Navigation Committee

Agenda 05 November 2026

10.00am

King's Centre, 63-75 King Street, Norwich, NR1 1PH

Sarah Cowley, Chief Executive – Thursday, 29 October 2026

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Introduction

1. To receive apologies for absence
2. To receive declarations of interest (see Appendix 1 to the Agenda for guidance on your participation having declared an interest in the relevant agenda item)
3. To note whether any items have been proposed as matters of urgent business
4. **To receive and confirm the minutes of the Navigation Committee meeting held on 3 September 2026** (Pages 4-12)
5. **Summary of actions and outstanding issues following discussion at previous meetings** (Pages 13-14)

Reports

6. **Ranger update** (Pages 15-22)
   Report by Head of Ranger Services
7. **Operations work programme progress update** (Pages 23-28)
   Report by Head of Operations and Ecology & Design Manager
8. **Waterways compliance report** (Pages 29-38)
   Report by Waterways & Recreation Officer and Waterways Project Officer
9. **Proposed navigation charges for 2027/28 in the navigation area and adjacent waters** (Pages 39-51)
   Report by Director of Resources, Collector of Tolls and Head of Operations

Other matters

10. Other items of business
    Items of business which the chairman decides should be considered as a matter of urgency pursuant to section 100B (4)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972

11. **To note the date of the next meeting – Thursday 21 January 2027 at 10.00am at Yare House, 62-64 Thorpe Road, Norwich NR1 1RY**

12. Exclusion of the public
    The Authority is asked to consider exclusion of the public from the meeting under Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972 for the consideration of the item below on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined by Paragraphs 1, 3 and 4 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act as amended, and that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public benefit in disclosing the information.

13. **Replacement of Wroxham Billet** (Pages 52-57)
    Report by Director of Delivery

For further information about this meeting please contact the Governance team

Appendix 1 – Extract from the Local Government Association Model Councillor Code of Conduct

