BETCHTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 21 MARCH 2024 AT 7.30 PM AT ST PHILIP'S CHURCH, HASSALL GREEN

PRESENT

Councillors J Batchelor, B Colclough, A Curwen, R Moss R Bason, Clerk

APOLOGIES A Malbon

36. MINUTES

The Parish Council approved the minutes of the meeting held on 16 November 2023.

37. COUNCILLOR FARRINGTON

The Council noted with regret, the resignation of Councillor S Farrington.

38. PUBLIC FORUM

Members of the public asked that the notice boards be varnished.

There were drainage problems at the field adjacent to the Hassall Green Church resulting in flooding of Alsager Road. This would be raised with Cheshire East Council.

It was also agreed that Cheshire East Council be asked to reinstate Hassall Green into the winter grit route during the winter.

39. FINANCE

The following items of expenditure were approved:

Clerk's Salary – £151.31 x 4 = £605.24

Clerk's expenses - Postage £2.42; Travel - £48 (attend meeting and to post notice at Hassall Green)

Zurich Insurance - £257.60

Balances

To note the following Council account balances: Current account - £ 7,501.57 Reserve account - £ £1,866.03

40. CLERK

The Clerk reported that he had given notice that for health reasons he would retire at the end of April and the Council agreed how it would recruit a new clerk. The Council thanked the Clerk for his work for the parish since 2010.

41. PLANNING

The Council considerfed the following Planning Applications -
23/4563C - Betchton Cottage Farm, Cappers Lane, Proposed extension of
waste building, creation of new yard area and associated works in connection
with existing waste transfer station - oppose

(Chairman)
(Date)