

MINUTES OF PIDDL VALLEY PARISH COUNCIL **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2025**

Tuesday 27 May 2025, 7pm

1. Democratic Period

There were no members of the public present.

2. Absence with Apologies

Cllr Bishop

3. Election of Chair

It was proposed by Cllr Murray and seconded by Cllr Latimer that Cllr Ebdon be elected as Chair for the next year. All agreed.

4. Election of Vice-Chair

It was proposed by Cllr Cox and seconded by Cllr Abbott that Cllr Latimer be elected as Vice Chair for the next year. All agreed.

5. Election of Planning Representatives

Piddlehinton – Cllr Lock – proposed by Cllr Ebdon and seconded by Cllr Latimer, all agreed.

Piddletrenthide – Cllr Murray – proposed by Cllr Cox and seconded by Cllr Larden – all agreed.

Alton Pancras – Cllr Abbott – proposed by Cllr Ebdon and seconded by Cllr Cox – all agreed.

6. Election of Emergency Officers

It was proposed by Cllr Murray and seconded by Cllr Howard that the Emergency Officers for the next year would be as follows: All agreed.

Piddlehinton – Cllr Lock

Piddletrenthide/Plush – Cllrs Cox, Abbott and Bishop

7. Election of DAPTC representatives

It was proposed by Cllr Cox and seconded by Cllr Lock that Cllr Murray will be the DAPTC rep for the next year. All agreed.

8. Appointment of members to existing Working Groups;

a) Finance & Clerks Working Group

It was proposed by Cllr Abbott and seconded by Cllr Lock that Cllrs Cox, Latimer & Ebdon are elected as this working group for the next year. All agreed.

b) Defibrillator Working Group

It was proposed by Cllr Latimer and seconded by Cllr Abbott that Cllrs Ebdon, Lock, Howard and Larden are elected as this working group for the next year. All agreed.

c) Playing Field/School Working Group

It was proposed by Cllr Ebdon and seconded by Cllr Lock that Cllrs Cox & Larden are elected as this working group for the next year. All agreed.

d) Road Safety Working Group

It was proposed by Cllr Howard and seconded by Cllr Abbott that Cllrs Ebdon & Lock are elected as this working group for the next year. All agreed.

e) Rights of Way Officers

It was proposed by Cllr Howard and seconded by Cllr Latimer that Cllr Lock is elected for the next year. All agreed.

f) Policy Working Group

It was proposed by Cllr Abbott and seconded by Cllr Murray that Cllrs Cox, Ebdon & Latimer are elected as this working group for the next year. All agreed.

9. Appointment of any new committees in accordance with standing order 4

None

10. Review and adoption of appropriate standing orders and financial regulations

The review and adoption of updated Standing Orders will be discussed at the May meeting.

It was proposed by Cllr Ebdon and seconded by Cllr Lock that the Financial Regulations are accepted. All agreed.

11. Review of inventory of land and other assets including buildings and office equipment

It was proposed by Cllr Cox and seconded by Cllr Howard that the bollards on Church Hill are added. All agreed.

12. Confirmation of arrangements for insurance cover in respect of all insurable risks

It was proposed by Cllr Cox and seconded by Cllr Lock that the noticeboards and the playing field fencing should be added. All agreed.

13. Review of the Council's and/or staff subscriptions to other bodies

It was proposed by Cllr Cox and seconded by Cllr Lock that there is nothing to add.
All agreed.

14. Review of the Council's complaints procedure

This is to be reviewed at the June meeting.

15. Review of the Council's policies, procedures and practices in respect of its obligations under freedom of information and data protection legislation (see also standing orders 11, 20 and 21)

It was proposed by Cllr Ebdon and seconded by Cllr Cox that there is nothing to add.
All agreed.

16. Review of the Council's policy for dealing with the press/media

It was proposed by Cllr Larden and seconded by Cllr Cox that there is nothing to add.
All agreed.

17. Review of the Council's expenditure incurred under s.137 of the Local Government Act 1972 or the general power of competence.

It was proposed by Cllr Ebdon and seconded by Cllr Cox that there is nothing to add.
All agreed.

18. Confirm ordinary meetings of the full council will take place on the last Tuesday of every month commencing at 7.30pm excluding December up to the next annual meeting of full council

Agreed.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 1930.

