



Website Accessibility Statement for Steypning Parish Council

Steypning Parish Council is committed to making its website accessible to as many people as possible, and this should include people with visual or hearing impairments.

This accessibility statement applies to www.steyningpc.gov.uk.

How accessible this website is

The SPC website has been designed to promote accessibility. In order to alter the screen for personal preferences, these options can be made available by clicking on the *Blue Boxed Man* in the top right corner of the home page. For the most part the website is accessible in terms of the four main aspects noted below, but there are some exceptions:

- Changing colours, contrast levels and fonts using browser or device settings
 - Zoom in up to 300 percent without the text spilling off the screen
 - Navigate most of the website using a keyboard
 - Listen to most of the website using a screen reader
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Compliance status

This website is partially compliant with the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) version 2.1 AA, due to the non-compliances listed below.

Non-accessible content

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

Non-compliance with the accessibility regulations

- Some PDF documents are not fully accessible to screen reader software because they are not correctly structured or tagged
- Some images do not have suitable alternative text
- Some links or buttons may not clearly describe their purpose to users of assistive technology
- Some content may not be fully accessible using keyboard navigation alone

Steypning Parish Council is working to improve the accessibility of the website and aims to address these issues as content is reviewed, updated or replaced.

Content that is exempt from the regulations

- PDFs and other documents published before 23 September 2018 may not be fully accessible, where they are not essential to providing our services

If you require any of this content in an alternative format, please contact us.

What to do if you cannot access parts of this website

If you need information on this website in a different format, such as accessible PDF, large print, easy read, audio recording or braille, please contact us:

- Email: clerk@steyningpc.gov.uk or Telephone: **01903 812042**

We will consider your request and aim to respond within a reasonable timeframe.

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, please contact us using the details above.

Enforcement procedure

If you contact us with an accessibility complaint and are not satisfied with our response, you can contact the Equality Advisory and Support Service (EASS).

- Website: www.equalityadvisoryservice.com or Telephone: **0808 800 0082**
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Technical information about this website's accessibility

Steyning Parish Council is committed to making its website accessible, in accordance with the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) Accessibility Regulations 2018.

This website is built using WordPress. Accessibility is considered when selecting themes, plugins and content.

The website has been tested using a combination of automated accessibility testing tools and manual checks, including keyboard navigation and screen reader testing.

Preparation of this accessibility statement

This statement was last reviewed on **February 12th 2026**. This website was last tested in November 2025. SPC Adopted this document on the **16th February 2026**.