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## WENDLING PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD IN THE WENDLING METHODIST CHURCH ON THURSDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023 AT 7.30 P.M.

Present:- Cllr M Olley, Cllr S Warwick and Cllr C Foster

Others Present: 2 electors and Mrs G Hubbard, Clerk

1. Welcome and to consider accepting apologies for absence.

Cllr Warwick welcomed those present to the meeting. Apologies for absence were received from Cllr D Kemble and Cllr S Knight these were accepted. County Cllr M Kiddle-Morris and Dist. Cllrs R Duffield and R Atterwill also sent apologies.

2. To declare any Interests re items on the agenda. There were no interests declared.

3. To confirm and accept minutes of the 21st September meeting.

The minutes had been circulated. Cllr Warwick proposed the minutes of September 21st be accepted as true and accurate records of the meetings, seconded by Cllr Olley and carried.

4. To discuss any matters from the minutes of September (not on the agenda). There were no matters to discuss.

## PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PERIOD

Mr Yaxley stated that the Minister of the Church was not present but she had asked him to pass on a request. She wanted to know if the Parish Council could help with the financial cost of the Christmas Service, which will be held on 3<sup>rd</sup> December at 4 p.m. The Clerk will contact Cllr Atterwill and ask him if he will act as Father Christmas again this year. Cllr Olley proposed a donation of £60.00 be given seconded by Cllr Warwick and carried.

Cllr Warwick commented that because of the road works being carried out at the moment, there is a commitment to clear out the drains on the Dereham Road.

5. To discuss any necessary Correspondence.

A thank you letter for the donation sent had been received from the charity Support Our Military Veterans.

6. To discuss any Planning Issues.

3PL/2023/0830/F Land east of Station Road, change of use of land to create a new storage barn for machinery and access drive. Planning permission refused.

3PL/223/0984/F 2 Mill Close, Manor Drift, Retrospective planning for Equestrian development 20m x 40m sand menage and fencing constructed for owner's use (Full), The Parish Council decided to support this planning application.

To discuss any Highways Matters.

There are outstanding matters to report at the moment. Some hedge trimming has taken place.

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- To discuss the proposed Village Litter Pick 8. This will be an agenda item for January.
- To receive an update regarding the new rubbish bin proposed down Station 9. Road

The Clerk will apply for a permit for placing a rubbish bin down Station Road, next to the seat.

- To receive an update regarding new lights being put in the bus shelter 10. The lights are in the bus shelter and are up and running and looking good.
- To authorise financial payments and receive a financial update 11. Cllr Warwick proposed the following financial payments be authorized, seconded by Cllr Olley and carried.

HMRC tax £72.80 Clerk's net salary £291.40 Breckland Council election cost £75.00 Wendling Methodist Church - donation £60.00 Clerk's expenses for October and November £61.72

To receive a financial update from the Clerk 12. This document had been circulated. There were no questions regarding the financial update.

To receive any update, if any, on the idea of putting some play equipment on 13.

This will be an item for the January agenda as Cllr Kemble is the person who is looking into this.

To receive items for the next agenda. 14.

To set the Precept for 2024 -2025

To discuss the proposed Village Litter Pick

To receive any update, if any, on the idea of putting some play equipment on some land.

To confirm date, time and venue of the next meeting 15.

The date of the next Parish Council meeting will take place on Thursday18th January at 7.30 p.m. in Wendling Methodist Church.

As there was no further business to discuss, the Chairman thanked everyone for their attendance and declared the meeting closed at 8.30 p.m.

18 1/2021 The Day Chairman

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