



MILBORNE ST ANDREW PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Full Council held at the Village Hall, Milborne St Andrew on Wednesday 05th February 2025 commencing at 1900 hours.

Present:

Cllr's Richard Macnair, Rob Greening, Jane MacLeod, Amy Stephens, and Susan Poet.

5 members of the public

Cllr Emma Parker (Ward Councillor)

Full Council

1. Apologies for absence

Cllr Badger sent apologies.

2. Declarations of pecuniary or other interest

No declarations were made.

3. Minutes of the previous meeting held on 08th January 2025

These were approved as a true and accurate record of the meeting.

Minutes of the extraordinary planning meeting held on 08th January 2025

These were approved as a true and accurate record of the meeting.

4. Clerk's report

The Clerk updated on matters from the previous meeting, correspondence, task tracker and any other matters. There were no questions.

The Clerk also provided a summary of the events as to regards the vandalism at the War Memorial.

It was noted that a new wreath had been laid.

5. Chair's update

The Chair had no matters that were not on the agenda.

6. Public participation (items on the agenda)

Thanks were given to the members of the public who cleaned and cleared the area around the War Memorial.

A discussion ensued as to the behaviour of people and the lack of police.

Cllr Parker (DC), offered to write to the Police and Crime Commissioner.

7. Parish Councillor and Dorset Councillors reports (including task tracker)

Cllr Parker confirmed that road traffic management study by Highways was taking longer than expected. It was likely they would meet this week.

Cllr Parker also confirmed that the planning officer for the Dewlish Road planning application was still awaiting further information from the application. A decision was not likely until April.

There was no update on Corner House.

Members were all in support of the proposed option put forward from Dorset Council Highways on 20mph zones within the village and happy to go to public consultation.

8. Planning

There were no new planning applications to discuss.

9. Financial matters

a. Payments for authorisation

There were **3** payments (**PV's 51,52 and 45a**), totalling **£ 590.87**, that were approved and authorised for payment.

10. Review of grit bins (minute 11 from January 2025)

Further to minute 11 from January 25, members identified further locations for community salt bins. These were agreed as:

Lower Huntley Down
Milton Road Close
Lynch Close
Little England
First School

For uniformity – it was agreed that green was the chosen colour for all.
All of this subject to approval by the Community Highways Officer.
Funding to come from the Community Assets Reserve.

11. Annual Parish Spring Clean

Councillors agreed to hold this on 16th March 25.

All to meet at 11am at the Village Hall. All equipment would be provided.

It was agreed that road sign cleaning could be incorporated into this project.

12. Parish notices

There were no further matters that had not been discussed previously.

13. Items and date for next meeting

Provisional End of year Accounts

05th March 2025

Milborne St Andrew Village Hall at 7pm

There being no further business the meeting closed at 1935 hours.

Richard Macnair _____ **Chair to the Milborne St Andrew Parish Council**

Date _____