

BISHOPSGATE WARDMOTE
AGENDA

The Courtyard Room, Bishopsgate Institute, Bishopsgate, London EC2M 4QH
at 12.30pm on Wednesday 18th March 2026

1. **PROCESSION**

Procession to enter the Wardmote will be as follows:

The Beadles
The Honorary Ward Clerk
The Alderman

2. **PROCLAMATION**

The Ward Beadle for the Ward Within, on the instruction of the Honorary Ward Clerk, opens the Wardmote by Proclamation:-

“OYEZ, OYEZ, OYEZ

All manner of persons who have anything to do at this Court of
Wardmote for the Ward of Bishopsgate holden here this day before
Alderman Kawsar Zaman, Alderman of this Ward, draw near and
give your attendance.
GOD SAVE THE KING”

3. **WELCOME**

The Alderman welcomes electors to the Wardmote and outlines the Items on the Agenda to be covered in this meeting.

4. **MINUTES**

The Minutes of the previous Wardmote of 19th March 2025 having been previously circulated, are approved by the Wardmote and signed by the Alderman.

5. **APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTIES**

The Alderman appoints his Deputies for the ensuing year from amongst the Common Councilmen, being Tom Sleigh for the Ward Within and Benjamin Murphy for the Ward Without.

6. **APPOINTMENT OF HONORARY WARD CLERK**

The Alderman appoints Richard Morris the Honorary Ward Clerk for the ensuing year.

7. **ELECTION OF WARD BEADLES**

The Alderman nominates Mr Christopher Watson as Ward Beadle for the Ward Within and Mr Aniru Shyllon as Ward Beadle for the Ward Without to be elected as Ward Beadles by the voters in attendance at the Wardmote

8. **ADDRESSES BY AND QUESTIONS TO COMMON COUNCILMEN**

Common Councilmen are invited to address the Wardmote and Members are invited to raise questions with the Common Councilmen concerning matters in the Ward.

9. **ADDRESS BY SPEAKER FROM THE EASTERN CITY BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT**

The Alderman invites Kate Hart to address the Wardmote.

10. **ADDRESS BY SPEAKER FROM THE BISHOPSGATE WARD CLUB**

The Alderman invites Wendy Hyde, Vice President of the Bishopsgate Ward Club to address the Wardmote.

11. **VOTE OF THANKS**

A vote of thanks is passed to the Alderman for his courtesy and ability in these proceedings, proposed by the Deputy for the Ward Within and seconded by an elector of the Ward and the Alderman returns his thanks, together with thanks to the Bishopsgate Institute for the use of the Room.

12. **PROCLAMATION**

The Ward Beadle for the Ward Without closes the Wardmote by Proclamation:

“OYEZ, OYEZ, OYEZ,
All ye good people of the Ward of Bishopsgate,
summoned here to this Wardmote, may depart hence;
and give your attendance when again summoned.
And hereof fail not.
GOD SAVE THE KING”

11. **PROCESSION**

The party processes out in the following order:-

The Beadles
The Honorary Ward Clerk
The Alderman