

WESTMESTON PARISH MEETING

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD AT WESTMESTON PARISH HALL ON 10TH MAY 2022

PRESENT : Rob Mills - Chairman of Westmeston Parish Council
Mark Clark
Joyce Dudeney
Clare Farrands
Tessa Haughton
Cathy Mills

In Attendance: Paul Vidler – acting as Clerk to the Parish Meeting

1. Welcome and introduction.

The Chairman welcomed those present.

2. To receive apologies for absence.

None were received.

3. To confirm minutes of the previous annual meeting held on 14th May 2019.

The minutes of the meeting held on 14th May 2019 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

4. To receive Chairman's report.

Rob Mills highlighted the work carried out by the Parish Council over the past year and the return to live meetings as the threats from the pandemic eased. Fly tipping at Wapple Way had been removed and measures put in place to prevent recurrence. The litter pickers have continued their good work.

East Sussex CC has allocated £17,500 funding towards speed reduction in Spatham lane from 60 to 40 mph, expected to be completed by autumn this year. Thanks were given to all supporters of the scheme.

The threat remains of mass housing estates in the countryside and the Parish Council remains alert in responding to such developments. An increase in volume of planning applications is noted. Planning training will be provided for councillors this year.

In conclusion, the Chairman thanked members of the council and the Parish Clerk for their help and support this year.

5. To consider any other questions.

None were put.

The Chairman thanked all those present and closed the meeting .

These minutes will be approved at the next Annual Parish Meeting.

Signed.....

Chairman, Westmeston Parish Meeting