

Bulford Parish Council
Minutes of the Transitional Meeting of the Council
Monday 12 May 2025
at 7.00pm at Bulford Village Hall

Present: Cllr D Morrison (Vice Chairman), Cllr J Ware, Cllr B Alsop, Cllr T Turner, Cllr D Daniels

In Attendance: Mrs N Grove (Parish Clerk), Wiltshire Cllr K Asplin (Amesbury East & Bulford)

Police: None

Visiting Public: Mr R Clarke

The Vice Chairman announced the resignation of Cllr M Verbinnen from his position as Chairman and as a member of the Parish Council, effective immediately.

In the absence of a Chairman, the Vice Chairman presided over the meeting.

The Vice Chairman passed on his congratulations to the new Wiltshire Unitary Councillor for Amesbury East & Bulford, Cllr Kevin Asplin, and welcomed him to the meeting.

052/2025. Apologies: None

053/2025. To approve the Minutes of the Bulford Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 14 April 2025

The Minutes were approved and signed as a true record.

054/2025. To receive Declarations of Interest from Members

None received.

055/2025. To receive the Chairman's Remarks

In the absence of the Chairman none received.

056/2025. To receive the Clerk's Report

The Clerk raised an issue with the lighting in the main hall; with the majority of the lights now not functioning. Last year four inexpensive lights were purchased as a temporary solution. These lights are currently the only lights working in the main hall. The situation necessitates bringing forward the planned project to replace the main hall lights. The Clerk was actioned to seek quotes for the work.

057/2025 Councillors Question's and Statement

057.01/2025. Cllr Turner reported that the new Speed Indicator Device has been ordered. In addition, replacement accessories for the existing SID have been purchased.

057.02/2025. Councillor Turner reported that the replacement 'No Cycling' signs and fixings will be fitted on Water Street to replace those recently moved without authorisation.

058/2025. Council received quotes from SGS Heating & Electrical Ltd for the replacement of radiator/s

Following the installation of the new boiler, the Parish Clerk presented quotes for two radiator related projects: the replacement of a single radiator that is no longer working and the replacement of all radiators within the village hall. In addition, the Clerk confirmed that the funding is available for the replacement of all the radiators due to an increased income in this financial year. Following a discussion Council agreed to proceed with the replacement of all the radiators while the necessary funds are available.

059/2025. To approve Payment of Accounts and Bank Reconciliation

059.01/2025. The Clerk tabled a bank reconciliation of £60,347.16 on 30 April 2025 and confirmed that council is operating within budget.

059.02/2025. The payments scheduled to be paid in May 2025 were approved.

060/2025. The Chairman closed the meeting at 7:30 pm.

Next Full Council Meeting Date: Monday 9 June 2025

Approved by Council as a true record


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Chairman of Bulford Parish Council

Date..... 9 June 25