

General Power of Competence

The General Power of Competence, found in the Localism Act 2011, is an extra power awarded to Councils who meet certain criteria. The Parish Council resolved at its May 2023 AGM that it did not meet the qualification criteria found in the Parish Council's General Power of Competence (Prescribed Conditions) Order 2012 which sets out that the Clerk must be qualified and two-thirds of members must be elected.

The Clerk is qualified but less than two-thirds of its members were elected.