Old Marston Parish Council Accessibility Statement

Accessibility

This accessibility statement applies to the Old Marston Parish Council website: www.oldmarston-pc.gov.uk

This website is run by Old Marston Parish Council.

Old Marston Parish Council want as many people as possible to be able to use this website and is committed to ensuring digital accessibility for all people.

Old Marston Parish Council is continually looking to improve the user experience for everyone and applying the relevant accessibility standards.

Accessibility Standards and this Website

Old Marston Parish Council is continuously improving this website to ensure that it meets the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines to improve accessibility for people with disability. It defines three levels of conformance: Level A, Level AA and Level AAA.

At present Old Marston Parish Council meets most of the criteria for level "AA" of the <u>WAI</u> guidelines. This means that some contents do not conform to the accessibility standard.

Compatibility with browsers and assistive technology

The Old Marston Parish Council website is designed to be compatible with the following assistive technologies:

- Mobile Phones
- PC and Mac Computers
- All Tablet devices
- All known Browsers
- Screen Readers

Technical specifications

Accessibility of Old Marston Parish Council website relies on the following technologies to work with the particular combination of web browser and any assistive technologies or plugins installed on your computer:

- HTML
- CSS
- JavaScript

These technologies are relied upon for conformance with the accessibility standards used and we cannot guarantee that the site will work fully on older versions of assistive technology.

Content not within the Scope of the accessibility regulations

The following is exempt from the Accessibility regulations

- pre-recorded audio and video published before 23 September 2020
- live audio and video
- heritage collections like scanned manuscripts
- PDFs or other documents published before 23 September 2018 unless needed to use a service.
- maps information may be available in address format
- third party content under someone else's control
- content on intranets or extranets published before 23 September 2019
- archived websites if not needed for services and they are not updated

Accessibility Help - Change the way this website looks - Using tools on your computer

You can control the look and functionality of this website, depending on your computer settings. Most computers will have accessibility settings you can change including the way the screen looks (e.g., changing' fonts, sizes, colours, etc.), the way the keyboard or mouse works and possibly speaking and listening to commands as well as a range of other features.

As several organisations have already produced lots of good content about how to make computers and websites more accessible, links have been made to these sites rather than duplicating their contents.

For advice on changing settings check out <u>My Web My Way</u> produced by the BBC. It has lots of useful information and a wealth of accessibility links.

As well as My Web My Way above there is the <u>Government website</u> which contains information regarding accessibility software.

Your **browser** will usually have controls which you can use to enlarge the text on your screen.

What we're doing to improve accessibility

We undertake regular reviews of the website

Preparation of this accessibility statement

This statement was prepared on 7th June 2021.

Plain English

Old Marston Parish Councils website is written in plain English and jargon avoided. When using acronyms, the full title is used at the start of any document with the acronym in brackets after. If you don't understand something, please contact the Clerk

Feedback

If you experience any problems with Old Marston Parish Council's website, please

- Email contact the Clerk
- Telephone 01865 203 139
- Text 07393600736

The Clerk will try to provide you with the information you need. Please say which page (including the page address/URL if possible) with

which you experienced problems, and if you have any suggestions how the page could be improved.

Enforcement Procedure

The Equality and Human Rights Commission (EHRC) is responsible for enforcing the Public Sector Bodies (websites and Mobile Applications) (No2) Accessibility Regulations 2018 (the 'accessibility regulations'). If you are not happy with how we respond to your complaint you may, contact the Equality Advisory and Support Service (EASS).