

**Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting of Great and Little Kimble cum Marsh held on
Wednesday 13th June 2012 at Kimble Stewart Hall at 7.30pm**

Prior to the start of the Parish Council Meeting time is allocated, subject to the sole discretion of the Chairman of the meeting, for statements or questions from members of the public.

Mr Gerald Redding attended to enquire about progress of affordable housing

Mr Mike Clarke attended to discuss the proposed Chiltern Rail Timetable changes

Mr Robert Judd attended, enquired if Alun Jones of Doe Hill Farm was present, and after been informed he was, left refusing to state his purpose

1 Attendance and Acceptance of Apologies

Councillor John Austin (Vice-Chairman)

Councillor Julia Northway

Julie Bunker - Clerk

Councillor Delia Burton

Councillor Donna Johnson

Councillor Alun Jones

Apologies Received and accepted

Councillor David Williams (Chairman)

Councillor James Good

2 Declaration of interest in any item on this agenda by a member

There were no declarations of interest.

Item 7 brought forward to this point to allow members of the public to speak

Mr Clarke made the Council aware of the issue commuters will face if the proposed new timetable is introduced. The Parish Council agreed to write and comment on the changes by the closing date of 15th June 2012

3 Minutes

To agree and sign the minutes of the Annual Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 9th May 2012

The minutes were unanimously agreed and signed as a correct record.

4 To review and agree the Accounts and Payments for April and May 2012

The Accounts and payments were unanimously agreed and signed

5 To review, agree and sign the 2011/12 accounts for the external auditor

The Annual Return governance statement was read, unanimously agreed and signed

6 To agree funding for the Children's Roadside Poster Competition

It was agreed that a maximum of £150 be used to fund the Competition

7 To discuss and agree comment on the Proposed changes to Little Kimble train services

Brought forward to the start of meeting, please see above

**8 To discuss a Parish Council policy on Planning applications – Councillor John Austin
Councillor Austin**

After discussion it was agreed that whilst having a Planning Policy in place would be admirable it is likely to be seen as disadvantaging many of the parishioners and it was unanimously agreed not to pursue this further.

9 Planning Applications and appeals

To review and confirm the responses made to Wycombe District Council by the planning committee. (Updated list sent prior to meeting)

The Parish Council carefully considered all the current applications and approved responses

10 Correspondence, reports and Issues from Councillors and Parish Clerk

- a) *Parish Council maintained areas (to include grass cutting, play area, litter bins etc)*
- None
- b) *Bucks County Council and WDC Issues (to include Highway Defects, Fly Tipping etc)*
- Verge defect outside Willow Croft in Marsh
 - Graffiti on Rail bridge at B4009/A4010 junction
 - Bridge Street/Church Lane – numerous pothole
 - Church Lane jw A4010 – possibility of yellow lines or access protection markings on corners to deter inconsiderate and dangerous parking.
- The Clerk will report these issues to BCC
- c) *Correspondence*
- Various publication were offered to the Councillors
- d) *Reports from Clerk and Councillors*
- *Jubilee Celebrations – Councillor Delia Burton*
The Chairman thanked Delia and the team for organising the Jubilee Celebrations that were great despite the awful weather. John asked Delia to convey the thanks to all the team. Councillor Burton reported that nearly £430 has been collected from the raffle etc and will be donated to charity. She also reported that the event had come in under budget.
 - *Bench Outside The Old Stables – Councillor Alun Jones*
Councillor Alun Jones reported that a new bench has been placed outside the Old Stables and that Mr and Mrs Goodchild were happy with it. The Chairman thanked Councillor Jones for organising the bench.
 - *Community Speedwatch – Councillors Donna Johnson and James Good*
Councillor Donna Johnson reported that the morning spent in Marsh with the Speedwatch Team was worthwhile. Speeds were recorded from 12mph to 39mph. Those who were caught above the speed limited were recorded and will receive a letter from TVP. It was felt another session would be good and Councillor Johnson agreed to circulate an email to ascertain another date.
 - *Affordable Housing – Councillor James Good*
Councillor Good had contacted Elizabeth Leyland who will submit the Planning application to include and amended Design and Access Statement by the end of this week.
 - *Feedback from APM – All*
It was felt that the APM was well attended and positive with good range of speakers. Next year we would provide refreshments and again invite local groups to speak.

11 To receive items for inclusion on the agenda for the next meeting of the council on Wednesday **11th July 2012 at 7.30pm** at Kimble Stewart Hall

After the meeting had closed Councillor Julia Northway formally resigned from the Parish Council after 14 years service. Councillor John Austin thanked Julia on behalf of the Parish Council for her long service. Julia was presented with a small token of appreciation.

N.B. - Councillors

The Clerk must be notified at least 3 working days before the next meeting to add an item to the Agenda

Minutes prepared Julie Bunker on Friday 15TH June 2012

Councillor David Williams (Chairman)
11th July 2012

Julie Bunker (Parish Clerk)
11th July 2012

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Clerk

Chair