LUCKINGTON & ALDERTON PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Meeting of Luckington and Alderton Parish Council Held on Wednesday 11th January 2023 at 7.30pm in Luckington Village Hall

Present

Chair

Mr Richard McCraith (RMC)

Vice-Chair

Mr Nigel Neale (NN)

Councillors

Mr John Buckley (JB) Councillor Martin Smith (MS)

Ms Sue Godwin (SG)

Mr Nic Johnson-Greening (NJG) Parish Clerk: Dr Sheona Beaumont (SB)

1929. Apologies for Absence

There were none.

1930. Declaration of interests

There were none.

1931. Members of the public are invited to address the Council on agenda items

There were none.

1932. Public Question Time

There were no questions.

1933. To confirm the Minutes of the meeting held on 14th December 2022

The Minutes were approved by all and signed by RMC.

1934. Matters arising from the Minutes

Following the acceptance of the grass cutting contract by JD Estate and Garden Management, SB clarified the areas to be cut as per the updated map (to go on website).

1935. Correspondence received:

There was none.

1936. To review and comment on the following planning applications:

a) <u>PL/2022/09830</u>: GOODWHILE, THE GREEN, LUCKINGTON, CHIPPENHAM, SN14 6PA (T1 - Ash tree suffering from Chalara Ash Dieback and also affecting the growth of a Walnut tree, to be removed to grounds level). There were no objections.

1937. Update on Financial Issues

- a) To agree payments as listed in the attached financial summary:
 - £112.00 Membership to SLCC
- b) To sign the Precept Form for 2023/2024, as per budget decision from December's meeting (5% increase, £10,510).

Approved, RMC and JB to action payment. Precept form signed by RMC, SB to submit to Wiltshire Council.

1938. Highways update

JB reported that Parish Stewards are on pothole duty around the village following up various reports. All are encouraged to use the MyWilts app to report, or go online https://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/mywilts-online-reporting. JB notified the Council that another part of the cemetery wall has fallen in, to the right of the gate. SB to contact Robert Simpkins for a quote for repair.

1939. Report from Outside Meetings

None to report.

1940. Items for next meeting Agenda and any other business, for information only

The Clerk notified the Council that she would be away for the meeting on the 12th April. Council agreed to move the April meeting to 19th April (Luckington Village Hall).

Cemetery tidy up day for next agenda.

The meeting closed at 19.45pm.