

Accessibility statement for www.broomfieldandkingswood-pc.gov.uk (Broomfield and Kingswood Parish Council)

This website is run by Broomfield and Kingswood 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 using browser or device settings
- zoom in up to 400% without the text spilling off the screen
- navigate most of the website using a keyboard or 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:

- most older PDF documents are not fully accessible to screen reader software
- 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

Feedback and contact information

If you find any problems not listed on this page or think we're not meeting accessibility requirements, contact:

- email parishclerk@bandkpc.uk
- call 07719317702
- write to us or visit us at: The Clerk, Broomfield and Kingswood Parish Council, 1 Copperfield Close, Kingswood, Kent ME17 3PW

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

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

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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

Broomfield and Kingswood 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

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

This website framework is compliant with the [Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version 2.2AA](#) standard. Some content is partially compliant, due to the non-compliant items listed below.

Non-accessible content

The content listed below is non-accessible for the following reasons.

Non accessible content

Some pages may contain attachments which are not currently compliant, such as:

Documents provided by 3rd parties.

Councillors' Declarations of Interests

AGAR – Annual Governance Accountability documents (currently exempt from accessibility compliance)

Non compliance with the accessibility regulations

We will do all we can to identify content that is non-compliant and where possible provide an alternative format upon request.

When we publish new content we will make sure our use of images meets accessibility standards and our website is regularly reviewed to ensure all the pages are compliant. If you find a page that you are having difficulty accessing its content, please contact us at the above details and we will assist you in gaining access to the content where possible.

Disproportionate burden

We have not identified any areas that we believe constitute a disproportionate burden.

Content that's 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. for example, they may not

be structured so they're accessible to a screen reader. This does not meet WCAG 2.2AA success criterion 4.1.2 (name, role value).

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

What we're doing to improve accessibility

Providing staff & volunteers training to ensure that all new content added meets accessibility criteria.

Preparation of this accessibility statement

This statement was prepared in April 2026.