

Frocester Parish Council

Minutes of meeting held on Wednesday 13TH SEPTEMBER 2023 AT 7.30PM AT THE CRICKET CLUB

Present were Cllrs Flude (Chair), Hawkins (Vice-Chair), Holpin and Williams.

Before the formal parish meeting was held representatives of New Dawn Homes presented their conceptual plans for the Frocester Manor site which included up to fifteen apartments and fifteen houses. It was agreed that these plans would be published within Frocester and discussed more fully at the next parish council meeting on 8th November 2023.

Parish Council Meeting

1. Apologies – Cllr. Davis
2. Minutes of the Parish Council meetings held on 13th September 2023
3. Matters arising
 - a. Solar Farm update. Cllr. Flude reported on a discussion with the Chair of Eastington Parish Council who are not supportive of the proposed solar farm.
 - b. The Frocester Manor update was provided by New Dawn Homes as stated above.
4. Finance
 - a. Bank account – balance at 11/09/2023 £3,438.07 + £1,269.03 – Payment of £162.00 to Community HeartBeat Charity for year 6 annual support of the defibrillator.
 - b. GL0098: Receipt of AGAR 2022/2023 documents has been confirmed with notification of exempt status.
 - c. A review of the suggestions for projects requiring financial support in Frocester including a new bench for Pounds Close was discussed with suggestion at a later date.
5. Highways
 - a. It was suggested that the Frocester Hill road safety report published by GCC Wendy Thomas should be uploaded to the Frocester WhatsApp group.
6. Planning
 - a. S.23/1293/HHOLD Frocester Lodge – One storey building for a swimming pool. Replace the existing tennis court with a paddock & small storage shelter. Application refused 24th August 2023 because the application site is located outside of defined settlement development limits and the proposal does not meet the exception principles outlined within policy CP15 of the adopted Stroud District Local Plan 2015.

Any other business – 8th November 2023

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