

## **GOLDHANGER PARISH COUNCIL**

### **Minutes of the Parish Meeting held on the 8<sup>th</sup> Jan 2025 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall Goldhanger**

#### **Cllrs Present**

J Bourn

C Cheeseman

H Reynolds

M Sargeant

M Unsworth

The Parish Clerk and 1 member of the public

209/24	<b>To receive apologies for absence</b> Apologies were received from Cllr Bishop and Cllr Ellis	
210/24	<b>To receive any Declarations of Interest</b> None	
211/24	<b>To approve the Minutes of the Meeting held on the 11<sup>th</sup> Dec 2024</b> These were approved by Council and then signed by the Vice Chair	
212/24	<b>To receive information on outstanding items included in the above minutes</b> 191/24 To write to CEO and MP regarding outstanding matters to MDC 195/24 Possible battery problem 196/24 Pending Bonfire 197/24 Quote for bus shelter repair	
213/24	<b>Public Questions – an opportunity for members of the public to raise matters with the members</b> Nothing to report	
214/24	<b>Chairmans Announcements</b> The chairman had followed up with the Moat contact the issue of the state of the moat path, sent on further	

	<p>correspondence received, plus photos of the flooding and knee injuries sustained to a resident</p> <p>She had also contacted the Village Hall regarding the max capacity (which is 120) which is less than the threshold which makes Martyn's law not applicable to the hall</p> <p>Head street drains overflowing again overflowing again after first rains of the year 5/1/25</p>	
215/24	<p><b>Reports or updates from County Councillors and District Councillors</b></p> <p>Cllr Thompson had sent her apologies due to another meeting at MDC</p>	
216/24	<p><b>Planning</b></p> <p><b>Planning Applications</b></p> <p><b><u>Decisions by MDC</u></b></p> <p>24/00708 The Limes Head Street - approved</p> <p>24/00845 The Old Parsonage, 12 Head Street – approved</p> <p>Planning application 24/00876 had been withdrawn</p> <p><b><u>Enforcement Issues</u></b></p> <p><b><u>To consider any other planning issues</u></b></p> <p>Nothing to report</p>	
217/24	<p><b>To receive the financial statements and authorize accounts for payment on Jan 25 Payment schedule</b></p> <p>Salary £336.29 (including back pay) £268.05 is the new salary from Apr 24 in line with NALC Pay awards</p> <p>Tax     £37.60</p> <p>MDC Grass Cutting   £436.66</p> <p>MDC Hedge Cutting   £536.40</p> <p>Wave Utilities         £52.42</p>	

218/24	<p><b>To Consider any correspondence received</b>  Further correspondence received re Moat footpath – Clerk to acknowledge that this had been passed on to Moat.</p>	Clerk
219/24	<p><b>To consider any matters concerning the playing field and play area</b>  Nothing to report</p>	
220/24	<p><b>To consider any Highway Matters and public rights of way area</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) <b>Parking Issues</b> – Nothing to report</li> <li>b) <b>Flooding and Drainage</b> - A further email had been sent</li> <li>c) <b>SID/Solar Panels</b> –</li> <li>d) <b>Highways</b> – Cllr Unsworth reported that she had received some interest regarding forming a Speedwatch group and it was agreed that she would now take it to the next stage</li> </ul>	Cllr Unsworth
221/24	<p><b>To consider matters concerning Marigold Wood</b>  Bonfire pending</p>	
222/24	<p><b>To consider matters concerning the bus shelter and defibrillators</b>  Nothing to report</p>	
223/24	<p><b>To receive any publications since last meeting</b>  All publications were received and noted by the Clerk</p>	
224/24	<p><b>Clerks Report</b>  The Clerk had nothing to report</p>	

225/24	<b>To receive details regarding Love your Bus Grant Fund Launch</b> Noted with no action	
226/24	<b>To review Code of Conduct 2024/25</b> This was deferred to next meeting	
227/24	<b>To review Risk Assessment 2024/2025</b> This was deferred to next meeting	
228/24	To consider any other items of information for inclusion on a future agenda To discuss signs for Fish Street Playing Field To discuss telephone boxes To discuss invitees for the Annual General Meeting Cllr Cheeseman mentioned about the general litter that he was continually picking up and it would be great if others adopted the same method. A note would be placed in the Parish Magazine	
229/24	<b>To close the Meeting</b> With no other business to discuss the Chairman closed the meeting at 8.35pm with the next meeting to take place on the 12 <sup>th</sup> Feb 2025	

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Chair  
Date \_\_\_\_\_