# **Accessibility statement for Ubbeston Parish Council**

This accessibility statement applies to the Ubbeston Parish Council page.

This website page is run by Ubbeston Parish Council. We want as many people as possible to be able to use this website. For example, that means you should be able to:

- change colours, contrast levels and fonts
- zoom in up to 300% without the text spilling off the screen
- navigate most of the website using just a keyboard
- navigate most of the website using speech recognition software
- listen to most of the website using a screen reader (including the most recent versions of JAWS, NVDA and VoiceOver)

We've also made the website text as simple as possible to understand.

AbilityNet has advice on making your device easier to use if you have a disability.

#### How accessible this website is

We know some parts of this website are not fully accessible:

- the text will not reflow in a single column when you change the size of the browser window
- you cannot modify the line height or spacing of text
- most older PDF documents are not fully accessible to screen reader software
- live video streams do not have captions
- some of our online forms are difficult to navigate using just a keyboard
- you cannot skip to the main content when using a screen reader
- there's a limit to how far you can magnify the map on our 'contact us' page

# What to do if you cannot access parts of this website.

If you need information on this website in a different format like accessible PDF, large print, easy read, audio recording or braille:

- email ubbestonclerk@outlook.com
- call 01986 899719

We'll consider your request and get back to you in 10 days.

If you cannot view the map on our 'contact us' page, call or email us <a href="mailto:ubbestonclerk@outlook.com">mailto:ubbestonclerk@outlook.com</a> for directions.

# Reporting accessibility problems with this website

We're always looking to improve the accessibility of this website. If you find any problems not listed on this page or think we're not meeting accessibility requirements, contact: mailto:ubbestonclerk@outlook.com

# **Enforcement procedure**

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

# Technical information about this website's accessibility

Ubbeston Parish Council is committed to making its website accessible, in accordance with the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018.

### **Compliance status**

This website is partially compliant with the <u>Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version</u> <u>2.1</u> AA standard, due to 'the non-compliances listed below.

#### Non-accessible content

None

#### Content that's not within the scope of the accessibility regulations

#### PDFs and other documents

Some of our PDFs and Word documents are essential to providing our services. For example, we have PDFs with information on how users can access our services, and forms published as Word documents. By September 2020, we plan to either fix these or replace them with accessible HTML pages.

The accessibility regulations do not require us to fix PDFs or other documents published before 23 September 2018 if they're not essential to providing our services. For example, we do not plan to fix [example of non-essential document].

Any new PDFs or Word documents we publish will meet accessibility standards.

#### Live video

We do not plan to add captions to live video streams because live video is <u>exempt from</u> meeting the accessibility regulations.

#### What we're doing to improve accessibility

This statement was prepared on 19<sup>th</sup> May 2023. Preparation of this accessibility statement

This website was last tested in May 2023. The test was carried out by one.suffolk