

BEMBRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL

ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT

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Accessibility Statement

Bembridge 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. This accessibility statement applies to the Bembridge Parish Council website www.bembridgepc.org.uk

This website is run by Bembridge 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:

- increase text
- greyscale the background
- adjust to high contrast
- adjust to negative contrast
- · adjust to light background
- underline links
- change to readable font
- navigate most of the website using just a keyboard

We have 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

Despite the above actions we acknowledge that some parts of this website may not be fully accessible.

What to do if you cannot access parts of this website

If you need information on this website in a different format:

email <u>clerk@bembridgepc.org.uk</u>

We will consider your request and get back to you within 7 days.

Reporting accessibility problems with this website

We are always looking to improve the accessibility of this website. If you find any problems that are not listed on this page or think we are not meeting accessibility requirements, contact the Clerk by emailing the issue to: clerk@bembridgepc.org.uk

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).

Contacting us by phone or visiting us in person

Find out how to contact us: Contact - Bembridge Parish Council

Technical information about this website's accessibility

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Compliance Status

The website has been tested against the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.2 AA standard.

This website is fully compliant with the <u>Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version 2.2</u> AA standard.

Content that is not within the scope of the accessibility regulations PDFs and other documents

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.

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 exempt from meeting the accessibility regulations.

Preparation of this accessibility statement

This statement was prepared on 20th November 2024.

This website was last tested on 28th October 2024 against the WCAG 2.2 AA standard.

The test was carried out by Bembridge Prish Council. The most viewed pages were tested using automated testing tools by our website team.