

ROCHFORD PARISH COUNCIL

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INFORMATION

Precept 2019/2020: £170,000

No. of Councillors 17

No. of Staff: Clerk (Full Time), Clerk's Assistant (part time) 3 manual staff

(Part Time)

Meetings:

Full Council 1st Wednesday in the Month (except August and December) Committee Meetings 2nd, 3rd and 4th Wednesdays in the Month. Other meetings as deemed necessary.

Statutory Functions:

Maintenance of Streetlights owned by the Parish Council
Parish Seats
War Memorial
Ashingdon Greensward
Operation of Parish Council office.
Hanging Baskets in Rochford Square
Maintenance and planting of horse trough in Rochford Square
Working in partnership with the District/County Council and other agencies.
Maintenance of Bus Shelters

Council managed facilities/events:-

Allotments
Bank Lane Toilets
Cemetery
Parish Rooms hire
St. Marks Hall
Doggetts Wildlife area
Rochford Farmers Market
Events
Christmas Lights

Representation on the following outside bodies:-

<u>Rochford Hundred Assn. Of Local Councils</u> - 3 members, meetings quarterly in various locations in the Rochford District.

Old Peoples Welfare Committee - 1 member, meetings monthly in Rochford Rochford & District Chamber of Trade - 1 member, meetings monthly in Rochford Passenger Transport Forum - 1 member, meetings quarterly in various locations in Rochford District

<u>Police Community Meeting</u> – 2 members, meetings quarterly in Rochford. <u>Wallasea Island Project Liaison Committee</u>, 1 member meetings quarterly various locations.

Members/Staff also attend various training courses/conferences for which a travel/subsidence allowance is paid.

The Chairman and/or Clerk attend various functions throughout the year representing the Parish Council these are often in Rochford District, but sometimes further afield.

Janice V. Rigby Clerk to the Council