

EDINGLEY PARISH COUNCIL DRAFT MINUTES OF THE PARISH MEETING held on Monday 9th September 2024 at 7:30pm.

Present: Mrs Diana Poole (Chair), Mr Chris Clay, Mr Benjamin Ian and Mrs Sue Thornton

In Attendance: Dr Robert Clay (Clerk) and 5 members of the public.

Apologies: Mr Maurice Needoff, Mrs Laura Hill, Cllr Rainbow (indicated she hoped to attend but may be late).

Absent: Mr Tony Michon

	The meeting was opened by Diana Poole who welcomed everyone	Action
1.	Apologies for Absence. Apologies were received from Maurice Needoff and Laura Hill. These were accepted	
2.	<p>Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting Held on 8th July 2024 These were agreed as accurate and signed by the chair.</p> <p>Matters Arising Our contact for the footpaths (Steve Stevenson) has left. The Clerk is now in contact with William Atkinson. Clerk will take up issues relating to the pavement from Edingley to Farnsfield with him.</p> <p>The bridge on the footpath from Allesford Lane to St Giles Church has now been fixed, but the path is still overgrown at the Allesford Lane end. Clerk to raise this.</p> <p>The Chair and Sue Thornton are going to write a letter to the bank authorising the transfer of £1000 into the reserve.</p>	<p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p>
3.	Declarations of Interest. There were no declarations of interest.	
4.	<p>Chairman's Report. The chair has reported damage to the tarmac area near the front side door of the Old Schoolroom to the EOSRA. This needs to be fixed urgently. The chair will make arrangements for this and it was agreed that the Parish Council would pay.</p> <p>Lambs charity are happy for people to pick apples from the trees on Lambs field and School field. Benjamin Ian has offered to mow a path around the community orchard and in between the trees.</p>	<p>Chair</p> <p>BI</p>
5.	<p>Flood Committee. The Clerk read out an email from Ross Marshall (Principal Officer – Flood Risk Management). There are three main points.</p>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The first phase of the underground pipework investigation is complete and has highlighted some areas for further work. • Ross Marshall has met with residents to discuss their own personal situations and provide advice • Ross Marshall is meeting a colleague from Via East Midlands on 12th September to discuss and agree the next phase of works which are likely to include some cleaning of pipes and also the installation of new road gullies above Edingley Beck. <p>He is also working on a few other ideas which will be shared in the next few weeks.</p>	
5.	<p>Children's Play Area - Maintenance The Clerk shared the monthly maintenance reports. The home-made rope swing has been removed, but some Union Flag bunting has appeared which is at a dangerous height for children. This must be removed.</p> <p>The Chair has asked Nathan to have a look at the gate, which is too low and not closing properly.</p>	Clerk
7.	<p>Lambs Field and School Field. This has been discussed in the Chairman's report.</p>	
8.	<p>Litter Picking. There is a build up of litter in the village. An idea was proposed to create a litter picking station at the OSR.</p>	
9.	<p>Speeding. It is hoped that a speed survey will be conducted soon. There have been a few reports of cars speeding away from the pub. Benjamin Ian is going to ask the landlord to erect a sign advising customers to show due consideration to residents when leaving the premises.</p>	BI
10.	<p>Allotments. Mel Sims thanked the Parish Council for judging the allotments. The parish council liked the format of the judging, and the presentation went well. The winners were as follows</p> <p>Newly Taken Plot - Julie and Dave Smith</p> <p>Best Half Plot - Tony and Nina Michon</p> <p>Best Full Plot - Chris Fryatt</p> <p>The 'Best Allotmenteer' Award - Chris Fryatt</p> <p>Photography competition winner - Sally Compton</p>	MN

