

Kirkby Ireleth Parish Council

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Accessibility statement for Kirkby Ireleth Parish Council web page

<http://www.kirkby-in-furness.org/1%20Parish%20Council.htm>

This accessibility statement applies to the web page

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This web page is run by Kirkby Ireleth Parish Council

We know some parts of this web page are not fully accessible:

- the text will not reflow in a single column when you change the size of the browser window
- you cannot modify the line height or spacing of text
- most older PDF documents are not fully accessible to screen reader software
- live video streams do not have captions
- some of our online forms are difficult to navigate using just a keyboard
- you cannot skip to the main content when using a screen reader
- there's a limit to how far you can magnify the map on our 'contact us' page

If you need information on this website in a different format like accessible PDF, large print, easy read, audio recording or braille:

- email mcphersonroundhead@gmail.com
- call 01229 889 382

We'll consider your request and get back to you in 7 days.

If you cannot view the map on our 'contact us' page, call or email us at one of the above links. for directions.

We're always looking to improve the accessibility of this website. If you find any problems not listed on this page or think we're not meeting accessibility requirements, contact: mcphersonroundhead@gmail.com or tel: 01229 889 382

Enforcement procedure

The Equality and Human Rights Commission (EHRC) is responsible for enforcing the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018 (the 'accessibility regulations'). If you're not happy with how we respond to your complaint, [contact the Equality Advisory and Support Service \(EASS\)](#).

Contacting us by phone or visiting us in person:

Parish Clerk: Mrs. A. Field tel; 01229 889 382 email: kirkbyparishcouncil@outlook.com

Technical information about this websites accessibility

Kirkby Ireleth Parish Council is committed to making its website accessible, in accordance with the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018.

Compliance status:

This website is not compliant with the [Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version 2.1 AA](#)

standard. The non-compliances and exemptions are listed below:

Non-accessible content

Navigation and accessing information:

There's no way to skip the repeated content in the page header (for example, a 'skip to main content' option).

It's not always possible to change the device orientation from horizontal to vertical without making it more difficult to view the content.

It's not possible for users to change text size without some of the content overlapping.

Interactive tools and transactions

Some of our interactive forms are difficult to navigate using a keyboard. For example, because some form controls are missing a 'label' tag.

Our forms are built and hosted through third party software and 'skinned' to look like our website.

We've assessed the cost of fixing the issues with navigation and accessing information, and with interactive tools and transactions. We believe that doing so now would be a [disproportionate burden](#) within the meaning of the accessibility regulations. We will make another assessment when the supplier contract is up for renewal, likely to be in 2021.

Content that's not within the scope of the accessibility regulations

PDFs and other documents

Some of our PDFs and Word documents are essential to providing our services. For example, we have PDFs with information on how users can access our services, and forms published as Word documents. By September 2020, we plan to either fix these or replace them with accessible HTML pages.

The accessibility regulations [do not require us to fix PDFs or other documents published before 23 September 2018](#) if they're not essential to providing our services. For example, we do not plan to fix Parish Plan document.

Any new PDFs or Word documents we publish will meet accessibility standards.

Live video

We do not plan to add captions to live video streams because live video is [exempt from meeting the accessibility regulations](#).

Preparation of this accessibility statement

This statement was prepared on 1st August 2020. It was last reviewed on 28th July 2020.

This website was last tested on 28th July 2020. The test was carried out by Kirkby Ireleth Parish Councillors..

We used this approach to deciding on a sample of pages to test.

Google search Kirkby Ireleth Parish Council.