STURMINSTER MARSHALL PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of the Full Council on Thursday 8th March 2018 at 7.30pm in the Memorial Hall

Present: Chairman Cllr. Miss H Palmer; Cllr B Parratt; Cllr A Godfrey; Cllr L Seare; Cllr Mrs S Cade; Cllr H Fookes; Cllr H Knock

- Also in attendance: Clerk Mrs Alison Clothier; District Cllr R Cook;
- 2 MEMBERS OF PUBLIC There were 17 members of the public present. Neil Middleditch spoke regarding the Churchill Arms pub on behalf of an Action Group to save the pub. See Appendix 1. The group requested a supporting statement from the Parish Council for their Asset of Community Value application. Cllr Cade confirmed the planning application comments were due in on the 31st March.

3 APOLOGIES

Cllr M Steel; County Cllr S Butler;

4 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

There were no declarations of interest.

POLICE REPORT

- See **Appendix 2.** Cllr Knock confirmed that his home was subjected to an attempted burglary.
- 6 MINUTES

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The minutes of the Full Council Meeting held on 1st February 2018 were signed as true record of the meeting by the Chairman.

7 MATTERS ARISING

A report from the Clerk which had been circulated was read by the Chairman and is attached to these minutes as **Appendix 3.** Ongoing issues from the Clerks Report are:

Clerk 2 items

- i. Pill Box
- ii. Highways Matters

AMENITIES AND FACILITIES

- i. Pill Box Clerk has asked for a meeting with Estates Manager for White Mill.
- ii Playground Monthly inspection all in order.
- iii Bartons Ground no update to report
- iv Trees in Parish
 - a) Timber Green Clerk to chase James Bennett.
 - b) Tree Survey 2017 Clerk to contact James Bennett to recommend someone to conduct aerial survey
- v. Noticeboards –The noticeboard opposite the Co-op has been fixed. Cllr Palmer has asked Mr Miller to remove the ivy from the Co-op noticeboard.
- vi. Walnut Tree Field –EDDC to install a new path. Potential for a

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	::	memorial seat for Dave Mills.	
	vii.	Multi Wheeled Sports Facility –The quote from Gravity Parks has been	All Clina
		received and was favourable. Parish Council need to have a	All Clirs
		meeting on site to mark out the potential park before going out to consultation.	
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	viii.	War Memorial – including RAF plaque. Clerk to ask Dave Miller if he	Clerk
		could clean the war memorial with natural bristle brushes and water.	
	ix.	Churchill Close Green Lease – EDDC has sent through a draft Lease. It	CII.
		was considered that it would be sensible to have a legal advice on this.	Cllr
		Councillors would also like to look at Bylaws. Cllr Palmer and Cllr Cade	Palmer/Cllr
		to ask at DAPTC AGM.	Cade
	X.	Trailway – Trailway now cut back and Newton Road has been closed	
	:	due to the broken steps.	
	xi.	Rights of Way – awaiting feedback from the ROW meeting from EDDC.	
		Looking for people to volunteer to be a Ranger.	
	xii.	Maypole Green – letter from the School Society requesting permission	Clerk
		for the Maypole Dancing event. All in agreement to grant permission.	
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9	ENVIRONMENT :	Flood Wondows mathing to your	
	i ::	Flood Wardens – nothing to report	
	ii.	Dog Wardens – a member of the community has added CCTV to a	
		house which has resolved one dog fouling issue. It was reported that	
	:::	there have been more dogs on the Green.	Claule
	iii.	Wessex Water – WW have been pumping out again in Station Road	Clerk
		the High Street. Clerk to ask why this was necessary.	
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	i	A31/A350 – traffic lights have been in place on the Roundhouse	
		roundabout. The snow plough system in bad weather does not seem	Clerk
		effective. Clerk to ask County for some feedback on why this is the	
		case – ask them for the policy.	
	ii	Highways – Traffic Calming and Safety. Hedge at Porthallow needs	
		cutting back on Rushall Lane. Clerk to report tree coming into	Clerk
		Mapperton from Worlds End. Car parking on the High Street is	
		becoming dangerous and car parking on football days is still an issue.	
	iii.	White Mill Bridge – dislodged stone is still there – Pat Waterman is	
		chasing this up.	Clerk
	iv.	Village Signs – Clerk to chase Sign Shop again.	Clerk
	vi.	Grit Bin, Rushall Lane – has been objected to. Clerk to send out an	
		email asking if anyone can suggest a location.	
	vii.	Road signage at Railway Drive – no update.	
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	REPORTS		
	To rece	ive reports from representatives of the following:	
	i	Alms House Charity – nothing to report.	
	ii	Memorial Hall – nothing to report.	
	iii.	Sport Association – nothing to report.	
	iv	PACT – Police restructuring taking place but uncertain what the	
		impact will be.	
	V.	DAPTC – AGM is on the 9 th March.	
	vi.	District and County Councillor	
		District Councillor Cook – See Appendix 4.	
12	FINIANICE		
	FINANCE	The Calculate of Decision to	
	'	The Schedule of Payments were received, approved and the cheques	
		were signed in accordance with the Bank Mandate. Appendix 5 to	

		these minutes.	Clerk	
	ii.	Asset Register Review and Risk Assessment – Derek Jones has	Cierk	
		completed this exercise for the Parish Council. The main areas of risk		
		are the Maypole and trees as well as the defibrillator. This can now be used to get new quotes for the insurance. Cllr Palmer and Cade to ask	Cllr Palmer/Cllr	
		about insurance companies	Cade	
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	DEFIBRILLATOR		Clerk	
14	Clerk to organis beginning of Ma	e training day as soon as possible, in the evening at the end of April or ay.	CIETK	
14	LITTER PICK 201	<u>18</u>	Clerk	
15	Advertise with posters			
13	CORRESPONDENCE			
ı		illors Survey Results - noted		
	, ,	 Cllrs to respond individually need local representative – Cllr Cade and Cllr Seare to volunteer 		
		set Youth Association – the letter was noted however the money is not		
	in the Parish Co	uncil budget		
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10	PARISH MATTE	<u>RS</u>		
	Tattersall Garde	en – experiencing problems with bin collections due to bad parking.		
	rattersan Garde	en – experiencing problems with bill collections due to bad parking.		
	_	sport Review – discussed school transportation, public transport and		
	transport.	nsport and budgets. Looking to integrate NHS transport with County		
	The Parish Council meeting was suspended at 8.49pm whilst the Planning Committee took place. See minutes 8 th March for details.			
	The Parish mee	ting re-convened at 9.20pm		
	DATE AND TIME	E OF NEXT MEETING – Thursday 5 th April 2018 at 7.30pm		
	There being no			
	Signed	Chairman 5 th April 2018		
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