

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF PIDDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL held on 17th May 2022

	<p>Present: Cllr M Nixon, Cllr M Terzino, Cllr T Wills, Cllr J Keel and Cllr M Newbury</p> <p>Apologies: Cllr P Feltbower, Cllr C Miller (OCC)</p> <p>Also Present: Cllr Angus Patrick (CDC)</p>	Action	By date																								
	<p>Election of Chair and appointment of Vice Chair It was agreed unanimously that Cllr Mike Nixon would be elected Chair of the Parish Council for the year 2022/23 and Cllr Jane Keel was appointed Vice Chair.</p>																										
19.	<p>Declarations of Interest Cllrs Terzino and Newbury as a members of the Village Hall Committee.</p>	all																									
20.	<p>Minutes The Minutes of the meeting of 15th March 2022 were agreed as drawn.</p>	clerk																									
21.	<p>Councillor's report. Cllr Fitzpatrick attended to understand any issues that relate to CDC. He was asked to ask CDC the current enforcement position for the Widnell lane sites, and to ask for an update on the Widnell Lane planning appeals.</p>																										
22.	<p>Finance The Council agreed the following payments:-</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="284 1279 1273 1765"> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>ATA Lambourne</td> <td>audit</td> <td>£32.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>PVH</td> <td>Room hire</td> <td>£10.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>MR ands JE Cross</td> <td>grass</td> <td>£222.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>Mrs A Davies</td> <td>Cl salary</td> <td>£205.12</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>HMRC</td> <td>Cl tax</td> <td>£51.20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>Roy Shepherd</td> <td>Village gates</td> <td>£175.00</td> </tr> </table> <p>The Parish Council agreed their accounts for the year 2021/22 and their Annual Governance and Accountability return and authorised the Clerk and the Chair to sign the same.</p>	B/P	ATA Lambourne	audit	£32.00	B/P	PVH	Room hire	£10.50	B/P	MR ands JE Cross	grass	£222.00	B/P	Mrs A Davies	Cl salary	£205.12	B/P	HMRC	Cl tax	£51.20	B/P	Roy Shepherd	Village gates	£175.00	clerk	
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23.	<p>Seven Stars The working group has agreed not to proceed further. On receipt of formal</p>																										

	confirmation the Clerk will advise CDC.		
24.	<p>Ray Valley Forum</p> <p>The Council agreed to participate and to appoint a resident and Cllr Nixon to represent the views of the village.</p>		
25.	<p>Allotments</p> <p>All allotment rent has now been paid and there is a cash holding of £247.50.</p> <p>The Parish Council agreed to replace one water valve damaged over winter, at a total cost of not exceeding £100.00.</p> <p>There has been no update from Waterplus, but water usage is still minimal.</p> <p>Cllr Newbury was thanked for his work clearing out the debris from the brook. The Clerk was asked to write to the owner of the adjoining property asking for the land to be maintained.</p>	TW	
26.	<p>Jubilee Reserve</p> <p>The gate into the reserve will be replaced shortly. The safety report on the trim trail was considered and the Council agreed that the shrubbery adjacent to the trim trail should be cut back.</p>	AD/MT	
27.	<p>Embankment</p> <p>Ongoing.</p>		
28.	<p>Grass cutting contract</p> <p>The clerk was asked to request that the contractor cuts the churchyard and verge every 6 weeks, and it was suggested they should meet with the Chairman to discuss arrangements.</p>		
29.	<p>Village gates</p> <p>The Council agreed to order 4 more UPVC gates at the remaining entry points.</p>		
30.	<p>Planning</p> <p>None.</p>		

31.	Jubilee Celebrations Celebrations are planned for Sunday June 5 th , in and around the Village Hall.		
32.	Highways As raised with Cllr Miller.	AD	
33.	Police ongoing	KH	
34.	Circulated Between Meetings: OALC Updates	AD	
35.	The meeting closed at 9.00 pm.		
16.	Date of Next Meeting 21 st June 2022 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.	AD	