

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of Sonning Common Parish Council held on Monday 14 May 2018 in the Village Hall

Present: Mrs Diwell; Mr Greenwood; Mr Jones; Mr Kedge; Mrs Lewis; Mrs Phillips-Tilbury; Mr Rawlins; Mr Rust and Mr Stoves. Also Mr Collings (Parish Clerk) Mr C McLoughlin Henley Standard.

AMPC18.1 Chairman of the Council: Mr Stoves nominated and Mrs Phillips-Tilbury seconded that Mrs Lewis become Chairman. There being no other nominations Mrs Lewis was elected unanimously, signed the Chairman's Declaration of Acceptance of Office and took the chair.

AMPC18.2 Vice Chairman. Mr Rawlins nominated and Mrs Phillips-Tilbury seconded that Mr Stoves remain as Vice-Chairman. There being no other nominations Mr Stoves was elected unanimously and signed the Vice-Chairman's Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

AMPC18.3 Apologies for absence: Mr Fort, Mr Howe and Mr Rinta-Suksi.

AMPC18.4 Declarations of interest from Members- none.

AMPC18.5 Public Participation. No questions raised.

AMPC18.6 Minutes of the Annual Meeting held on 15 May 2017 were approved unanimously.

AMPC18.7 It was resolved to appoint the named Councillors as members of the:

AMPC18.7.1 Finance Committee - Mr Greenwood; Mr Jones; Mr Kedge; Mrs Lewis; Mrs Phillips-Tilbury and Mr Stoves.

AMPC18.7.2 Planning Committee - Mr Fort; Mr Kedge; Mrs Lewis; Mrs Phillips-Tilbury; Mr Rawlins; Mr Rust and Mr Stoves (non-voting ex officio as Vice Chair).

AMPC18.8 Membership of Working Parties – these were confirmed as being:

Environment Working Party: Mr Rust (Chair); Mrs Diwell; Mr Fort; Mr Jones; Mr Kedge and Mr Stoves. No Co-optees to date. Has absorbed Widmore Pond WP.

Neighbourhood Development Plan 2 Working Party: Mr Fort (Chair); Mr Greenwood; Mr Howe; Mr Rawlins and Mr Rust plus co-opted members.

Memorial Hall Field Working Party (MHFWP): Mr Rawlins; Mr Rinta-Suksi; Chaired by Mrs Pearman with several active co-opted members. Parish Clerk and Deputy both attend.

Village Centre Working Party (VCWP): Mr Howe (Chair); Mrs Diwell; Mr Fort; Mrs Phillips-Tilbury; Mr Rawlins and Mr Rust. Parish Clerk and Deputy both attend. Co-options to take place soon.

Recreation Working Party (Skate Park and Play Areas) meeting only as required. Mrs Lewis; Mr Jones and Mr Kedge.

Footpaths Working Party: Mr Stoves and Mr Rust.

ClubSC Working Party: Mr Rinta-Suksi; Parish Clerk or Deputy; Other members as ToR.

Village Hall Working Party: Yet to be nominated.

AMPC18.9 Councillors who represent the Parish Council on or to external bodies were confirmed as:

Allotments Committee: Mr Stoves.

Sonning Common Magazine Committee: Mr Fort

Sonning and District Welfare and Educational Trust: Mrs Diwell.

Chiltern Edge Community Association: Mrs Phillips-Tilbury

Poor's Land Trust: Mr Rawlins (Mr Winnington as co-optee).

On Your Bike (Health Centre) Committee: Mr Fort.

Scouts/Guides Hut Management Committee: Mr Howe.

AMPC18.10 It was resolved to confirm the continuing appropriateness of the Standing Orders for Sonning Common Parish Council as adopted on 21 October 2013.

AMPC18.11 It was resolved to confirm that the next Annual Meeting will be on Monday 13 May 2019.

Meeting closed at 19.45.

Chairman:

Dated: