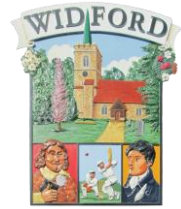


Widford Parish Council

Minutes of the Widford Annual Parish Council Meeting
Tuesday 4th May 2021 at 7.15pm via Zoom
under Coronavirus legislation



PRESENT: Cllr Mike Allen (MA) Chair; Cllr Babs Edwards (BE); Cllr Michael Ripsher (MPR);
Cllr Mark Rome (MR); Cllr Ian Collins (IC)
Cllr Eric Buckmaster
Clerk: Colin Marks, Clerk to the Parish Council

The Chairman welcomed everyone and opened the meeting at 7.15pm

ACTION

21.036 Election of Chairman

It was proposed, seconded, and unanimously **RESOLVED that Mike Allen be elected as Chair for the ensuing year.**

21.037 Signing of Declaration of Office

Cllr Mike Allen signed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

21.038 Apologies for absence

1. Councillors: None (all present)
2. Others: Susie Brickwood, Gilda Deterding

21.039 Declarations of Interest and requests for dispensations

1. **Interests:** None for this meeting
2. **Dispensation requests:** None
3. **Current Dispensations:** It was reaffirmed that dispensations already granted continue until the end of the current term of office.

21.040 Appointment of Vice-Chair

It was proposed, seconded, and unanimously **RESOLVED that Ian Collins be appointed as Vice-Chair for the ensuing year.** Cllr Collins signed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

21.041 Allotments Working Group

Proposed, seconded, and **RESOLVED that Cllr Babs Edwards and Cllr Mike Allen be appointed to the Allotments Working Group.**

21.042 Village Hall Representative

Proposed, seconded, and **RESOLVED that Cllr Michael Ripsher be appointed as the Village Hall representative.**

21.043 Playing Field Representative

Proposed, seconded, and **RESOLVED that Cllr Mike Allen be appointed as the Playing Field representative.**

21.044 Planning portfolio holder

Proposed, seconded, and **RESOLVED that Cllr Ian Collins be appointed as the Planning portfolio holder.**

21.045 General Power of Competence (GPC)

RESOLVED to reaffirm the continuance of the GPC as resolved at the 7th May 2019 Annual Parish Council Meeting.

Clerk

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21.046 Governance Policies and Procedures

It was agreed to defer the review of these until they are made available at a meeting later in the year.

Clerk

There being no further business, the Chairman thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting at 7.27pm.

Signed.....Dated.....

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