

USEFUL CONTACT INFORMATION - DISTRICT AND COUNTY COUNCILS

DISTRICT COUNCIL

West Somerset and Taunton Deane Councils merged in March 2019 to form **SOMERSET WEST AND TAUNTON COUNCIL**.

The main offices Deane House, Taunton, and West Somerset House, Williton, remain open as before. However, the postal address now is:

Somerset West and Taunton Council

PO Box 866

Taunton

TA1 9GS

Tel **0300 304 8000** Lines opening hours 8am-6pm Mon -Fri

Website : www.somersetwestandtaunton.gov.uk

All officer TDBC and WSC email addresses changed to the following format:

Initial.lastname@somersetwestandtaunton.gov.uk

(Therefore p.smith@westsomerset.gov.uk became p.smith@somersetwestandtaunton.gov.uk)

Somerset County Council Services

County Hall, Taunton, Somerset, TA1 4DY

Email: generalenquiries@somerset.gov.uk Telephone 0300 123 2224

Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 8am to 6pm, Saturday 9am to 4pm, Sunday closed.

www.somerset.gov.uk



Adult Social Care advice	The contact number is 0300 123 2224 or you can email adults@somerset.gov.uk
Blue Badges	Email: ccbluebadge@somerset.gov.uk Contact no: 0300 123 2224
Bus Passes	English National Concessionary Travel Scheme Passes are available for residents of Somerset who are of pensionable age or eligible on the grounds of disability. The pass allows you to travel free on buses in every area of England subject to certain time restrictions. The contact number is 0300 123 2224 or you can email transport@somerset.gov.uk
Births and Deaths Registration	Contact: Williton Registration Office Address: Becket House, Bridge Street, Williton, TA4 4NR Email: somersetregistrations@somerset.gov.uk Contact no: 01823 282251 Opening Hours: Monday 12 noon to 5pm, Wednesday and Friday 9.30am to 12.30pm. Contact: Minehead Registration Office Address: Bancks Street, Minehead, TA24 5DJ Email: somersetregistrations@somerset.gov.uk Contact no: 01823 282251 Opening Hours: Tuesday and Thursday 9am to 12.30pm and 1pm to 3pm.
Carers Support	In Somerset, Compass Carers provide a carers support service that is available to all unpaid carers, whether you care for a few hours or a substantial amount. For more information, please look on the Compass Carers website www.compasscarers.org.uk Or phone them on 01823 255911, Monday to Friday, 10am to 3.30pm, or email info@compassdisability.org.uk
Community Meals Service	The Somerset Community Meals Service is for older people and people with disabilities. If you already have a social care worker, ask them about it. If not, contact the County Council on 0300 123 2224 or by email adults@somerset.gov.uk . Further information is available on the County Council website.

Dead Animals in the Road	Report a dead or injured animal on the road – (including pavements or highway verges) in all cases contact 0300 123 2224.
Libraries	For Mobile Library Routes, the Library Book Delivery Service and the location and opening times of libraries in West Somerset The contact number is 0300 123 2224 or you can email generalenquiries@somerset.gov.uk
Occupational Therapy Equipment and Advice	To ask for an Occupational Therapy assessment, equipment or assistance phone 0300 123 2224.
Road and Pavement Faults	To report potholes and other road and footway defects, blocked drains and damaged manhole covers. The contact number is 0300 123 2224 or you can email roadsandtransportSD@somerset.gov.uk If an incident occurs out of hours and is deemed a risk to public safety please contact the Police on 101.
Recycling Centres	Recycling centres are operated by the Somerset Waste Partnership. For information about the location of recycling centres and their opening times as well as information about any restrictions on the types of items that can be accepted call the County Council on 0300 123 2224 or you can email somersetdirect@somerset.gov.uk or visit the Somerset Waste Partnership website at www.somersetwaste.gov.uk
Schools Free school meals School transport Register at a school Check catchment areas	The contact number is 0300 123 2224 or you can email schooladmissions@somerset.gov.uk Further advice is available on the County Council's website.
Streetlights	To report a faulty streetlight the contact number is 0300 123 2224 or you can email roadsandtransportSD@somerset.gov.uk

Other useful services

Gardener and Handyman Service	Magna West Somerset Housing Association offer garden assistance and handyperson service offers help at a reasonable cost to elderly and vulnerable residents (not just Magna tenants) who cannot manage their gardens, or simple repairs and DIY jobs in the home. To apply for this service or find out more telephone Magna on 01984 635141
Meals on Wheels (see also Community Meals service above)	Magna West Somerset Housing Association offer a meals on wheels service to anyone living within a ten mile radius of Watchet who is vulnerable, disabled, or have long-term health needs. Just call Fred Groves on 01984 635141 for more information.

WILLITON PARISH COUNCIL contact details:

Office: Killick Way, Williton TA4 4PG

Telephone: 01984 633979

Email: clerk@willitonpc.org.uk

www.willitonparishcouncil.org