

ALLER PARISH COUNCIL

ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY

Minutes of the meeting held in the Village Hall, Monday 8th May 2017 at 7.00pm

Present:

Mr D Mayor

Mr G Matravers

Mrs M Lockyer

Mr S Bishop

Miss E Meecham (Clerk)

Agenda items

1. Election of Chairman (unless the Parish Council chairman is present to take the chair). – Mr Mayor was present and chaired the meeting
2. Apologies – Apologies were received from Mr Bates and Mrs Major.
3. Minutes of the last Annual Parish Meeting – The minutes of the last meeting were agreed unanimously as a true and accurate record of the meeting.
4. Matters arising from the last Annual Parish Meeting - None
5. Parish Council Chairman's Report – Mr Mayor gave his report which included giving thanks to members of the Parish Council, the clerk to the Parish Council and to the many volunteers within the parish for the work that they have done throughout the year. Mr Mayor also summarised the events of the year and the changes to be made shortly. Mr Mayor explained that although the works had not been completed to the highway at Ridley Hill it remained a priority for Somerset County Council.
6. Aller Village Hall Committee Report – It was reported that following the retirement of the chair of the Village Hall committee no replacement has been found. The committee is depleted due to illness; however, two new members have joined. Mr Mayor has taken over the role of committee chairman on a temporary basis. The Hall is in a good state of repair and the new heaters have reduced the bills. The Hall continues to run with a small surplus financially with the AGM scheduled for the 17th May 2017.
7. Aller Recreation Area Committee Report – There is currently no Parish Council representative.
8. Other Matters raised by the Parishioners – None.
9. Closure of Annual Parish Meeting – There being no further business the meeting was closed at 7.07pm.