

MURTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES of a MEETING of the COUNCIL held in THE GLEBE CENTRE, on THURSDAY, 20th FEBRUARY 2020.

Present: Councillor T Pinkney (Chair)
Councillors A Cowley, R Adcock-Forster, J Griffiths, G Maitland, H Napier,
A Page, P Penman, G Rennoldson, L Riley and S Ward.

Officer: LA Armstrong (Parish Clerk).

1. APOLOGIES

Cllrs. M Errington, L Grogan, M Haswell, R Kelly and G Lormor.
County Councillor A Napier.

2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

Cllr. J Griffiths declared an interest in agenda item 12 Request for Financial Assistance.

3. POLICE REPORT

PCSO Dylan Middlemiss gave a comprehensive report and thanked Cllr. Griffiths and Junior Club for their assistance with sponsored walk around village to raise money for defibrillator's for Murton. He then left the meeting.

Resolved to receive the information.

4. COMMUNITY OF HOPE

Eileen Adamson and Cathy McAvoy gave a short presentation to members of their vision to create a dedicated space where people can support each other and the community. The Church of England are supporting this exiting project but premises need to be found to kickstart this project. After the presentation they left the meeting.

Resolved that members would work with them and support them with this endeavour.

5. MINUTES AND MATTERS ARISING

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held 16th January 2020.

Copy of the minutes were circulated to members previously.

Pursuant to agenda item 7 Sea View Housing Proposal Cllr. Napier said it was a very positive meeting and there were valid points which could be used to object to the proposal.

Resolved the minutes of the Parish Council meeting be approved, confirmed and signed as an accurate record.

6. COUNCIL TAX CALCULATION

Copies circulated to members previously. As you can see from figures Band A properties pay Murton Parish Council £2.20 per week. Increase of 2% on last year (5p per week).

Resolved to receive the information.

7. REVIEW OF INTERNAL AUDIT

Written report presented by the Clerk.

Resolved:

- **Approve and endorse report.**
- **Approve the appointment of Mr D Wilson as Internal Auditor for 2020-2021.**

8. REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY SERVICE

Following the demise of Murton Branch of The Royal British Legion (RBL) in village we have been informed that we cannot run a Remembrance Sunday Service as RBL are custodians of this and the Parish are only there to provide Insurance Cover. Discussion ensued around running the service ourselves.

Resolved to contact Ed Brown formerly RBL for help and advice.

9. REPORTS FROM MEETINGS ATTENDED

Cllr Griffiths and Clerk reported from a Dementia Conference they attended and Clerk gave an update following Larger Councils Forum and Society Local Council Clerks Meeting.

Resolved to receive the information.

10. MATTERS OF INFORMATION/CORRESPONDENCE

- Option to purchase last phone box in village at top terrace for £1 off BT.
 - Training for members on how to identify Far Right Extremism.
- Resolved to receive the information.**

11. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Resolved that the following proposed application be received:

- .4 No houses on existing Farm Land at Murton House Farm, The Village.
- Resolved to receive the information.**

12. FINANCIAL MATTERS

12.1 Monthly Accounts and Wages

Details of receipts and payments made in the past month were reported as follows:

Total of Accounts Received	£ 1,195.00
Total of Accounts Passed for Payment	£ 12,460.16
Total Wage Bill for the Month of Jan	£ 13,418.14
Contribution to Murton Welfare Assn.	£ 6,000.00

The Council supports the Community Centre financially under the

- Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 Part 1,s19
- Local Government Act 1972 s144,145 and 133.

Resolved to receive and approve.

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12.2 Request for Financial Support.

Murton Under 11,s Football Team £500

First Murton Scout Group £500

Resolved to donate through Power of General Competence.

The Chairman thanked members for their attendance and closed the meeting at 8.30pm.

RESOLVED and that the next Meeting of the Council be scheduled for 19th March 2020 at 7pm.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

DATE: **Thursday, March 19th 2020.**

CHAIRMAN