

ETTINGTON PARISH COUNCIL		
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MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 11TH 2026		
Present: Councillors D Clarke, J. Harvey, R. Whitfield (Chair), T. Holdsworth		
Attending: Clerk Jane Carter Public: 3 County Councillor David Curtis		
260211/1	Apologies for absence : Cllrs David Hughes, Cllr Rich Smith, Cllr Kate Allen, Cllr George Francis, Cllr Trevor Harvey	
260211/2	Declaration of Pecuniary Interests: - none	
260211/3	Minutes of the last Parish Council meeting The minutes of the meeting on January 14th, 2025, and the extraordinary meeting on January 20th were approved and signed as a true record.	
260211/4	County and District Council report: Cllr Harvey had circulated a report which was noted. Cllr Curtis updated the meeting on the government's unitary authority consultation. It was agreed that Cllr Harvey would review the consultation papers and prepare a response on behalf of the council. This would be considered at the March meeting	Cllr Harvey
260211/5	Public Forum: A resident raised concerns at flooding outside the Quaker Meeting Place which made it impossible for people to access safely. Cllr Curtis would raise with highways.	
260211/6	Highways and Village Maintenance I. 20mph speed limit: County Cllr Curtis updated the council on discussions regarding speeding. A chicane at the entrance to the North side of the village was being considered. A meeting had been arranged between the MP Manuela Perteghella, police representatives and the parish council. Cllr Holdsworth and Cllr Curtis would attend. II. Reflective bollards and chicane: no progress. ACTION: County Councillor to progress and to advise on progress on zebra crossing painting. Parking measures at the school were being reviewed. III. Security Cameras: A response had been received from SDC saying they would not support the installation of CCT cameras due to the lack of suitable infrastructure, technical feasibility and it not being an effective measure to reduce any issues. It was agreed the matter be closed and no further action taken.	
260211/7	Planning Local Enforcement Plan Consultation: Cllr Trevor Harvey had written seeking support for changes to the enforcement process in the Stratford District as part of the consultation. Cllr Joe Harvey would review the correspondence and liaise with Cllr Harvey. Response would be agreed on behalf of the parish council. No other planning matters were received.	Cllr Harvey

260211/8	<p>Governance:</p> <p>The following governance policies had been circulated for review and approval:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I. Data Protection Policy- APPROVED II. Privacy Policy- APPROVED III. Model Publication and FOI/Subject Access requests policy: APPROVED 	
260211/9	<p>Finance Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. To note and approve payments and receipts: APPROVED ii. To note and approve bank reconciliation: current account: APPROVED iii. To note and approve bank reconciliation: reserves accounts: APPROVED iv. To approve the transfer of reserves funds to the Public Deposit Account: it was agreed a £25000 be transferred v. To review and approve Internal Management controls: these had been circulated. APPROVED 	Clerk
260211/10	<p>Ettington Community Centre: A 100" TV had been installed, and sports matches were already proving popular. Quotes for insulation were continuing</p>	
260211/11	<p>Football Pitch, Playing Field, MUGA, Village Maintenance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I. The installation of remote controls would be added to the grant application for the MUGA LED lighting II. General maintenance (standing item): Cllr Harvey said the path from Banbury Road through to the playing field was very muddy and unsafe for walking. It was agreed the contractor be asked to lay hardcore or self-compacting gravel. 	Clerk Clerk
260211/12	<p>Date of next meeting: The meeting closed at 8.15 p.m. The date of the next meeting was confirmed as March 11th starting at 7.30 p.m.</p>	

Approved By _____

Date _____