

HINXTON PARISH COUNCIL ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held at 7.00pm on 11th May 2017

Present

Dr Steve Trudgill

Prof William Brown

Mrs Jane Chater

Mr Dick Jones

Anne Angell (Clerk)

Number of villagers attending – 10

1. Apologies for Absence:

Mr Julian Bright

Peter Topping

2. To approve and sign minutes held on 9th May 2016

The minutes were approved unanimously and signed

3 Annual Audit & Financial Report

The Audit was read out, approved and signed.

5 Chairman's Report

The Chairman in his report noted the substantial challenges being posed by several development proposals that threatened the land around the village as well as local infrastructure and amenities. In countering these threats, Hinxton PC were working well with the PCs of the six neighbouring villages as well as our District and County councillors. There was good liaison with the Wellcome Trust as our most important local land-owner. Plaques had been placed on the village hall thanking the Trust and the SCDC Community Chest for financial support for village facilities. He thanked the Parish Councillors and Parish Clerk for their energy and commitment

6. Reports from Village Organisations

a. The Friends of Hinxton Church (Julie Bailie)

b. St. Mary's and St John's Parochial Council (Andrew Walker)

c. Village Hall Committee (Rosemary Breen)

d. Ann Howsden Trust (Virginia Walker)

e Allotments (Willy Brown)

f Playground report Fiona Marshall

7. Reports from the District and County Councillor

District Councillor T Orgee – see attached notes.

County Councillor P Topping- report sent see attached notes.

The meeting closed at 8.00 pm.