

FRAMPTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes

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Minutes of Full Council held on 25th July 2023 in Frampton Village Hall.
Meeting commenced at 7.00pm.

Councillors in attendance:

Paul Mutti, Charlie Adler, and Brie Purse.

There were 3 members of the public in attendance

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1. Apologises for absence

Cllr's Antram, Taylor, and Christopher sent apologises along with Cllr David Taylor (Dorset Council).

2. Declarations of pecuniary or other interests

No declarations were made.

3. To approve the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 15th May 2023 To approve the minutes of the Annual General Meeting held on 15th May 2023

These were approved as a true and accurate record of the meeting.

4. Matters from the previous meeting(s)

The Clerk confirmed that all matters had been completed other than those moved onto this agenda.

5. Chair's update

The Chair had no matters to report.

6. Public discussion period

It was requested if the Parish Council were looking at purchasing a silhouette, Tommy. The Chair was happy to discuss this under item 11.

It was stated that the SID close to the Village Hall was not working.
The Clerk would contact the SID team at Dorset Council.

7. To receive a report from the Dorset Council

It was confirmed that Frampton would remain in the administrative area of West Dorset and not move into North Dorset as previously proposed by the boundary commission.

8. To receive brief holder updates and to agree action(s) in response to proposals and repairs Allotments

It was confirmed that all plots had been paid for, but many remained uncultivated.
Members agreed to look at this in the assets walk around in September.

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It was suggested that the fees and point of contact be placed on the noticeboard.
It was noted that members thought that Cllr P Taylor would be the best person if she wanted, and the Clerk as the second option.

Burial Ground

There were no matters at the burial ground.

Play Park

It was confirmed the following works had been completed:

New goals and nets installed along with goal net pegs. New cable ties had also been added.
Additional soil had been placed over the holes from the old posts.

New surfacing around springers had been completed.

Trip hazard at gates been removed.

Multi Play had been mending and cleaned.

Sharp protrusions had been removed.

Fencing secured with ties.

Brambles removed.

It was mentioned that balls were going into the car park and that a garage window had been broken.

Cllr Purse briefed that the lottery grant application had made it through to the next round, however, it had been paused as no deeds could be produced.

The good news was that they had been found earlier that evening and she would move the grant application on.

The Community Ownership Fund had also been spoken to and were looking into funding.

It was noted that three quotes were needed.

The idea of a one-off Precept levy was briefly discussed.

All agreed to place on the next agenda.

Tibbs Hollow

Concerns were raised at the level of litter at Tibbs Hollow.

Members would look at this as part of the assets walk around in September.

Planning

a. P/HOU/2023/03085

14 North Park Frampton DT2 9NN

Erect Two Storey Extension and Front

The Parish Council had no objections.

b. P/FUL/2023/02606

7A Dorchester Road Frampton Dorset DT2 9NB

Erect no. 1 dwelling and garage (demolish existing dwelling)

The Parish Council had no objections.

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c. P/HOU/2023/03348

Peacock Lodge, 1 Dorchester Road, Frampton, DT2 9NB

Replacement ancillary building

The Parish Council supported this application.

9. To receive and approve the financial reports and payments for authorisation

a. Payments for authorisation

There were **8** payments (**PV's 17-24**) totalling **£ 1976.63**, that were approved and authorised for payment.

b. 1st quarter update 23/24

The Clerk confirmed that the budget spends after one third of the financial year was 35.80%. There were no concerns over any cost centres.

c. Internal audit report

There were no matters arising from the audit.

10. Communications with the Parish

It was agreed that a summary of resolutions should be placed in the Chalkstream, and the same summary placed on the Community Facebook site.

The Clerk would draft this summary and Cllr Adler was content to forward to the Chalkstream and place on FB.

Members all agreed that a contact details list should be on all Noticeboards.

The Clerk would draft this.

11. Kings Coronation Memorial

Members of the public were still very keen to commemorate the event.

It was discussed and agreed that a tree (with guard) was the most appropriate.

A budget of £500 from the Kings Coronation Reserve was set aside for this project.

The remainder of the budget was to be used to purchase a pair of silhouette Tommy's at a cost of £350. The Clerk will complete the order form.

12. Findings of the speed survey by Dorset Council

The Clerk confirmed that the speed survey had been conducted in the wrong place and so the findings were no valid.

Dorset Council had confirmed that the speed survey would be redone in the correct location.

It was also provisionally agreed that if funding was needed to complete the 321 SLOW projects, that the Parish Council would fund up to 50% of the costs, with a ceiling of £500.00.

13. Parking enforcements on pavements

The question of parking enforcement on pavements had been raised with Dorset Council.

A comprehensive reply was summarised as if an obstruction was being caused that 101 should be called in the first instance.

14. Further discussion on Play Park repairs

It was felt that the repairs completed were more than adequate and had made a substantial difference.

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It was agreed no further action was needed for now unless any major issues came on the next inspection report.

15. Bus back better update

The focus was on improving current routes. Although all agreed that more rural routes were needed to connect villages such as Frampton, the reality was that funding did not allow this.

16. Conflict of interest with BDO LLP (External Auditor)

There were no personal or professional conflicts of interest to declare.

17. Parish Council assets walk around and maintenance date

The date was set for Tuesday 12th September 2023, meeting at 6.30pm at the play park.

18. Items for the next meeting

Issues from the assets walk around

Kings memorial fund

Outcomes from speed wires consultation

Play Park precept levy

19. Date(s) of next meeting(s)

Full Council 17th October 23

16th January 23

Frampton Village Hall 7pm

There being no further business the meeting closed at **2025 hours**.

Paul Mutti _____ Chair of Frampton Parish Council

Dated _____