

**Minutes of Meeting of Great and Little Kimble cum Marsh Parish Council held on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2021 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*

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**Attendance:** Cllr Delia Burton, Cllr James Cripps, Cllr David Williams, Cllr Harvey Alison, Cllr John Austin (Chairman) and Julie Bunker (Clerk)  
2 members of the public also attended

**1. Apologies**

*To receive and accept any apologies for absence*

Apologies were received from Cllr Alun Jones and Cllr James Good

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

None were declared

**3. Minutes**

*To agree and sign the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> June 2021* The minutes were unanimously agreed

**4. To approve payments for July 21**

1338	Julie Bunker	July-21	£458.33
1339	Julie Bunker	Expenses	£76.04
1340	Richard Billyard	Grasscutting June/July 2021	£779.00
1341	Richard Billyard	Churchyard June 2021	£150.00
1342	Chiltern Society	Subscription	£30.00
1343	TBS Hygiene	Rubbish and dog waste empty	£120.00
		Total	£1,613.37

**5. Planning Applications, appeals and injunctions plus any updates of allocated sites as included in the Neighbourhood plan**

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

All applications were discussed and responses agreed where appropriate.

21/06803/FUL Griffin House School Application – Supportive of this application.

Solar Farm in Stoke Mandeville - we have not been formally consulted on but will submit comment.

**6. Kimble Stewart Hall: Report from Cllr Delia Burton**

Many of the usual hirers have not returned to the hall yet, largely because they are waiting for confirmation from their respective authorities it is safe to do so. Pilates and Karate are using the hall and the hall are still maintaining all Covid measures for the time being.

**7. Community Board Report – Cllr James Cripps**

Cllr Cripps provided an update on the application for funding from TfB for the B4009 Crossing, reducing speed limits in Church Lane/Bridge Street and A4010 speed limits through the Parish. The new funding application process has opening for this and is now done online. Cllr Cripps will take this application forward but warned the process is very slow and we would get only 50% funding which would come our way at the earliest 2022.

**8. Marsh Kerbing/Pinch Point Project update –Cllrs Good and Williams**

This item was rolled over to the September 2021 meeting

**9. Village Entry Gate project update – Cllr Alun Jones and Cllr David Williams**

This item was rolled over to the September 2021 meeting

**10. Parish Litter Pick – to agree a date and how to disseminate information**

Cllr Harvey will liaise with Sue Howgate about the next publication of the Parish Newsletter and look for the litter pick to take place first weekend in September. Cllr Harvey and Cllr Burton will progress and WhatsApp group to help disseminate information about this and other initiatives.

**11. To discuss the siting and timings of the RBL Tommy Statues**

The statues will be erected at the beginning of October and taken down at the end November each year. Various locations around the Parish could be used, including near the Village Entry gates. Cllr David Williams offered to store the statues. The Clerk noted that the grass around the war memorial area was no longer being cut and overhanging trees were making it look uncared for. It was agreed to ask Richard Billyard to add the grass cutting to his schedule and to do a one-off cutback of the trees in the area.

**12. Clerk Resignation and recruitment**

The closing date for the applications is 30<sup>th</sup> July 2021 and thus far we have received two applications. It was agreed that we would need to convene a meeting in August to discuss and appoint the new Clerk after the interviews have taken place.

**13. HM The Queen Platinum Anniversary 2022 – To discuss ideas for Parish Events**

Cllr Burton will approach the Pub and other members of the community about organising an event and it was proposed that the Parish Council would agree a budget for the event in the Autumn when we are reviewing budgets for 2022/23.

**14. Correspondence, reports and Issues (for information only)**

- *Clerks Report*
  - *Stoke Mandeville NP Consultation– this was noted*
- *Reports/Issues from Councillors*
  - *Cllr Burton reported that the flag was disintegrating and will look into getting a better-quality flag that should last much longer.*
- *Correspondence Received*
  - *All Email correspondence has been circulated to Councillors and, where necessary, added to the agenda for discussion*

**15. To receive items for inclusion on the agenda for the next meeting to be held on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2021**

None were put forward

Chairman.....

Date 11<sup>th</sup> August 2021