

WESTHAMPNETT PARISH COUNCIL

Serving Westhampnett, Maudlin and Westerton

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Declaration of Acceptance of Office

I Stephen James.....

having been elected to the office of Councillor / ~~Chairman~~ / ~~Vice-Chairman~~
of Westhampnett Parish Council

HEREBY DECLARE that I take that office upon myself and will duly and faithfully fulfil the duties of it according to the best of my judgment and ability.

I undertake to observe the code as to the conduct which is expected of members of Westhampnett Parish Council.

Signed Stephen James.....

Date 15th May 2023

This declaration was made and signed before me

Signed Linda Lanham.....

† Proper Officer of Westhampnett Parish Council

* Insert description of office

† If the declaration is made and subscribed before any other person authorised by section 83 (3) of the Local Government Act 1972, adapt accordingly.

REGISTER OF MEMBERS INTERESTS

1. Stephen Robert James

as a Member or co-opted member of the

Westhampnett Parish Council

give notice to the Monitoring Officer of the Chichester District Council of the following disclosable pecuniary interests, as required by Section 30 of the Localism Act 2011, and other interests, as required by the Council's code of conduct.

1. Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

* **Note:** In the notice below my spouse or partner means anyone who meets the definition in the Localism Act, i.e. my spouse or civil partner, or a person with whom I am living as husband or wife or a person with whom I am living as if we are civil partners, and I am aware that that person has the interest.

Employment, office, trade, profession or vocation Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain.	
Myself	My spouse or partner*
Self employed Gardener & Handy- -man	Retired / Part time Book Keeper
Sponsorship Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from the Council named above) made or provided within the period of 12 months ending today in respect of any expenses incurred by me in carrying out duties as a member, or towards my election expenses. This includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992.	
Myself	My spouse or partner*

Contracts

Any contract which is made between

- me or my spouse or partner*, or
- a firm in which either of us is a partner, or
- a body corporate of which either of us is a director, or
- a body in the securities of which either of us has a beneficial interest)

and the Council named above—



(a) under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed; and

(b) which has not been fully discharged.

Myself	My spouse or partner*

Land

Any beneficial interest¹ in land which is within the area of the Council named above.

Myself	My spouse or partner*
Address of land: 	Address of land: 

Licences

Any licence (alone or jointly with others) to occupy land in the area of the Council named above for a month or longer.

Myself	My spouse or partner*

¹ Beneficial interest could include land or property which you own, or have a right to occupy (e.g. a tenancy) or receive an income from. This may include your home.

Corporate tenancies

Any tenancy where (to my knowledge)—

(a) the landlord is the Council named above; and

(b) the tenant is a body in which I or my spouse or partner* has a beneficial interest.

Myself	My spouse or partner*

Securities²

Any beneficial interest in securities of a body where—

(a) that body (to my knowledge) has a place of business or land in the area of the Council named above; and

(b) either—

(i) the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body; or

(ii) if the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which I or my spouse or partner* has a beneficial interest exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.

Myself	My spouse or partner*

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² “securities” means shares, debentures, debenture stock, loan stock, bonds, units of a collective investment scheme within the meaning of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 and other securities of any description, other than money deposited with a building society.

Other Interests

Membership of Organisations

I am a member of, or I am in a position of general control or management in

(a) any body to which I have been appointed or nominated by the Council:

(b) any body exercising functions of a public nature (e.g school governing body or another council):

(c) any body directed to charitable purposes:

(d) any body one of whose principal purposes includes the influence of public opinion or policy (including any political party or trade union):

Gifts and hospitality

Any person from whom I have received (in my capacity as a member/co-opted member) a gift or hospitality with an estimated value of at least £25

Signed.....



Date.....

20th May 2023