

**Nether Wallop Parish Council Meeting held at 7.30 pm  
on Monday 10 January 2011 in Nether Wallop Village Hall**

**1267 Attendance:** Cllrs Atkins, Hind, Roach, Souter and Young and TVBC Cllr Boulton and one member of the public.

**1268 Apologies:** HCC Cllr Gibson, Cllrs Carpenter and Whitaker.

**1269 Declaration of Councillors' pecuniary interests:** All councillors confirmed that there were no changes and they had nothing to declare.

**1270 Planning:** a) 10/02655LBWN, installation of 18 photovoltaic cells on barn roof, Monks, Ducks Lane. The Planning Committee together with the unanimous agreement of the rest of the council agreed to support this application.

**1271 Points from the floor:** none.

**1272 Minutes of the previous meeting:** The minutes of 13 December 2010 were amended to read as follows:- item 1256 There are **three bins** in the village, in Aylwards Way, **Farley Street** and the High Street. Item 1259 b) to read Cllr **Roach** reported on the following financial expenditure. C) Highways: Cllr Hind reported that she had put in a request to Highways to re-fill all existing **grit bins**. Cllr Carpenter reported cracks in the road in **Five Bells Lane**. The most effective way of **getting potholes repaired** was to use the website. They were subsequently approved by the council and signed by the Chairman as a true and accurate record.

**1273 Councillors' reports:**

a) **Neighbourhood Watch:** Cllr Young had not received an updated report.

b) **Finance:** Cllr Atkins reported on the following financial expenditure for the month:-

Mrs Grob (Clerk – December)	cheque 1227	335.00
Mr Roach (Village Green Expenses)	cheque 1228	85.67
Hi-Fi Tower Ltd replacement amplifier (Mr Roach)	cheque 1228	105.80
Southern Electric (pavilion Q3)	cheque 1229	143.11
Southern Electric (Village Green Q3)	cheque 1229	27.36
Mark A Lovell (Village Green mower servicing)	cheque 1230	<u>272.27</u>
Total expenditure		<u>969.21</u>
Income was made up as follows:-		
Tennis (December)		21.00
Total income		<u>21.00</u>
The bank balance is represented by:-		
General Fund		7882.47
Village Green Fund		2055.02
Village Design Statement Fund		<u>393.50</u>
		<u>10330.99</u>

Cllr Roach declared an interest in the Village Green expenses and amplifier payments. Approval for all payments was proposed by Cllr Souter and seconded by Cllr Young with all in agreement. Cllr Atkins presented a budget for the forthcoming year. This was proposed by Cllr Souter and seconded by Cllr Hind with all in agreement. A copy of this budget would be attached to the minutes. Cllr Atkins proposed that the precept stay at the same level as last year at £11,500 and this was ratified by the council.

c) **Highways:** Cllr Hind reported that the pothole outside Gastons Farm is getting worse. The Chairman and various members of the council have reported this on the HCC website. Cllr Young reported that the junction of Hollom Down Road and the A30 is again a problem and has registered this on the website. She advised that the road probably needed re-surfacing rather than just the standard pothole repair.

d) **Playing Fields:** Cllr Roach reported that a grant of £6,699 is available due to property development in Nether Wallop. She suggested that applications for a new pavilion could be made. The Chairman said that the netting round the tennis court needed either repairing or totally renewing.

- 1274 Wallops Parish Hall** including grant: Cllr Souter reported that a grant from the council of £500 would be sufficient. This would be paid within this financial year.
- 1275 Nether Wallop Village Hall Trust:** There is nothing to report at the moment.
- 1276 Village Green:** Cllr Roach reported that that the Carol Service was a success. The new amplifier is excellent. A collection was made and £140 would be donated to Help for Heroes.
- 1277 Correspondence:** Cllr Souter reported that the British Legion have sent a notification of The Great Poppy Party Weekend to be held on 10/12 June in celebration of the Royal British Legion's 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday. A letter from Naomi France-Sargeant who had won the council's prize for Best Female Sportsperson had been received. She intends to purchase an autobiography. The pass worded Electoral Roll would be available to the Clerk via the computer program WinZip (**action: Parish Clerk**).
- 1278 Matters raised by councillors:** Cllr Roach reported that a complaint had been made regarding The Splash which is very deep. She would see if someone could clear out the weed.
- 1279 Points from the floor:** TVBC Cllr Boulton was delighted that the precept would be held at its present level.
- 1280 Date of next meeting:** The next monthly meeting will be held on Monday 14 February 2011 at 7.30 pm. The Chairman thanked all for attending and ended the meeting at 8.20pm.

THESE ARE DRAFT MINUTES PRODUCED FOR REVIEW BY THE PARISH COUNCILLORS PRIOR TO BEING APPROVED AT THE NEXT PARISH COUNCIL MEETING