

Pyecombe Parish Council

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Minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on at Wayfield Park Farm Shop, Pyecombe on Tuesday 14th November 2023 at 7:00pm.

Present – Cllr D. Wilson Chairman, Cllr T. Cullen, Cllr K. Grocott, Cllr M. Saich and Cllr L. Sullivan.
Clerk D. Langston.
Mid Sussex District Councillor G. Ziedler

Minutes

48.23 Apologies for absence were received from West Sussex County Councillor J. Dennis.

49.23 Mr L. Sullivan was co-opted as the new Pyecombe Parish Councillor and signed the relevant paperwork.

50.23 No interests were declared.

51.23 To approve the Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 5th September 2023. Minutes were approved by Council and signed by the Chairman.

52.23 Mid Sussex District Councillor G. Zeidler updated on the following items.

- Councillor Wilson raised the issue of school places available locally. Councillor Zeidler confirmed there is an issue with the number of places available although Pyecombe do not currently appear to be affected by this.
- Children's play area is still under reviewed by MSDC. Clerk will review the number of children in the village. Clerk will forward the email regarding the repair of the car park to Cllr Zeidler.
- Mid Sussex District Plan papers have been released today and will go to scrutiny committee on 22nd November 2023.

Mid Sussex District Councillor G. Zeidler left the meeting at this point.

53.23 To receive an update on Parish works to include:

Clerk confirmed the recent bid for CIL funds from SDNP was successful. Council will now look to progress with the proposed works early in the New Year.

Clerk will apply for the necessary Highways license to install both a litter bin and planters adjacent to the bus shelter on the A273.

Highways Signage Clerk will contact Cllr J. Dennis to discuss the necessary licences for additional HGV signage.

Cllr K. Grocott will continue with the bulb planting throughout the parish.

Cllr L. Sullivan will review the flooding issue on Pyecombe Street and liaise with Clerk.

SDNP Crossing will be updated with works proposed to commence on 7th December 2023.

Council resolved to fully support the TRO request for a speed reduction on Clayton Hill.

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54.23 Financial Matters

Balance Sheet handed to all Councillors and signed by the Chairman.

Council resolved to accept the latest NALC pay award.

Payments raised since last meeting:

£ 84.58 Mr K. Grocott Signage Expenses

£ 49.92 B&H SWET Ltd Invoice 64571 Newsletter printing

£252.00 Moore Invoice 17921/979 External Audit

£500.94 WSCC Invoice 8001710880 Salary & Pension

£500.94 WSCC Invoice 8001717201 Salary & Pension

£116.00 M. Knott Invoice 00004

£ 53.42 WSCC Invoice 8001717001 Payroll provision

55.23 Dates of future meetings confirmed as follows.

16th January 2024.

19th March 2024.

14th May 2024.

9th July 2024.

10th September 2024.

12th November 2024.