

**Minutes of Meeting of Great and Little Kimble cum Marsh Parish Council held on
Wednesday 12th February 2020 at Kimble Stewart Hall at 7.30pm**

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 member of the public in attendance

Attendance: Cllr Alun Jones, Cllr Gerald Redding, Cllr Delia Burton, Cllr David Williams, Cllr James Cripps, Cllr James Good and Julie Bunker (Clerk)

1. Apologies

To receive and accept any apologies for absence

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr John Austin (Chairmen) and in his absence it was unanimously agreed that Cllr David Williams should chair the meeting.

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

Cllr Alun Jones declared an interested in items 5 and 7

3. Minutes

To agree and sign the minutes of the Parish Council meeting of 8th January 2020

The minutes were unanimously agreed and signed by the Chairman

4. To approve payments for February 2020

Payment for approval February 2020			
1213	Julie Bunker	Feb-20	£312.50
1214	Julie Bunker	Expenses February	£83.02
1215	SLCC	Clerks Membership	£92.00
1216	TBS Hygiene	Dog Bin emptying	£60.00
1217	Kimble PCC	Newsletter Grant	£600.00
1218	Richard Billyard	Grass cut (December)	£120.40
1219	A1 Builders	Repair to Bus Shelter	£560.00
1220	A1 Builders	Clean and refurbish War memorial	£2,127.00
1221	A1 Builders	Reinstate Marsh Village Notice board	£250.00
Neighbourhood Plan Expenses			
1222	Kimble Stewart Hall	Committee Room hire	£18.00
			£4,222.92

5. 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)*

****Cllr Alun Jones left the room whilst the following item was discussed****

19/08073/OUT – this application enjoyed general support as it is in line with the Neighbourhood Plan however it was felt that we need to understand how WDC intend to secure the A1 shop or if not delivered some financial compensation. A comment will be submitted to WDC to ascertain this.

6. Kimble Stewart Hall – Update – Cllr Delia Burton and Cllr Gerald Redding

Hire charges to remain static for this year.

Emergency lighting upgrade has now taken place.

Theatre in our Village event has had to be postponed due to a clash with a Church event.

Cllr Good mentioned that if the proposed shop on site 17a of the neighbourhood plan did not get used as a shop, if it could perhaps be another community building and run alongside the Village Hall as a satellite building.

7. Neighbourhood Plan: Update - Cllr James Good

The WDC consultation on the plan is now underway and finished on 18th February 2020.

8. VE Celebrations – 8th May 2020 – support and ideas for Parish Celebrations

The Parish Council were supportive of an event and would consider grant monies towards it. The Clerk will put a note in the newsletter and ask for organisers to come forward with suggestions.

9. Kimblewick Road – review of speed limit – Cllr Redding

Cllr Redding had been approached about the possibility of reducing the speed limit to 30mph along this stretch of road. TfB would have to carry out a very costly speed limit review and it is not guarantee that the speed limit would be changed. One of the potential development sites in our Neighbourhood Plan is along this section of road and it was felt that when an application is submitted for this that we should insist that the speed limit is reduced as part of that development.

10. To discuss possible projects for funding by HS2 Community Funds Awards – Cllr David Williams

HS2 were supposed to be attending to give an update on how the works will affect our Parish, they called late afternoon to say that no-one was able to attend and they will get to us in March. Cllr Burton will look into the criteria to see if we can obtain grants for a pedestrian crossing on the B4009 near the Swan PH.

11. To agree costs of speed tube data from TfB for 2 sites along A4010

The cost of supplying 2 lots of speed data from TfB from sites along the A4010 were agreed.

12. Clerks Salary Review and Office Rental costs

*****members of the public were asked to leave while this private matter is discussed*****

Office rental costs and Clerks salary were reviewed and agreed.

13. Correspondence, reports and Issues (for information only)

- *Clerks Report*
Nothing further to report
- *Reports/Issues from Councillors*
Cllr Williams and Good are keen to find a solution to the pinch point in Marsh near Moat Cottage. One of the simplest ways is to erect road narrows signs and paint 'slow' on the carriageway. However, this was felt to have a very urban feel about it. There is a similar point in Clanking and it was felt that this approach may be appropriate there. Cllr Good will investigate a more rural scheme and the Clerk will arrange a meeting with James Tunnard from TfB to start the ball rolling on this.

Cllr Redding reported a fallen tree in the Churchyard, the Clerk will ask Richard Billyard to remove.

Cllr Burton reported that she had received a complaint about dog mess not being cleared up in Hill View, the Clerk will put a reminder in the newsletter.

Cllr Good that he had discovered a charity called Sunnyside Rural Trust who are a social enterprise offering training and work experience for vulnerable people. They offer services in the Community; the Clerk will investigate if they may be able to assist with litter picking.

- *Correspondence Received*

All Email correspondence has been circulated to Councillors and, where necessary, added to the agenda for discussion

14. To receive items for inclusion on the agenda for the next meeting to be held on 8th April 2020

Chairman.....

Date: 11th March 2020