

FINANCE COMMITTEE

November 2019 Minutes of Meeting held on Monday 4th November 6.30pm at Heath Village Barn

- 1. Present: Cllrs Inns, Chivers, Boyden, Fitzpatrick. Clerk in attendance.
- 2. Apologies for Absence: Cllr Thyer.
- 3. Declarations of Interest: None.
- 4. Review of financial records for the period 1st April -to date: The accounts have been reviewed and balances checked and signed by Cllr Inns. Clerk was asked to provide accurate meter reading to Anglia Water for the Bryants Lane account.
- 5. Preliminary Precept and Budget Planning for 2020/21: Items for consideration for the budget to include: replacement picnic tables at Thrift Road, circa £1500, footpath at Thrift Road, circa £4500. Committees to put forward 3-5 year plan for expenditure prior to the Budget meeting to be held in mid-December.
- 6. Review of projects:
 - Pavilion build has not cost the Parish Council any money to date. Clerk advised there may be a cost for installing a telephone line for security monitoring.
 - Traffic Calming Cllr Boyden reported budget costs of £30,000 per camera with annual monitoring fee of £3,000. Detailed in the accounts at present is £30,000 allocated to traffic calming and £15,000 for the new pavilion. It was suggested to reallocate £10,000 to traffic calming. To be agreed when the new budget is prepared.

Meeting closed at 6.55pm

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