

Rolls-Royce Motor Cars

Corporate Communications

Westhampnett Parish Council ('WPC') 12/01/2026 v2

Operations

- **Status.** Normal operations (offices).
- **Production.** Re-starts Tuesday 13 January.

Planning applications

The following applications are Pending Consideration:

Relocation of existing fencing and erection of additional fencing and gates.

Rolls Royce Motor Cars The Drive Westhampnett Chichester West Sussex PO18 OSH

Ref. No: 25/O2852/FUL | Received: Wed 26 Nov 2025 | Validated: Mon 08 Dec 2025 | Status: Pending Consideration

Discharge of Condition 12 (Phase 1 Surface Water Drainage Scheme) of planning permission WH/23/O1855/FULEIA.

Rolls Royce Motor Cars The Drive Westhampnett Chichester West Sussex PO18 OSH

Ref. No: 25/O2818/DOC | Received: Thu 20 Nov 2025 | Validated: Thu 20 Nov 2025 | Status: Pending Consideration


Non material amendment to planning permission WH/23/O1855/FULEIA – to amend Conditions 4 (approved plans), 5 (Phase 2 Parameter Plan) and 24 (Car Parking – Phase 1) – refinements to the final design, and operational / process changes in Rolls-Royce production.

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Ref. No: 25/O2810/NMA | Received: Wed 19 Nov 2025 | Validated: Wed 19 Nov 2025 | Status: Pending Consideration

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[Discharge of condition 11 \(Scheme of Design for the Photovoltaic \(PV\) Panels\), 17 \(Details of External Lighting\) and 18 \(Mitigation of Escape of Interior Light\) from planning permission WH/23/O1855/FULEIA.](#) 

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Ref. No: 25/O2628/DOC | Received: Fri 31 Oct 2025 | Validated: Fri 31 Oct 2025 | Status: Pending Consideration

Details from CDC Planning Portal.

Extension

- **Status.** The works are on schedule, and the building is now watertight. Significant fit-out of the new building is complete. Work is ongoing.
- **Extended Working Hours.** The following has been agreed by CDC, effective 11 December 2025 for 14 weeks. This is for internal fit-out works (not external to the building):

06:30 – 23:00 Monday to Friday

06:30 – 23:00 on Saturday (on an ad hoc basis as and when necessary)

No works on Sunday, public holidays or bank holidays

The scope of the works during the additional hours are:

- Painting steelwork
 - Resin flooring finish
 - Connecting and commissioning services
 - Soft flooring installation
 - Internal fit-out works
- **Swale Redesign.** Due to additional works required to the swale (to the west of the extension building), Footpath 417 will in part be diverted along the bridleway for up to six months. Planning permission for the additional works is currently Pending Consideration. Westhampnett Parish Council has been briefed, and we are working closely with both CDC and WSCC. Further details will be communicated to the community as soon as possible.
 - **Reprofiling of A285/Roman Road Junction.** Application has been submitted to WSCC after detailed pre-discussions with them. We are awaiting further details and will communicate commencement date once received.

Community Liaison Officer Notes

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- **Community Liaison Forum.** The monthly Community Liaison Forum (CLF) continues to be very useful. The last meeting was held on 18 December at the Home of Rolls-Royce, attended by Jamie O’Meara and David Plummer.
- **Traffic Congestion on Stane Street.** We continue to monitor traffic flows on Stane Street and seek further improvements where possible.
- **Community Newsletter.** Our second newsletter was delivered to more than 700 houses in December and we welcome feedback. The next newsletter will be delivered in Q1 2026.
- **Community volunteers.** We recently hosted the local community volunteer group at the Home of Rolls-Royce and celebrated all the excellent work they do.
- **Sustainability.** To celebrate Rolls-Royce’s Sustainability Week, a group of Rolls-Royce Motor Cars colleagues took time to organise litter-picking tours around our site and surrounding roads. With new litter-picking kits, they gathered several bags of rubbish and ensured everything was disposed of responsibly.
- **Chichester 10K.** We are supporting the Chichester 10K on Sunday 1 February 2026. Our Stane Car Park will be made available to organisers, stewards and participants from 7.00am – 1.00pm. This will hopefully encourage visitors not to park on local roads.

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Information

RRMC Community Info Hub: <https://rrmcinfohub.com/>