

## **MINUTES of the ANNUAL PARISH MEETING of HORDLEY PARISH**

**held on**

**Thursday, 19th MAY 2016 at 7:00 pm in Hordley Village Hall**

PRESENT: Members of Hordley Parish Council, Cllrs. F. Beech, Mrs. J Duncan, A Jones, Mrs D Maddocks and Locum Clerk to Hordley Parish Council; Cllr N. Bardsley - Shropshire Councillor; Representatives of Parish Groups and APB.

The Chairman of Hordley Parish Council, Cllr Mrs. J Duncan took the chair. Minutes were taken by the Locum Clerk.

1. The Chairman opened the meeting at 7:00 pm and welcomed those present as above.

### **2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Minutes of the meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> May 2016 were approved as a true and accurate record and signed by the Chairman

### **3. REPORTS FROM PARISH GROUPS AND ORGANISATIONS**

Reports were received from :-

#### **3.1 Hordley and Bagley Village Hall**

Cllr Maddocks reported on behalf of the Village Hall that following resignations the Village Hall charity is looking to recruit more committee members. Cllr Maddocks had prepared a flyer inviting residents to the Village Hall Committee AGM next week.

The flyer encourages residents to support its Village Hall and asking the village for help however small, if the support is not forthcoming then Village Hall will be closing as the committee can't be sustained with just two people.

Cllr Maddocks as treasurer reported that the Hall has just enough income in the accounts to pay the bills, £500 is requested from the Parish Council for grounds maintenance.

#### **3.2 Hordley Parish Church**

The Parish are seeking another church warden. During year it held a strawberry tea and harvest festival.

A bench has been installed in memory of Brian Stockbridge.

#### **3.3 Hordley Parish Council**

The Parish appointed a locum Clerk in May for a period of 6 months and extended that appointment until the end of March 2017.

The current parish council is 6 with one vacancy following the resignation of Cllr. Wright in November. The Locum Clerk reported that she had received communication from Cllr. Treloar that he will not be standing in the forthcoming local elections due to work commitments.

The Notice of Election for 4<sup>th</sup> May was posted on 13<sup>th</sup> March and residents are encouraged to put forward nominations for election to the Parish Council

In 2016 the Parish Council responded to 6 Planning applications all of which were approved.

ABP continue to attend Parish Council meetings to update the Council and residents and hold liaison meetings with residents, Parish Council and the Shropshire Councillor to discuss issues particularly in relation to the s106 agreement and traffic management to and from the site.

## 5. PUBLIC DISCUSSION

None

The Meeting closed at 7:20 pm

Signed .....

Date:

Chairman of Annual Parish Meeting