

**Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting of Great and Little Kimble cum Marsh held on
Wednesday 13th November 2014 at Kimble Stewart Hall at 7pm**

Prior to the start of this meeting a short time will be allocated, subject to the sole discretion *Chairman of the meeting, for statements or questions from members of the public*

1 Attendance and Acceptance of Apologies

Councillor John Austin (Chairman), Councillor James Good, Councillor Delia Burton, Councillor Gerald Redding, Councillor Alun Jones, Councillor David Williams,
Julie Bunker – Clerk,

Apologies: None received

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

None

3 To agree and sign the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting on Wednesday 8th October 2014

The minutes were unanimously agreed and were signed by the Chairman and Clerk

4 To agree payments for November 2014 and Accounts up to October 2014

All payments and accounts unanimously agreed

5 Planning Applications and appeals

To review and confirm the responses made to Wycombe District Council by the planning working party.
(Attached updated list)

The Parish Council carefully reviewed all the current planning applications.

6 Playground Refurbishment and Upgrade – Councillor Delia Burton

Initial discussion on likely costs and timescales

Quotes have been received from Safe and Sound for works that need immediate attention and proposals for a 4 years plan to upgrade the area. It was agreed to go ahead with the immediate works at a cost of £645 and that the playground did need updating. A budget will be set for the next financial year and further quotes will be obtained. It was felt the primary colours of some of the equipment quoted for were not in keeping with the rural setting and that covering the whole area with equipment may look too much. Decisions will be made once budget has been agreed over the next couple of months

7 To agree costs of traffic speed data collection at 5 sites around the village

It was unanimously agreed to commission these surveys at a cost of £1250, the work will be carried out by TfB

8 WDC New Local Plan – Invitation to Stakeholder meeting Thursday 13th November, The Princes Centre, Princes Risborough, 8.15 to 9.30.

To resolve to attend (we are permitted 2 delegates only)

This meeting has been cancelled and will be rescheduled in the new year

9 Footpath 29 – Marsh – Diversion Order

To resolve to formally object to this Order

IT was unanimously decided to continue to object to this order, the Clerk will respond to BCC

10 Draft Budget review for 2015/16

The draft budget was review and extra Councillors put forward further projects for inclusion. The Clerk will amend the budget for further discussion next month.

11 Correspondence, reports and Issues from Councillors and Parish Clerk

- **Parish Council maintained areas (to include grass cutting, play area, litter bins etc)**

None reported

- **Report/Issues from Clerk**

Local Area Forum – MVAS – the Movable Vehicle Activated Sign could be supplied by the LAF but we would need to agree to administer the equipment and share with other Parishes as necessary. The Clerk will find out full details.

- **Reports/Issues from Councillors**

- It was reported the bus shelter near the War Memorial needed repair once again.
- Church Lane and Bridge Street- potholes at various locations
- Rubbish in ditches along Marsh Lane.
- Church Lane – Overhanging branches and parked cars causing issues for the emergency services. TfB informed and branches will be cut back as a matter of urgency.
- There is land opposite the Red House which is believed to be Highway and could be used to widen the road here, however further investigation into the viability of a 20mph zone and a one way system should also be explored. This needs to be done with the involvement of the School and Church.

- **Correspondence Received**

Email regarding lay-by for School Parking in Church Lane

12 To receive items for inclusion on the agenda for the next meeting of the council on Wednesday 10th December at 7.30pm

Councillor John Austin (Chairman)
10th December 2014

Julie Bunker (Parish Clerk)
10th December 2014