NEWINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Meeting

held in St Giles Church on Thursday 30th November 2023

Attendees	Cllr Duncan Howlett (DH) Cllr Peter Ablett (PA) Cllr Mike Black (MB) Cllr David Turner (DT)(SODC)
Apologies	Cllr James Nettleton (JN) Cllr Graham Howlett (GH) Cllr Robin Bennet (RB)(OCC)

Ref	Item	Notes	Action
60/23	Introduction	Apologies noted for JN, PA to act as Chair in absence. All agree. PA opened the meeting 7.02pm and welcomed all present.	
61/23	Apologies	Apologies noted - as above.	
62/23	Minutes of the last meeting	Minutes approved and signed by PA.	
63/23	Declarations of interest	None.	
64/23	Matters Arising (but not on the agenda)	None.	
65/23	Open Forum & Village Matters	None.	
66/23	District Councillor Report (David Turner)	DT outlines his most recent Cllr report.	
67/23	County Councillor Report (Robin Bennet)	RB apologies noted.	
68/23	Councillor & Paris	h Reports	
68a/23	Community Liason / Notice Board Control	BM reports notice board up to date.	
68b/23	Planning Applications	None.	
68c/23	Event Co- ordina	Nativity & Carol Song 24 th December 11.30am St Giles Church – all welcome to attend.	
68d/23 DH/GH	Website	BM reports website up to date.	
68e/23 DH/GH	Neighbourhood Plan	Motion to remove Neighbourhood Plan item from following agenda. All approve.	

68f/23 MB/JN	New Highways & Potholes	No new reports.	
68g/23 MB/EG	Responsible Financial Officer	JN provided cashbook for review. Cash book reviewed and up to date.	
68h/23 MB/GH/	Footpaths	No new reports.	
69/23 AOB	Defibrillator Update Newington has now taken delivery of defibrillator – PA gives demonstration. There are plans for defibrillator training to take place in 2024, dates TBC. Thanks to all who worked to fund defibrillator and support the project, including DT/SODC/PA/MB. 2024 NPC Meeting Dates Details of 2024 meeting dates suggested. Cheques to Raise Clerk Pay & HMRC PAYE payment, PA defibrillator purchase: £1,428 Parish Precept Motion to keep precept at same level as previous year. All approve.		
70/23	Date of Next Meeting	Thursday 8 th February 2024 at 7.00pm. The meeting closed at 8.18pm	

Signed: Chairman

Date: