## MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING FOR ALDWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

## HELD ON MAY 20TH 2019 IN THE VILLAGE HALL.

PRESENT: Cllr Tim Chapman

Cllr N Williams

Cllr D Roach

Cllr K Walters.

Clerk: A J Ives

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Nomination for Chairman: Cllr T Chapman was proposed and seconded. No other nominations. Accepted all in Favour.

Co-option: J. Clark was co-opted to the Council. All in Favour.

All Councillors completed their Acceptance of Office, and Member's Interest.

- Planning 19/01001/HOUSE 3 Ambury Rad Aldworth. Demolition of entrance porch, and construction of replacement. First floor extension over existing lean-to.

  Mr and Mrs Earnshaw. 'NO OBJECTION'
- 2. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING 8th APRIL 2019. All agreed and signed by the Chairman.
- 3. MATTERS ARISING: a) Upon receipt of an invoice from the contractor, the sum of £300 for 2018/19 would be paid for the cutting of the bank. Plus £100 for the hedge cutting. In future years the sum of £250 for the lot would be paid by the council to the contractor. All agreed.
  - b) Westridge green needs cutting back Chairman to contact Yattendon Estates as visibility is extremely poor.
  - c) There are more pot holes to be dealt with. Cllr Roach to contact WBC again.
  - d) No Tree Preservation Orders granted by WBC for Grimm's Dyke property. It was noted that there are badger sets in the woods at the back of the property. WBC recommend that spoil should be removed.
- 4. **FINANCE**. Balance in Bank £12,391.68. It was agreed to try to move our Banking from TSB, to Barclays, and there is a meeting with the Business Sales

Manager on 24<sup>th</sup> May at Barclays. TSB have made several errors during the past year, and duplication.

Cheques were drawn for the Insurance, Came and Co (Brokers) £434.77 and also for Thames Valley Air Ambulance £100. Use of Home as Office £41.66 cheque also made, to the Clerk.

- 5. The Litter pick had cleared 8 bags. Another effort is planned later in the summer.
- 6. It was agreed that the Council /clerk would meet at 6 p.m. to clean the signs in the village, before the next Parish Council Meeting on 8<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30 p.m.
- 7. **Matters for consideration:** No 5 Ambury Road is a building site, and as such is dangerous to children playing and trespassing in the front garden. Clerk to report to WBC.

Chairman

Date. 8-7-19.