

Minutes of Parish Council meeting held on Wednesday 12th December 2007

Present Peter Lemaire (PL), Chair Theresa Redgewell (TR)
 Vernon Miners (VM)
 David Cooper (DC) Melissa Fletcher (MF)
 Sue Hill (SH)

Details	Action
106. Apologies – PH	
107. Declarations of interest – PL – Village Hall	
108. Minutes of last meeting – <u>RESOLVED</u> – All agreed they were an accurate representation.	
109. Matters arising – to be reported under relevant sections.	
(a) Outstanding cricket payment – <u>RESOLVED</u> – PL to visit Gary Condon to follow up on outstanding payment.	PL
(b) South & Vale Carers donation- <u>RESOLVED</u> – all agreed to a donation of £50.	SH
110. Budget/precept – VM proposed that the precept remained at £11500. DC proposed that the amount paid per household be kept the same (i.e the precept would be reduced) <u>RESOLVED</u> – 4 in favour of keeping the precept at £11500, 1 against.	
111. Thatching/flat roof - Chairman of Society of Master Thatchers had assessed roof and suggested that a re-ridge and tidy up would extend life by 8-10 years. This plus flat roof would cost £7000. <u>RESOLVED</u> – SH to ask David Barton's contact for flat roof quote. <u>RESOLVED</u> – All agreed if that quote was for £2000-2600, then to go ahead with David Barton to re-ridge and tidy up the thatch. <u>RESOLVED</u> – Those who had donated should be informed of the change. <u>RESOLVED</u> – TOE application to be applied for by end of January	SH PL PL/SH
112. Cricket – 2 representatives from Ewelme CC presented a paper requesting permission for an all weather training facility on the Common. Comments related to: visual impact, ROSPA, footpath, vandalism, insurance, impact on football, position, local facilities, planning permission, maintenance cost, other clubs usage of facility, removal and number of members. <u>RESOLVED</u> – Ewelme CC to follow up on points made. <u>RESOLVED</u> – Ewelme CC to write article in Ewelme News to encourage comments	
113. State of roads/Buses – Keep Clear markings – <u>RESOLVED</u> – SH to write to OCC about reducing length.	SH
Roads - <u>RESOLVED</u> – SH to contact OCC re Benson Road icing up	SH
<u>RESOLVED</u> – SH to remove fallen litter bin from Cat Lane and use elsewhere.	SH
Transport Needs survey/Bus timetable review – <u>RESOLVED</u> – All agreed to accept DC's recommendations	
<u>RESOLVED</u> – DC to respond on Council's behalf re timetable review	DC
<u>RESOLVED</u> – Councillors noted Carol Sawbridge's concern about rerouting large buses and asked DC to include in his response.	DC
114. RAF – TR had met with Flt Lt Russ Smith and had agreed to review existing guidelines, copy complaints and responses to TR and to issue a new low flying map. <u>RESOLVED</u> – TR to invite Flt Lt Russ Smith to the February meeting to give an informal presentation	TR