Minutes of the Fittleton cum Haxton Parish Council Meeting On Tuesday 5 July 2022, 19:30 hrs at Phoenix Hall

Present:	
Cllr Mrs Dorothea Georgeson (DG) - Chairman	
Cllr Mrs Corinne Gowman	(CG)
Cllr Mrs Victoria Jago	(VJ)
Cllr Mrs Sheila Symes	(SS)
Cllr Paul Cranch	(PC)
In Attendance:	
Cllr Ian Blair-Pilling	(IBP) County Councillor
Apologies Received:	
Cllr Greg Morgan	(GM)
Cllr Simon Vaughan-Edwards (SVE)	

22/46 Apologies for Absence

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Cllr Greg Morgan Cllr Simon Vaughan-Edwards

22/47 Declaration of Interest

There were no declarations of interest

22/48 Questions from members of the public

There were no questions

22/49 Report from Wiltshire Councillor

Full report to follow. Cllr Ian Blair-pilling did however give a heads up on the following subjects including the impact of Covid on the Hills Rubbish/Recycling Collections, cost of living to families/individuals is not a Wilts Council responsibility and a 'windfall' of capital due to last year's Covid spending cuts will result in a concerted effort to refresh worn out road markings, clear gullies and renewed efforts to stop fly tipping.

22/50 Agree Minutes of previous meeting

Minutes of FcH Parish Council Meeting held on Tuesday 10th May 2022 agreed and accepted. *Copy of previous Minutes signed by Chair.*

22/51 Reports/updates by councillors

a. PHOENIX HALL SS

New front doors are now in place. Monies for solar panels has been approved. A new savings account has been put in to place. At the next meeting of the Hall Committee (July 12th 2022) our Parish representative will possibly need to field questions from the Hall Committee about withdrawal of funding of the Booking Clerk's salary this year. The decision will be reviewed annually.

b. PLANNING:CG/VJ

CG and VJ have reviewed two applications to date. PL/2022/03588 Haxton Farm cutting back of trees within the farm site. PL/2022/04096 348 Fittleton erection of shed, infill of gap in garden wall and construction of a pond. Both approved by the Parish Council.

c. FOOTPATHS: SVE

A new Parish Steward has been appointed and is actively setting about tasks within the Parish.

d. TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS:

Nothing to report.

e. ALLOTMENTS: SS

14 allotments in total with 12 occupied, nothing further to report.

f. JUBILEE COMMITTEE: SVE

The Beacon Lighting was a great success and highlighted the way in which the villages worked well together in providing an excellent event. The Street Party in Netheravon was equally well attended and a success for all concerned.

g. STONEHENGE AREA BOARD: DG/PC

The last meeting (30th June 2022) was attended by DG and PC. Minutes of this can be found on the Wiltshire Council website.

22/52 Accounts

Balance at 5 July 2022: £10835.57 Transfers since last meeting: £60 S.Turner Finger Post £70 MP Symes repairs £5 Phoenix Hall rental £34 MP Symes Repair notice board £46.17 DG Jubilee flags/decs £120 RGV, public toilets at Beacon

22/53 Correspondence received

Mr Wood of Fittleton has requested funding (£30) to assist in the setting up of art classes starting September 2022 to be held in the Phoenix Hall. Part funded by participants, ourselves and Netheravon PC. Nominated by CC and seconded by VJ and unanimously passed. Further details to follow in due course.

22/54 Parish Matters

The scaffolding on Magpie Cottage Haxton will soon be removed. Continued work is on track and progressing well.

An appeal to a planning application has been received from The Old School, Fittleton. The parish council will review the documents and respond accordingly.

22/55 Items for Next Meeting

- a. Autumn Tidy Day
- b. Fittleton Sign Post
- c. Christmas Lights arrangements

Date of next meeting 6 September 2022, 7:30pm, Phoenix Hall, Netheravon.

*Members of the public are welcome to attend and to bring matters to the Council's attention at this point in the meeting (max 3 mins per person). If a detailed response is required, it would be helpful for the clerk to receive your questions in advance of the meeting, in writing, preferably 5 days in advance of the meeting.