

MINUTES OF THE ORDINARY MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL ON MONDAY 23rd OCTOBER 2023 IN THE HALL, ELHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL.

210.23 Those Present:

Councillors: K Lamb, C Chapman, B Swan, G Clements, S Peall, no members of the public and Clerk.

Apologies: Cllr K Allen received and accepted.

211.23 To declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests (DPI), Other significant Interests (OSI's) or a Voluntary interest relating to items on the agenda.

None were declared.

212.23 Finance

- a) The 2023/2024 budget provisions were reviewed, and it was **agreed** that no action was required.
- b) The draft budget for 2024/25 was discussed, it was **agreed** that the Clerk would adjust for discussion at the Ordinary meeting of the Parish Council to be held on 6th November.
- c) It was **agreed** that discussions regarding the precept would be deferred until the draft budget for 2024/25 is agreed.

213.23 Environment Working Group

The request for £250 for the purchase of bulbs for the Environment Working Group was **agreed**. It was discussed that Cllr Swan would suggest that the purchased bulbs be split between the King George V and the Community Orchard.

214.23 Date of next meeting and Close

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on Monday 6th November 2023 at 7.30pm.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.05pm.