

Minutes of the meeting of East Allington Parish Council held on Monday 9th December 2024, 7pm in the Parish Hall.

Present – Cllr. Soper (Chairman); Cllr. Weeks; Cllr. Hogarth; Cllr. Hannaford; Cllr. Toorneini; 1 member of the public; Penny Clapham (Clerk).

1) PUBLIC DISCUSSION

An opportunity for members of the public to make representations, answer questions and give evidence in respect of any item of business on the agenda, or any matter of interest to the parish. The period of time designated for public participation shall not exceed 15 minutes. (Standing Orders 3e and 3f).

Reminder that members of the public are not allowed to raise issues when Council is in committee.

Mud on the road. Report to Highways on the 'report a problem page'.

2) Apologies For Absence: None received.

3) Declarations Of Interest: In accordance with the Code of Conduct, members are required to declare any personal or disclosable pecuniary interests, including the nature and extent of such interests they may have, in items to be considered at this meeting. Members are also reminded that any change to their Declaration of Interests must be notified to the Monitoring Officer at South Hams District Council within 28 days of the change. None declared.

4) Hedging – to resolve to agree the costs of the major hedging requirements within the recreation field, (Dartmouth Road) two quotes having been received. Resolved to take the slightly lower quote of £2,275, proposed by Cllr. Toorneini, all agreed by show of hands. This will involve the laying of the hedge as well as cutting back.

5) Hedging – to resolve to agree costs to have the far side of the recreation field hedge cut back sharply. A quote of £400 has been received to cut back the over-hanging tree growth. Resolved. Proposed by Cllr. Toorneini, all agreed by show of hands.

6) Car Park/Shop area – to resolve to agree the costs to remove the last of the debris/columns/foundation and to reinstate the tarmac where the shop once stood. Rough quote received £2,500 – resolved to agree. Proposed by Cllr. Toorneini. All agreed by show of hands. Clerk to action through Cllr. Wotton.

7) FINANCE

Expenditure	Employment December	£398.20	BACs
	PAYE Q2	£261.00	BACs
	M. Weeks – cutting.strimming	£527.00	BACs
	DALC – councillor training	£96.00	BACs

Resolved to pay the accounts. Proposed by Cllr. Hannaford, all agreed by show of hands.

Meeting closed at 7.31pm

Signed.....

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Items for Information - The next council meeting will be on 15th January 2025 at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall