

# FROCESTER PARISH COUNCIL

## MINUTES OF THE MEETING ON WEDNESDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2020 AT 7.30PM AT CRICKET CLUB

Present was Cllrs. Bill Flude (Chair), Wendy Hawkins (vice Chair), David Holpin and Jane Davis.

1. Apologies – Peter Williams
2. The minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 27<sup>th</sup> November 2019 were read, approved by councillors and signed by the Chairman.
3. Matters arising
  - a. It was agreed that the new parish newsletter would be discussed with Pete Davis.
  - b. It was noted that the defibrillator training will be proposed for 6<sup>th</sup> April, but this will be confirmed first.
  - c. It was noted that a grant for the war memorial refurbishment had been applied for.
  - d. A working party would clear leaves and debris from the bus shelter on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> February.
  - e. The problem of Frocester Manor hedges overgrowing Leonard Stanley Road would be reported to highways.
  - f. It was noted that all the speed limit signs needed cleaning.
4. Finance
  - a. The bank accounts stood at £3,366.35 & £445.62 including a receipt from Cambridge Solar of £215.81.
  - b. Parish precept request for 2019/2020 was submitted in January 2020 with a budget requirement of £1,100.
  - c. Receipt from Pounds Close and payment to J M Landscapes of £10,000 – recovery of VAT through VAT126 process requires FPC to receive a VAT Recovery Identification from HMRC, this process is in progress.
5. Highways
  - a. It was noted that the Stroud District Road Safety Group is awaiting a meeting with GCC Highways Department early in March 2020, the next SDRSG meeting will be delayed until Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March
  - b. Results from the mobile VAS project for Bath Road, Frocester are available on the SDRSG website - [www.strouddistrictroadsafety.com](http://www.strouddistrictroadsafety.com)
  - c. Peter Street verge status – no acknowledgement had been received from highways.
6. Planning
  - a. It was noted that SDC councillors have approved plans for Forest Green Rovers to build a new football stadium and leave Nailsworth.

The next meeting was set for Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2020 at 7.30pm at the cricket club. The meeting closed at 8.30pm.