



Minutes of a Council Meeting of the Goring-on-Thames Parish Council

Tuesday 29th November 2022 at 10:30, Gardiner Pavillion

Public Session – Prior to the Start of the Meeting

MoP1: Requested permission to record the meeting for personal use and to talk during the discussion on Jubilee Gardens

MoP2: Seeking to find a solution for the Fairfield Streetlight

Members Present:

Chair	Cllr B Urbick (BU)
Vice-Chair	Cllr S Lofthouse (SL)
Members	Cllr E McCorkell (EM)
	Cllr L Reavill (LR)
	Cllr D Brooker (DB)
	Cllr R Osborne (RO)

Officers Present:

Clerk	Sarah Edmunds (SE)
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Public and Press: at least 4 members of public

Meeting started 10:30

22.27.1 To receive apologies for absence and to approve the reasons given. [LGA 1972 s85(1)]

22.27.1.1 Cllr J Wills (JW) Cllr C Ratcliff (CR), Cllr J Emerson (JE) Cllr A Smith (AS) The reasons were unanimously accepted.

22.27.2 Declarations of Interests [LA 2011 s31]

None.

22.27.3 To consider requests for Dispensations [LA 2011 s33]

None.

22.27.4 To approve the minutes of previous council meetings [LA 1972 Sch 12. Para 41(1)]

22.27.4.1 Meeting held on 14th November 2022.
To be presented at the next meeting due to incorrect date on the agenda

22.27.5 To receive a verbal report on the Jubilee Garden.

22.27.5.1 To approve allocating part of 2022/23 village planting budget up to £900 for:

- edging strips around the beds
- cutting grass



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- applying mulch to the beds
- installing no parking signs
- [if budget allows] posts and along the verge.

Resolved: Unanimously approved to use the existing EMR budget and have a meeting with sports clubs to look at the current situation and alternative parking in the village

22.27.5.2 To approve delegating the Clerk actioning the above items subject to receiving appropriate quotes.

Resolved: Unanimously approved delegating to the Clerk actioning the above items subject to receiving appropriate quotes.

22.27.6 **Items for a future agenda.**

22.27.7 **To consider and, if thought fit, approve the following motion: In view of the confidential nature of the business about to transacted, it is advisable in the public interest that the public and press be temporarily excluded, and they are instructed to withdraw.**

Resolved: Unanimously approved to exclude the public and press and close the meeting.

The Chair thanked the public for their attendance and invited them to leave.

22.27.7.1 To review the existing situation and consider replacement options including legal action regarding the unauthorised removal of No1 Fairfield streetlamp and column.

Resolved: Unanimously voted to write letter of complaint to Chairman of Enevero

Resolved: Unanimously voted to replace a streetlamp

Resolved: Unanimously approved a budget for legal costs if necessary

22.27.8 **To confirm the time and date of the Next Council Meeting: 7.30pm 09th January 2023**

Confirmed

Meeting Closed at 11.40