Minutes of Meeting of Forthampton Parish Council held on Thursday 10 September 2026 at 7.30pm.

Present: Mrs L Remmer, J Holloway, M Russell,
Apologies: C Moss, S Holden
In attendance: I Coleman, Sonia Way - Tewkesbury Borough Council

1 The minutes of the meeting held on 2 July 2026 were discussed and approved.

2 Matters arising – covered in minutes.

3 Sonia introduced herself as the Emergency Planning Officer at TBC and will be attending all councils to inform them of the help and assistance that could be provided, ie flooding, fire etc. All councils should have an emergency plan and she will forward information on how to prepare for this covering all emergencies.

4 Meeting with MP (Mat Bishop) on 24 July – This was very successful. His team met with residents and dealt with queries raised.

5 White Gates – These have been installed at the roadside by the church – thank you to Carl for doing this - and we hope that Highways will paint white "slow" signs by them. LR has contacted them again.

6 War Memorial – nothing further to report as SB has been away.

7 Local elections 2027 – after much confusion I has been confirmed that local elections will take place in 2027.

8 Any other business –
8.1 – the village notice board will be "corrected". (since the meeting the Village Hall Committee has installed a "cork" backing which will make it easier to use)
8.2 – it was confirmed that the defibrillator in the "phone box" is maintained by the Parish Council (LR) and the one installed outside the village hall maintained by the Village Hall Committee CM).

Meeting closed at 8.35pm

Next meeting arranged for 12 November 2026 at 7.30pm in the village hall.