

SANDHURST PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 7 OCTOBER 2024 AT THE VILLAGE HALL

Chair Cllr R. Davies (RD)

In attendance Cllr R.Elliott (RE) joined at item 6, Cllr J. Speedy (JS), Cllr G. Phillips (GP), Councillor M. Williams (MW).

Clerk P. Langley

Members of the Public - 11

01.10.24 RE welcomed all to the meeting and members of the Public.

02.10. 24 Apologies – County Councillor P. McLean, Cllr T.Wyatt .

03.10.24 Declaration of Members Interests – None declared.

04.10.24 Minutes of the Parish Meeting held on 11 September having been circulated were approved and signed by RD.

05.10.24 Matters Arising. None

06.10.24 Public Participation. Concerns were raised about the resurfacing being undertaken in Oct. Advice would be sought by the Clerk from Highways. A request was raised about a mirror at the jct of Base Lane/Sandhurst Lane. Advised that Highways do not erect mirrors to assist traffic.

Bengrove Solar Farm that was due for Planning consent was discussed with the road due to be resurfaced. Questions about affordable housing were raised. Insecure load- Hay bale on roof of vehicle.

RD informed all, that a Meeting on Monday 2 December had been arranged with the Police and Crime Commissioner and Tewkesbury Police also attending the Village Hall at 7.30pm to discuss various matters.

07.10.24 County Councillor Report - Apologies

08.10.24 Borough Councillor Report. Would advise on matters arising in the Meeting.

09.10.24 Finance Report. 2 cheques GAPTC Audit (860) £180 and GAPTC Annual Subscription (865) £132.97 had not be cashed by GAPTC. Cheques were apparently received but somehow lost or discarded in error. Cheques cancelled with the Bank and will be reissued. Explanation received from GAPTC regarding the matter.

ICO direct debit £35 due 7 November . All cheques approved with stubs signed by RD and RE.

Expenditure from April 24 to Oct 24. £6,008.34.

Cheque for Payment		Net of VAT	VAT
888	GAPTC-Audit	£180.00	
889	GAPTC – Annual Subs	£132.97	
890	Salary(6)	£270.58	
891	HMRC	£197.00	
892	Greenfields(6)	£342.72	£68.54
BANK BALANCE			
1 September 2024	Opening Balance	£13935.18	
	Cheques Banked	£682.04	
30 September 2024	Closing Balance	£13253.14	
Outstanding Cheques	885	£14.39	
	Available Balance	£13253.14	
	Cheques to be Banked	£1206.20	
	Balance		£12046.94

10.10.24 Planning. No objections raised by Cllr's. 24/00796/FUL 1 Abbotts Cottages , Sandhurst Lane, Sandhurst. Erection of a two-storey side extension, single storey front porch and single storey rear extension. TBC Planning informed.

11.10.24 Standing Items Village Green / Recreation Ground. Build Back Better Scheme Grant £4,021. JS gave an update on Build Back Better Youth Fund. Grant applied for £2,000. All Cllr's agreed to contribute a further £500 to cover the work on refurbishing the fence and gates.

12.10.24 Footpaths. No issues with footpaths clear.

13.10.24 Correspondence. MW spoke about various locations that needed attention either from Highways or in the case of hedges to be cut back by owners.

A wreath for Royal British Legion Remembrance Day was approved by Councillors.

NALC Model Financial Regulations 2024. Having been circulated were approved by Councillors.

14.10.09.24 Clerk Report. Road Closure Base Lane/ Sandhurst Lane 28 Oct 0700 to 19 Nov 1900.Details on Website.

Date Next Meeting Monday 4 November 2024 at the Village Hall.

Meeting closed by the Chair at 8.46pm.

Chair.....

Date.....