

IWERNE MINSTER PARISH COUNCIL

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**DRAFT Minutes of a Parish Council meeting held in the Abingdon Hall on
Wednesday 4th June 2008 commencing at 7.30 p.m.**

PRESENT Councillors John Hooper, (Chairman)
Mike Jones, Terry payne, and Jill Ball.

IN ATTENDANCE Derek J. Stanley (Clerk) also Geoff Peters, (Home Watch) and 3. Members
of The Public.

- 1776. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE** Cllr's Dianne Benfield, (Vice Chairman) Terry Payne,
Deborah Croney, Angus Campbell, and Rob Smith.
- 1777. THE MEETING** **The Chairman** opened the meeting and welcomed those present.
- 1778. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**
RESOLVED that the minutes of the Parish Council's meeting held on 7th May 08. be approved.
Also signed by the Chairman as a correct record.
- 1779. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES** a) Noted that bus time - tables at bus stops
had been more clearly displayed. and where removed would be replaced. b) The Glass Banks at
Clayesmore School had been removed. c) No other matters of report.
As a matter of interest the Clerk indicated he would revise the Members lists and redistribute.
- 1780. PLANNING APPLICATIONS AND DECISIONS.** No new applications. however the
Chairman of Planning reported that a) NDDC had agreed to investigate the matter of a window
misplaced at 'The Forge' would be investigated. b) A problem of a shed at 'Preston House' was
now resolved. c) Parking at Dunns Lane was still a problem and the Chairman would follow
further. (**these matters would be kept under review by Cllr Ball.**)
- 1781. RECREATION:** - The Vice Chairman reported to The Clerk that no problems were existing.
NDDC were to make their annual inspection of Children's Equipment . This was duly agreed.
- 1782. ROADS AND TRANSPORT** Cllr Smith could not be present. See AOB !!
- 1783. VITAL VILLAGES:-** Cllr Croney Reported on NDDC and their activities and a report on
this matter was included. (See NDDC report attached.)
- 1784. PARISH PLANNING AND DESIGN.** Cllr Payne was not able to be present.
- 1785. HOME WATCH.** Mr Geoff Peters reported there were problems as follows:-
a) Reported that contact with the Police still poor. b) 'Ringmaster' not being reported. c)
Accom for police cycle still under review.
- 1786. RIGHTS OF WAY.** A report on matters in hand from Cllr Hooper was noted. A detailed report
on 'Oyles Mill' property and an electric fence was given by the Chairman.
- 1787 . DCC** Cllr Angus Campbell was unable to be present.

NDDC. Cllr Deborah Croney. A full note of matters in hand would be filed with these minutes.
Members were please to note the important position now filled by Deborah on The NDDC
Management

1788. COMMUNITY PLANNING. Cllr Jones made a brief report on progress and a meeting later in the month. The use of 'Broadband' by DAPTC was also referred to.

1789. CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED DURING APRIL

A list of correspondence received during May 08 was referred to by The Chairman and duly noted by Members (see list attached to the agenda..)

1790. ACCOUNTS & BALANCES

a) Accounts be authorised for payment :-

	£
Clerks Salary. For 5 weeks	184.00
Offices expenses	<u>40.00</u>

A/c.553. Total for payment ----- £224.00

554 Abingdon Hall Rent----- £10.00

- - b) Hall Windows. The Clerk reported progress with funding for the window repairs in Abingdon Hall. The Cost would be £7000 (inc £ 934 VAT) Members agreed this expenditure and authorised the Clerk to order the work asap. -----

RESOLVED.

- **Payment via Precept £1500. DCA £ 3500. DAP&TC's £1500. VAT £1000.00**

. **c) Village Web site.** Members were pleased with the plan to receive a web site for village use. By Ian Watson (Web Master) -- It was thought to be excellent and well worth following up Members were aware that North Dorset DC assisted the Parish with a Parish Council web site and this would continue. The Clerk was asked to find out from Mr Ian Watson how the matter would be managed. Eg financial implecations (May be £100 per annum)

1791 AOB. 1) **Geoff Peters.** Notice for notice Boards on Bus Stops. 2) Highway hole and drain cover awaiting repair. Rob to Speak to Geoff Peters. 3) Grass Cutting routine needed in Oakwood drive. Cllr Rob to arrange. 4) Stream Cleaning:- Terry to speak to Geoff Peters. 5. Rubbish in Dunns Lane arrange clearance. For Cllr Rob via NDDC.
These are mostly for Rob to clear.

The meeting ended at 8-20pm. Sigd -----