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**Minutes of a Meeting of Harling Parish Council**

**Held in Harling Old School Hall**

 **On Tuesday 23rd April 2024**

**PRESENT**

Cllr P Edge (Chairman) Cllr K Rayner

Cllr A Hayward Cllr H Mackenzie

Cllr L Mould Cllr J Denniss

Cllr S Blades Cllr S Askew

Cllr G Denham

Mrs K Filby (Clerk)

There were two members of the public present

**1. APOLOGIES WERE RECEIVED AND ACCEPTED**

Cllr J Jacobs, Cllr G Jubb, Cllr B Copping and Cllr W Nunn

**2. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD 26th MARCH**

Item 2 – Market Place Phase 2 now completed

**3. MINUTES SIGNED AS A TRUE AND CORRECT RECORD BY THE CHAIRMAN**

**4. PUBLIC FORUM**

No comments raised

**5. DECLARATION BY COUNCILLORS OF ANY DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY**

 **OR PERSONAL INTEREST(S) IN ANY AGENDA ITEMS**

 None declared

**6. PLANNING**

No planning matters were discussed

**7. ACCOUNTS**

**a**) Npower - £986.32

**b**) BT -£51.40

**c**) Staff costs - £4044.02

**d**) Rix Petroleum - £315.00

**e**) Amazon – 31.98 14/24

**f**) Harling Old School Hall - £133.00

**g**) Imperative Training - £92.34

**h**) National Allotment Society - £66.00

**i**) Dutch Barn Nurseries - £129.60

**j)** Royal British Legion - £30.00

**k)** EFL - £1890.00

*The Parish Councillors were presented with copies of receipts of payments and bank reconciliation showing year to date spending and balances for main current account*

**8. ALLOTMENT SHED**

Clerk to make contact with Anglian Demolition for a quote to remove the asbestos shed at The Poplars site

**9. VALUATION OF COUNCIL ASSETS**

Council approved to appoint Mr M Sarsons to carry out the valuation at a cost of £395 plus VAT

**10. CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED/CLERKS UPDATES**

**a.** Report of Market Place bins being used for household waste again, Clerk has reported incident to Breckland Council

**b.** Young Diamond Tribute award invitation

**c.** Concerns raised from residents over perceived speed of vehicles on White Hart Street

**d.** Complaint received over some plots at cemetery not in keeping and too large

**e.** Blue LED lanterns must be replaced according to report from TT Jones, they are due to a faulty batch from supplier, out of warranty, so Council to pay for replacements

**11.** **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

 Annual Parish Council Meeting 20th May

K Filby

Clerk 7th May 2024

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