

Our guide to council services and contact information

It can be a bit confusing working out which council does what. We have put together this useful guide that you can put on your fridge or notice board so you always know who to contact in the first instance. Our T&P councils across the Cotswolds vary in size and have many different responsibilities depending on where you are. Here are some common functions of Town and Parish councils.



COTSWOLD
DISTRICT COUNCIL

- Abandoned vehicles
- Animal control and welfare
- Council tax and housing benefits
- Refuse and recycling collection
- Car parks
- Cemeteries
- Community safety
- Council tax
- Elections and voting
- Emergency response
- Environmental health
- Housing
- Leisure
- Licensing and permits
- Littering and fly tipping
- Noise and other nuisance
- Planning and building control
- Public toilets
- Street cleaning
- Tree preservation orders
- Economic development

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Trinity Road
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W: www.cotswold.gov.uk
Monday to Friday 8.45am to 5pm

Town & Parish Councils

- Christmas lights
- Allotments
- Bus shelters
- CCTV and community safety
- Civic events
- Closed church yard
- Community response
- Environmental improvements, floral tubs and grass cutting
- Grant aid
- Charter, Farmers and speciality markets
- Neighbourhood Planning
- Open space, play park and recreational facilities
- Planning and licensing consultation
- Special Events



Gloucestershire
COUNTY COUNCIL

- Archaeology
- Archives
- Births, deaths and marriages
- Health and Social Care
- Highways and Transport including Blue Badge Scheme and Bus Passes
- Libraries
- Recycling Centres
- Education and learning
- Rights of Way
- Roads and on-street parking
- Planning and environment

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