SITLINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING On Monday 3rd March 2025 At Parish Office. 6.30pm

Present: Cllr Fearnside (Acting Chair), Cllr Myers, Parish Clerk in attendance

Recommendations

The committee considered the internal auditors report and the actions required. ± 500 purchase order spend

1/325.Welcome and apologies

Cllr Allott apologies received and accepted.

2/325.Members' Declarations of Interest

To receive disclosures of personal and prejudicial interests from Councillors on matters to be considered at the meeting. Noted

3/325.Public Admissions to Meetings Act (1960)

To consider, if thought fit, a resolution under the terms of the Public Admissions to Meetings Act (1960) to exclude members of the public and press from any item which may be of a confidential nature of the business being transacted. No public present

4/325.To approve the minutes of the last meeting Tuesday 3rd February 2025 as a true and accurate record.

It was resolved that the minutes of the meeting were a true and accurate record and duly signed by the chair.

5/325.To receive an update on the last meetings recommendations. Recommendations:

- To increase the precept to £133,000.00
- To purchase a new laptop for clerk before the windows 10 finishes
- To proceed with the ground's maintenance tender paperwork
- To update the bank mandate and set up a direct debit for BT

6/325.Audit of invoices and Bank Statements

a-To review invoices for February 2025 and internal controls to be carried out accordingly.

7/325.To review Bank reconciliation to date.

a-To review bank reconciliation for 28/02/2025 Clerk updated the meeting

8/325.Budget

a-To receive an update on budget. (31/01/25) Software input not completed-to be signed at the next finance committee meeting.

9/325.To consider the internal auditors report and actions required, including the minimum spend for purchase orders to contractors and agree recommendations.

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10/325.Grant applications 10.1-To receive any grant applications

11/325.Correspondence

12/325.Date and Time of Next Meeting

To arrange the date and time of the next meeting. Tuesday 1st April 2025