



GREAT ECCLESTON PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes (360) of the Meeting of the Parish Council at 7.45 pm on Monday 12th January 2015 in the Village Centre

Members present: Councillors Jackie Garth (Chairman), Nick Cross, David Astall, John Rowe, Susan Duerden and Yvonne Miller.

In attendance: Hugh Glover, Clerk.

1. **Apologies for absence** were received from Cllr Nick Cross who arrived late due to traffic.
2. **Declaration of Interest** were received from the following Councillors
 - a. Personal
 1. John Rowe 9/c/2
 2. Susan Duerden 9/c/2
 3. David Astall 9/c/2
 4. Jackie Garth 9/c/7
3. **Minutes** It Was resolved unanimously to approve minutes of the meeting held on 8th December 2014.
4. **There were no matters arising** from the minutes of the last meeting not covered elsewhere on the Agenda.
5. **Open Forum** - None
6. **Co-opt 2 new members** – an update was noted and it was resolved unanimously to re-advertise these vacancies in inFocus magazine.
7. **Christmas Festival**
 - a. **2014** _ It was resolved unanimously to approve a small gift for Christmas helpers and donations to Save the Children and the NSPCC charities.
 - b. **2015** – working group date 29th January 2015 8:00pm in the VC was noted.
8. **Highways, Footpaths & Open Spaces**
 - a. Lengthsman recruitment - the update was noted and it was resolved unanimously to confirm that John Clueit be given the contract for a trial period at £12.00 per Hour for 6 hours per week
 - b. Bus Shelter painting – update noted
 - c. Fingerpost signs refurbishment – update noted
 - d. Blue plaques for buildings/English Heritage re Fingerpost signs and Memorial stone - update was given by Cllr David Astall and is in contact with the History Society.
9. **Financial**
 - a. Finance reports January 2015 were noted.
 - b. Budget 2015/2016 – It was resolved unanimously to approve the Precept for 2015/16
 - c. To approve the following payments:

Hugh Glover	December Salary + expenses	£552.46
Village Centre	Room Hire October December	£135.56
Save the children	Donation from Xmas Festival	£45.00
NSPCC	Donation from Xmas Festival	£45.00
B&B Design	Market sign	£98.40
Morris Dancers	Xmas Festival	£30.00
J Garth	Wood Reimbursement Xmas Festival	£18.00



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- 10. Correspondence** – already circulated
- 11. Planning** – no new applications as of 7th January 2015 was noted
- 12. Open Forum** - none
- 13. Ierks Appraisal and review.** It was resolved unanimously to approve the adjustment as per the NJC rates and the back pay of £335.10.
- 14. Matters for future agendas and schedules of future reporting.** Members to notify Clerk of items for action.
- 15. Date of next meeting.** The next Parish Council Meeting is planned for Monday 9th February 2015 at 7.45 pm in the Village Centre.

Chairman

9th February 2015