



LAVENDON PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Monthly meeting of Lavendon Parish Council held on Monday 11th March 2019

Present: Cllrs Steve Axtell (Chairman), Debs Campion, Ann Kelcey, Mark Leary, Michelle Ramsden, Mick Rutherford, Sharon White.
Jane Brushwood (Clerk)

Ward Councillors: Cllr Hosking

No members of the public were present

1. The Chairman welcomed those present, apologies for absence were noted from, Martino Ginepro, Cllrs Geary and McLean.
2. **The minutes of the meeting** of 11th February 2019 were confirmed and signed.
3. **Declaration of Interests on Agenda Items** – none
4. **Ward Councillors Report** – MKC has passed the budget. Reserved matters are due for the Olney Road development (LPC has already submitted). The E/W arc is the preferred option for expansion but it's not yet decided, the HIF bid for 5-6,000 houses at Moulsoe has been submitted, should hear around the summer time. Another head of highways has left MKC so repaired pavements are not looking hopeful.
The Ward Councillors were thanked for the grant they gave as contribution towards the WW1 benches.
5. **Finance Report** –
 - a. Payments and receipts for February 2019 were presented and approved.
 - b. No purchases for approval were requested.
6. **Other Ongoing Issues:**
 - a. **Landscaping** – all ok, the Copse is looking good and residents have mentioned their appreciation that the village is looking good, in particular the corner of Harrold Road and High Street.
 - b. **Planning** – the letter in response to the reserved matters on the Olney Road site was submitted.
 - c. **Cemetery** – all ok
 - d. **Pavilion** – all ok
 - e. **Allotments** – all ok
 - f. **The Old School** – leaking radiator has been replaced but there is long term implications on the heating system that will need to be addressed in the not too distant future, quotes being obtained.
 - g. **Land Registry** – completed

h. **NAG/Forums feedback** – no reports

i. **Members Matters** –

AK – Ann thanked council for the grant towards the Baptist Church gates. Introduced a charity recycling project, in principle council are in favour Ann will do further research.

ML – Mark is keen to look at sports fields and a MUGA in the village.

7. For Information – the next Monthly Parish Meeting is 8th April 2019.

The meeting closed at 9.15pm

Signed: Chairman

Dated: