

HUISH CHAMPFLOWER PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday January 10th 2016 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Present Stephen Kimsey (Chair) (SK), Mary Abel (MA), Sam Kennen (SKn),
Marc Vyvyan-Jones(MVJ), Chris Chanter (CC), Jos Philips Harral (JPH) and
Stephen Powles (SP).

Others present; Keith Turner District Councillor

		Action
1	Apologies None	
2	Declaration of interests None.	
3	Minutes of the meeting held on November 8th 2016 S Kimsey and S Powles should be identified as Stephen and Chris Chanter had a letter “a” missing. Minutes were agreed as a true record subject to typos corrected. Proposed SK and seconded MA. All parish councillors agreed with proposal SK will sign off at next meeting.	
4	Matters arising Bank form on-going.	
5	Finance Bank statements Business Instant Access account at 9 th December 2016 was £1063.12 Treasurers Account at 14th December 2016 was £6824.74 The following cheques were agreed for payment, proposed JPH and seconded MA; No. 464 SCC Replacement signs £338.00 Proposed CC Seconded MVJ. No. 465 Clerk expenses Nov 2015- March 2017 £100.00 Proposed MA Seconded JPH. All present agreed.	
6	Planning/Enforcement issues 3/17/16/002 Mill Barn Washbattle was recommended Proposed JPH Seconded SKn. All agreed. Hurts farm – was on website. Clerk to contact planning department.	
7	Correspondence Nicky Gibbard is no longer the local village agent	
8	Defibrillator British Heart Foundation grant option is being considered for one defibrillator.	

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9	Setting Precept The precept was set at £3250. Proposed MVJ seconded CC. All agreed.	
10	Highways/Village Signs Replacement village signs have been agreed with Highways. Correspondence was received from Highways regarding Winters Cross. Parish council felt a shovel was needed to be able to use the salt dumpy bags. JPH agreed to purchase 6 off shovels. Parish council agreed for JPH to go ahead.	
11	Community Issues CPR training was held on December 3 rd at the Village Hall and was well attended. BT phone box consultation, KT believed Huish Champflower and Skilgate will be kept.	
12	Parish Plan Parish survey has been agreed. Roy Phillips prepared to copy 100 sets of surveys, JPH, MA and SP were prepared to distribute. Clerk to give details of electoral role.	
13	Update from WSDC/SCC KT discussed the proposed merger of WSDC and Taunton Deane Councils. A local lottery will be formed . County council elections will be held 4 th May. FN commented that SCC was short of funds. DfE proposal to fund a social deprivation fund for West Somerset.	
14	Future Business MVJ wanted to include Spring clean up – Need list of children in the village. Louise Cook to organise. Suggest Saturday. Feb 6 th Brendon Hills Group will hold a meeting with Senior Officers of WSDC at Raleighs Cross.	
15	Date of next meeting Tuesday 14th March 2017 at 7.30pm.	

Meeting closed at 9.17pm

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