

**Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held in the Village Hall on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2016 at 8pm**

**Apologies**

Mrs Herbert, Cllr Laughton

**Present**

Chairman Mr Bust, Mr Paris, Mrs Simmonds, Mrs Godfrey, Mr Bevans, Mrs Todd, clerk Mr Rickett  
Cllrs Jackson and Rainbow

**Minutes of the previous meeting were signed as a true record**

**Village Hall**

Cleaners – agreed that Mrs Todd should contact the cleaners suggested by Cllrs Rainbow for a 3 month trial at £15.50 per hour and look into a contract

**Grant**

Mrs Godfrey bought the PC up to date – the funding is through WREN, we need to send a ball park figure and be prepared to put 10% up front, the PC suggested £1400 as the working figure

Agreed to survey around the Village with the Village News and Facebook to see if people agree with what we are proposing and if there are any other ideas

The forms need to be ready at the January meeting for any finalising and to be sent after the February meeting

**Roads and hedges**

Mr Duckworth is working on several items for the Village

Poo bags are being thrown into Shaws orchard, Cllrs Jackson told the PC that it is their right if they know for definite who the culprit is to name and shame them in the Village news. Possibly post notices on lamp posts agree to put a strong message in the Village news as a separate item

**Defibrillator**

It has been suggested by a member of the public that a defibrillator in the Village may be a good idea. The PC backs the idea but would be unable to fund one. This is being looked into by Mrs Todd and the clerk

**Open Meeting**

Nothing to discuss

**Finance**

Re issue the check for salt as the payee name is incorrect due to changes at Highways

Precept – agreed to leave to the next meeting until the PC has seen the up to date budget

**Planning**

Lime Tree House, Halam Hill – proposed erection of 1no dwelling

Passed agreed 5 abstention 1

Holly House Back Lane – householder application for the erection of a conservatory to the rear  
Passed unanimously

**Items for the next agenda**

Grant  
Budget  
Defibrillator

**Date of the next meeting**

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2017 at 8pm

As there was no further business the meeting closed at 9.20pm