Twywell Parish Council

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DECLARATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE

A person elected or co-opted to the office of parish councillor shall, at or before the first meeting of the council following his election or co-option sign the below declaration of acceptance of office or, if the council so permits, the declaration may be signed at or before a later meeting. Failure to sign a declaration of acceptance of office shall result in the office becoming vacant. The Proper Officer shall retain copies of all signed declarations.

I James Totten¹ having been co-opted to the office of councillor² of Twywell Parish Council³ declare that I take that

office upon myself and will duly and faithfully fulfil the duties of it according to the best of my judgment and ability. Date: 9 / 1 / 2026 Signature: This declaration was made and signed before me, Signature:

Proper officer of the council⁴.

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(1) Insert the name of the person making the declaration.

(2) Insert "Member", "Chairman" or "Mayor" as appropriate.

(3) Insert the name of the authority of which the person making the declaration is a member.

(4) Where the declaration is made before another person authorised by section 83(3) of the Local Government Act 1972, state instead the capacity in which that person takes the declaration. A declaration for members of parish councils shall be made before a member or the proper officer of the council.

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