	<p>There are no spare plots. Mel Sims is going to contact tenants who may wish to downsize to half plots.</p> <p>A question was asked about what is done with excess produce. Where possible this is taken to the social supermarket in Rainworth.</p> <p>Mel Sims is in touch with Newark and Sherwood District Council regarding a Co-op and drop scheme.</p>																																											
11.	<p>Cycle Race. The Tour of Britain cycle race came through the village once more. Edingley Lodge residents came to watch at the OSR, where refreshments were on offer.</p>																																											
12.	<p>Councillors Reports. There were no reports from councillors.</p>																																											
13.	<p>Clerk's Report - Finance. The Clerk presented the finance report. <u>Edingley Parish Council Meeting - Monday 9th September 2024</u> <u>Clerks Report</u></p> <p><u>Finance Report since Monday 8th July 2024</u></p> <table data-bbox="357 1010 1294 1193"> <tr> <td>Current Account (balance as of 31/07/2024)</td> <td>-</td> <td>£8295.16</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Reserve Account (balance as of 30/06/2024)</td> <td>-</td> <td>£1272.52</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td>-</td> <td>£9567.68</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ringfenced for Allotments</td> <td>-</td> <td>£150.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total available (excl Ringfence and uncashed cheques)-</td> <td></td> <td><u>£9396.88</u></td> </tr> </table> <p>Of which:-</p> <table data-bbox="357 1267 1294 1339"> <tr> <td>Income since July 8th 2024 report</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td>-</td> <td>£0.00</td> </tr> </table> <p>Uncashed cheques are indicated with <i>Italics</i></p> <p><u>Expenditure since 8th July 2024 report</u></p> <table data-bbox="357 1563 1294 1783"> <tr> <td>Clerk's Salary (July)</td> <td>-</td> <td>£159.75</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Chris Fryatt (Skip)</td> <td>-</td> <td>£100.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sam Garratt (Car Park lights)</td> <td>-</td> <td>£200.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Water Plus</td> <td>-</td> <td>£35.46</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Defib4Life</td> <td>-</td> <td>£234.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><i>Rob Clay (Expenses)</i></td> <td>-</td> <td><i>£20.80</i></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td>-</td> <td>£750.01</td> </tr> </table>	Current Account (balance as of 31/07/2024)	-	£8295.16	Reserve Account (balance as of 30/06/2024)	-	£1272.52	Total	-	£9567.68	Ringfenced for Allotments	-	£150.00	Total available (excl Ringfence and uncashed cheques)-		<u>£9396.88</u>	Income since July 8th 2024 report			Total	-	£0.00	Clerk's Salary (July)	-	£159.75	Chris Fryatt (Skip)	-	£100.00	Sam Garratt (Car Park lights)	-	£200.00	Water Plus	-	£35.46	Defib4Life	-	£234.00	<i>Rob Clay (Expenses)</i>	-	<i>£20.80</i>	Total	-	£750.01	
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	<p><u>Bills to Pay</u></p> <p>Mel Sims (Allotment Trophies) - £22.59 Sue Thornton (Flags) - £57.47 Water Plus - £26.46</p> <p>Lamb's Charity (Lamb's Field + Car Park) - £600.00 OSR Rental 1st April 2023-31st Mar 2024 - £250.00</p> <p>The Bank Mandate form has been sent around for signature.</p> <p>.</p>	
14.	<p>Results of Planning. The Clerk shared the results of Planning. 24/00695/LBC Retention of small open porch at Foxgloves, Main Street, Edingley was granted Listed Building Consent.</p>	
15.	<p>Business for Next Meeting. Footpaths and Speeding</p>	
Public	<p>The Chair Opened the meeting to the Public. A question was raised about the ARMCO barrier in front of the gas box near the church. Cllr Laughton was dealing with this. Clerk to follow up with Cllr Laughton.</p> <p>The hedge at the bottom of Edingley Hill is overgrown and causing an obstruction. Need to check if this is an issue for highways or the residents. Clerk to contact Highways.</p>	<p>Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p>
16.	<p>Date and time of next meeting. 11th November 2024 at 7:30 pm</p>	
	<p>The chair closed the meeting at 8:15 pm</p>	