

FRANKTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of February 26th 2018 at 7pm

Present- Cllrs Gardner, Mitchell, Thompson, Mrs Wilson, Chairman.

In attendance Mrs Fennell, clerk.

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Open forum. No electors present, apologies from Cllrs Mrs Doherty and Roberts, WCC/RBC. No declarations of interest.

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Minutes of the December meeting were taken as read and signed correct.

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Matters arising. Website. The PC had approached David Wilson, who offered to help set up a dedicated website, which was accepted. However, of her own initiative, Mrs Blazeby had paid for renewal of the existing domain, costing £22.74. The PC would still proceed with its' own site.

Roads, County Highways know about the drain on Cooks Lane and have raised a works order. Cllr Roberts will help if there is no progress.

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Correspondence from Eon, street lamp power cost to rise by 1p/kwh from 9 April.

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Data Protection Act Going through Parliament. The PC has no private information at all, but has registered under the ICO. We may need to buy a filing cabinet or similar, once requirements are known.

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New audit regulations. The PC can declare itself exempt from external audit, providing the internal audit is sufficiently rigorous. PKF Littlejohn are the new auditors.

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Finance Budget overspent by £310, as street lamp bills have caught up. VAT reclaim of £163.65 applied for. .Accounts payable – 547 LCN, domain renewal £22.74. 548 Eon. street lamps £115.09. 549 Eon Street lamps £237.55. 550 Bourton village hall, room hire £10. 551, S Fennell, expenses & office costs £148.54.

The PC AGREED to buy a dog bin and grit bin for the parish, clerk would obtain prices and details of availability.

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Planning Grove Farm. convert barn to dwelling, permitted development.

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NEXT MEETING TUESDAY MAY 15th at 7.30pm. Annual meeting + PC meeting.

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There was no further business, the meeting closed at 7.30pm