

## **MISTLEY PARISH COUNCIL WEBSITE ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT**

**Introduction** - Mistley Parish Council is committed to offering a completely accessible and inclusive website for all its users. Mistley Parish Council has carried out an audit of its website to ensure that it can be used by as many people as possible, including those with impaired vision, motor difficulties, cognitive impairments or learning disabilities, deafness, or impaired hearing and those with slow internet connections.

This website is run by Mistley Parish Council. We want as many people as possible to be able to use this website. For example, that means you should be able to:

- change colours, contrast levels and fonts.
- zoom in up to 300% without the text spilling off the screen.
- navigate most of the website using just a keyboard.
- navigate most of the website using speech recognition software.
- listen to most of the website using a screen reader.

We've also made the website text as simple as possible to understand.

[AbilityNet](#) has advice on making your device easier to use if you have a disability.

### **How accessible this website is:**

This site is believed to be fully compliant, except it is possible some older PDF documents within this website may not be fully accessible to screen reader software due to missing main headers or alt text. Also, the AGAR and Audit notices are usually signed and scanned as an image, and this content will not be available to screen readers.

### **Feedback and contact information**

If you need information on this website in a different format like accessible PDF, large print, easy read, audio recording or braille, or need help finding us on the map, please [contact the Clerk](#).

### **Reporting accessibility problems with this website**

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, then please contact the Clerk: [clerk@mistleyparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@mistleyparishcouncil.gov.uk)

### **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 you can contact the Equality Advisory and Support Service:

[Equality Advisory and Support Service \(equalityadvisoryservice.com\)](https://equalityadvisoryservice.com)

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### **Technical information about this website's accessibility**

Mistley 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 Statement**

This website is fully compliant with the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version 2.1 AA standard, except perhaps in some older PDF documents as stated.

### **Preparation of this accessibility statement**

This statement was prepared on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2024. It was last reviewed on 14<sup>th</sup> February 2024.

This website was last tested on 14<sup>th</sup> February 2024. The test was carried out by VCS Websites Ltd [Mistley Parish Council - Home page](#) using SiteImprove tools. All pages were tested.

*Review Body: Full Parish Council. Review Period: Annually each May.*

**Adopted 20/05/2019. Last Reviewed 19/05/2025. Next Review Date May 2026.**