

Terrington Parish Council

Website Accessibility Statement

Introduction

Terrington Parish Council ('The Council') is required by legislation - the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018 - to have a website which is accessible to all users and to have a Website Accessibility Statement.

The Council is committed to making its website as accessible as possible, and all pages have been tested and are believed to be compliant with the World Wide Web Consortium's Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version 2.1 AA standard. Tests are regularly carried out by the Webmaster to try to ensure continued compliance.

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In order to make the website as widely accessible and usable as we can, we verify that on all pages of the website users are able to:

- change colours, contrast levels and fonts using browser settings;
- zoom in by up to 300% without the text spilling off the screen;
- navigate the website using just a keyboard or using speech recognition software;
- listen to all of the website content using a screen reader (such as JAWS or NVDA);
- skip to the main content of a page when using a screen reader.

All documents (such as agendas, minutes, and policies) are provided in pdf format. To make these documents accessible:

- they are all saved in PDF-A compliant format and have properly tagged headings so screen readers can understand the page structure and navigate the documents effectively;
- for signed and scanned documents, an alternative unsigned, screen readable document is provided;
- if viewing on a mobile device, by opening the documents in Acrobat Reader, you can use Liquid Mode to ensure that text wraps within the screen and use the text settings to change text size by up to at least 300%.

Dealing with accessibility issues

[AbilityNet](#) has advice on making your laptop or mobile easier to use if you have a disability.

However, if you are unable to access parts of the Council website, wish to report accessibility problems with the website, or if you need information on the website in a different format, please contact the Council:

- by email to clerk@terringtonpc.co.uk;
- or by phone to the Clerk on 07715 339188.

We are always looking to improve the accessibility of the website and we welcome comments and suggestions from users for improvements.

The Equality and Human Rights Commission (EHRC) is responsible for enforcing the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018. If you are not happy with how we respond to your complaint, please contact the [Equality Advisory Support Service \(EASS\)](#).