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Hartpury Annual Parish Meeting

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held at 7.30pm on the 25th April 2022 at Hartpury Village Hall.

Present:

**Cllr Alastair McGhee, Cllr Dave Zeal, Cllr Mark Clarke, Cllr Rachael Watson, Cllr Richard Pett
Vicky Roberts (Clerk)**

11 members of the public were present.

District Cllr P Burford and County Cllr P Robinson were present.

The meeting was chaired by Alastair McGhee and the minutes were taken by the Clerk.

1. Welcome

The Chair welcomed those present and the meeting opened at 7.30pm

2. Apologies for Absence

Apologies were received Cllr S Gibbs and Cllr R Gregory

3. Matters Arising

There were no matters arising.

4. Report from County County Councillor – P Robinson

Cllr Philip Robinson gave a report to the meeting on his first year as a County Cllr and his areas of Economy, Education and Skills, the County Council budget especially regarding the adult social care, Highways maintenance and repairs, Schools that have been repaired and or newly built, the decision to maintain the Fire Service within GCC, flooding and the ability to report through the GCC website, the cycle race taking place later this year and the application progress for the proposed nuclear fusion site for Gloucestershire. He also highlighted the work being undertaken towards housing Ukrainian families, and when asked spoke about the recent bus service improvement plan application.

5. Report from District Councillor – P Burford

Cllr Philip Burford gave a report to the meeting on the difficulties of the year, the Forward Development Plan, the backlog if residents are waiting on delivery of bins or if they are intending to order one. Cllr Burford also wanted to thank David Pedrette, Cllr A McGhee and the Clerk for the progress so far with ST and to all those that support and attend the meetings.

Report from District Councillor – B Lewis

Councillor Brian Lewis provided a report to be read out, this is attached to the minutes.

6. Report from Police

The police were unable to attend, and no report was available, the stats will be added to the minutes when received.

7. Parish Council Chairman's Report and Finance

The Parish Council Chairman gave a report to the meeting and gave a brief summary of the finances for the year and the earmarked reserves, copies of both reports are attached to the minutes.

8. Reports from local groups

Drama Group - Angela Gaskell attended on behalf of the Drama Group and gave a report to the meeting, a copy is attached to the minutes

Little Oaks Nursery - Little Oaks were unable to attend, a report could not be submitted at this time.

Primary School - Headteacher Stephen Dean attended the meeting and gave a report for Hartpury Primary School, a copy is attached to the minutes.

Friends of the Primary School - Hartpury School Headteacher Stephen Dean gave a report on behalf of the Friends of Hartpury Primary School, a copy is attached to the minutes.

Hartpury Heritage Trust and Historic Buildings and Hartpury United Charities - Jim Chapman was unable to attend but submitted reports for the groups which were read out by the Parish Council Chairman, copies of the reports are attached to the minutes.

Methodist Church - David Ledger attended the meeting and gave a report on behalf of the Methodist Church, a copy is attached to the minutes.

Hartpury Church - Eileen Magee was unable to attend the meeting but had previously provided a report, this was read out by the Parish Council Chairman and a copy is attached.

Hartpury College and University - Russell Marchant, Principle attended the meeting and gave a report for the College and University, a brief overview of the report is attached to the minutes.

Hartpury WI - Gill Pett attended the meeting and gave a report on behalf of the WI, a copy is attached to the minutes.

Village Hall - Ken Jollans attended the meeting and gave a report on the Village Hall, a copy is attached to the minutes.

Hartmore School - Hartmore School were unable to attend the meeting, a report could not be submitted at this time.

Walking for Health - Susan Gregory was unable to attend the meeting but provided a report which was read out by the Parish Council Chairman, a copy is attached to the minutes.

Dementia Awareness Enabler - Sarah Davies was unable to attend the meeting. Sarah is intending to join the Parish Council at a later meeting to provide an update.

9. Public Question Time

Angela Evans wanted to thank all involved for the ST meetings that have been taking place and progressing the issues with the flooding of water and sewerage.

10. Closure of Meeting

The chairman thanked all for attending and the meeting closed at 8.45pm.