

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF PIDDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL held on 19th July 2022

	<p>Present: Cllr M Nixon, Cllr M Terzino, Cllr P Feltbower, Cllr T Wills (via Zoom), Cllr J Keel and Cllr M Newbury</p> <p>Apologies: Cllr C Miller (OCC), Cllr Angus Patrick (CDC)</p> <p>Also Present: Cllr G Coton (CDC)</p>	Action	By date																								
51	<p>Declarations of Interest Cllrs Terzino and Newbury as a members of the Village Hall Committee.</p>	all																									
52	<p>Minutes The Minutes of the meeting of 21st June 2022 were agreed as drawn.</p>	clerk																									
53	<p>Councillors' reports. Cllr Coton advised that councillors were still waiting for a response on the Parish Council's queries on Cowpasture farm.</p> <p>OCC will be sending requests to complete the Electoral Register by email.</p> <p>There is a boundary review for Ambrosden and Blackthorn parish Councils.</p> <p>At the recent meeting of CDC motions were passed regarding the cost of living crisis and the poverty emergency.</p> <p>CDC's website has information regarding support available for residents, including fuel subsidies (oil etc).</p>																										
54	<p>Finance The Council agreed the following payments:-</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="284 1556 1273 2036"> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>M Terzino</td> <td>expenses</td> <td>85.96</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>MR ands JE Cross</td> <td>grass</td> <td>£972.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>Mrs A Davies</td> <td>Cl salary</td> <td>244.92</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>HMRC</td> <td>Cl tax</td> <td>52.40</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>PVH</td> <td>Room hire</td> <td>7.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B/P</td> <td>Roy Shepherd</td> <td>gate</td> <td>200.00</td> </tr> </table>	B/P	M Terzino	expenses	85.96	B/P	MR ands JE Cross	grass	£972.00	B/P	Mrs A Davies	Cl salary	244.92	B/P	HMRC	Cl tax	52.40	B/P	PVH	Room hire	7.00	B/P	Roy Shepherd	gate	200.00	clerk	
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56.	<p>Other Village Matters</p> <p>The Parish Council noted the recent death of Cllr Howard Culley, who had made a substantial contribution to the work of the Council in the short time that he was a councillor.</p>		
57.	<p>Allotments</p> <p>No further update from Waterplus, but the allotments have used 10 units of water in 1 month.</p>	TW	
58.	<p>Jubilee Reserve</p> <p>A chain and padlock have been purchased for the new gate.</p> <p>While there have been complaints about the use of the reserve by non-residents, Councillors noted that the Community Led plan accepted use by residents of Piddington and the surrounding area, provided users act responsibly.</p> <p>It was been reported that there was an attack on a local dog by a visitor, which the Clerk was asked to raise with the Dog Warden.</p> <p>There also appears to be use by professional dog walkers, walking a number of dogs together.</p>	AD/MT	
59.	<p>Embankment</p> <p>Former Councillor Ken Howard will be liaising with Murphys, who have now returned on site. He will ask them to trim the hedges along Lower End. The Ray Valley Flood Forum will meet on 26th July in the Village hall.</p>		
60.	<p>Village gates</p> <p>4 new gates will be installed on Monday 22nd August.</p>		
61.	<p>Planning</p> <p><u>22/01982/</u> Wisteria House 55 Lower End Piddington Oxfordshire OX25 1QD <u>F</u> Erection of a single storey barn to house land management machine (22/00607/F) No Objection</p>		

62.	<p>Highways</p> <p>Trip hazards have been noted at the Widnell Park gate. It was agreed that the post by the new gate should be removed.</p> <p>The Clerk was asked to request a volunteer to carry out a new footpath survey, and act as footpath Warden.</p>	AD	
63.	<p>Police</p> <p>Ongoing. The next Rural policing Forum will meet in Piddington Village Hall.</p>	KH	
64.	<p>Circulated Between Meetings:</p> <p>OALC Updates</p>	AD	
65.	<p>The meeting closed at 9.00 pm.</p>		
50.	<p>Date of Next Meeting</p> <p>20th September 2022 at 7.30pm</p>	AD	