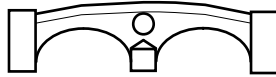


MAISEMORE PARISH COUNCIL



Minutes of Maisemore Parish Council meeting held on Monday 4th March 2019 at 7.30pm in the Committee Room of Maisemore Village Hall.

Present Cllrs Carole Banks, Debbie Burgess, Andrew Cooley (Chairman), Robert Scott and Peter Wegmann.

In Attendance Jackie Shields (Clerk), Cllr Phil Awford and 6 parishioners.

1. Apologies for Absence.

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr Scott.

2. Declaration of Interests.

Councillors were reminded to update their registers of interest held by Tewkesbury Borough Council and to declare any personal or prejudicial interest in items on the agenda and their nature.

3. To Confirm the Minutes of Maisemore Parish Council Meetings Held On the

a. 7th January 2019.

The minutes were confirmed as a true record and signed by the chairman.

b. 16th January 2019

The minutes, with alterations in the public participation, were confirmed as a true record and signed by the chairman.

c. 23rd January 2019.

The minutes were confirmed as a true record and signed by the chairman.

The meeting was closed.

Public Participation.

Questions were raised.

- *Church Road parking.*
- *Increase in the council tax of the Parish Council Precept, which has increased more than any other.*

The meeting reconvened.

4. Finance.

a. To Consider Invoices for Payment.

The following invoices were agreed for payment:

000560	GAPTC	Membership	£126.26
000561	Friendship Club	Donation	£280.00

b. Financial Report.

The financial report had been circulated and Cllr Banks signed the bank statement and report as correct.

Action. Clerk to prepare a report regarding the increase of the parish council precept over the past four years.

c. VM16914 - Renewal Maintenance Contract.

Action. Clerk to contact Swarco to ascertain the price of this year's quote and the possibility of two signs.

d. To consider the clerk salary increase in line with recent changes and bench marking.
The council agreed the clerks increase.

Action. Clerk to inform PATA

5. Correspondence.

a. Gloucestershire County Council - First Aid courses.

Action. Clerk to contact provider and a notice placed in the Grapevine.

b. Free trees for schools and communities.

Action. The chairman will pursue.

c. Elections May 2018.

The meeting was reminded of the forthcoming elections and nomination forms were available.

Cllr Cooley reminded the council that he would not be seeking re-election.

d. Contact form developers – The council does not engage with developers.

e. "Next door". The parish council does not endorse this social media, it is up to individual parishioners.

f. The council agreed not to make a donation to the Roses Theatre.

6. Planning.

a. For Consideration.

Non received.

b. Ratify Comments made between meetings.

19/00035/FUL - The Cottage Dents Lane Hartpury Tewkesbury – The council has no planning reason to object.

c. Decided by Tewkesbury Borough Council.

Permitted

19/00009/MINOR, Orchard Barn Persh Lane Maisemore Gloucester Gloucestershire GL2 8HH
Non material minor amendment for planning application 18/00707/FUL.

7. Reports.

a. Clerk.

Persh Lane hedge has been cut.

A Riparian responsibility letter regarding the hedge was sent to 6 and 7 Church Rise.

b. County Councillor.

c. District Councillor.

d. To update on speed reduction and village gateways.

Action. Clerk to investigate costs and permission of village gateways.

The gateway at the Hartbury end of the village will be seeded in the next three weeks.

e. To update on Environmental projects.

The chairman has been conversing with the developers, Severn Trent and TBC regarding the attenuation basin at Rectory Farm.

The council will press ahead with the adoption of the open space at Rectory Farm and the responsibility of some grass verges.

Cllrs Cooley and Scott had attended the Bio-Diversity Workshop held by the County Council which was very informative.

Action. Clerk to contact TBC re the Village Clear Up either on the 6th or 27th of April, 18 mixed size kits will be required, all equipment to be delivered to the Chairman. (Confirmed as the 27th April).

f. Highways and Lorries.

No report.

g. Faster Broadband Provision.

Complete Utilities are currently in the Village, however the council is concerned re the reinstatement of verges.

h. Grapevine.

Ros Lane very kindly offered to take over the distribution of the Grape Vine, Ros to Liaise with Brian.

8. Councillors Reports and Items For Future Agenda.

None received.

9. Date of Next Meeting.

Monday 13th May 2019.

The meeting ended at 8.45pm.

Signed

Date