members or the Head of Paid Service**
- 7. Strategy for allocation of Tree Planting Resources** (Pages 13 - 25)
To set out the Council's current approach to allocating resources for tree planting.
- 8. Progress update on upgrade of District Council Streetlights to LED** (Pages 27 - 33)
To update the committee on the £1m programme to upgrade SKDC owned streetlights to energy efficient LED lamps
- 9. Update on Climate Change Reserve Fund** (Pages 35 - 40)
To provide the Committee with an update on the commitments from the climate change reserve fund for the 2025/26 financial year.
- 10. Food Waste Collection Update** (Pages 41 - 45)
To update the Committee on the progress of the roll out of weekly food waste collections.
- 11. Work Programme 2025 - 2026** (Pages 47 - 49)
To consider the Committee's Work Programme for 2025 – 2026.
- 12. Any other business which the Chairman, by reason of special circumstances, decides is urgent**