## **Farthingstone Parish Council**

Please note that these minutes are draft until approved at the next meeting of Farthingstone Parish Council

## Minutes of the Farthingstone Annual Parish Meeting held in the Village Hall on Monday $21^{\rm st}$ May 2018 at 7.45pm

Item			Action
1.	Attendance:		
	Present: Jennie Miller, Susan Castle, John Church, Peter Stanton, Stewart Summers and Sarah		
	Hyatt		
	In attendance: Councillor Johnnie Amos		
2.	Apologies and Approval of Absence:		
	None		
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	None declared.		
4.	Minutes of the Last Meeting:  The Minutes of the Farthingstone Annual Parish Council Meeting of 15 <sup>th</sup> May 2017 were reviewed		
_	for accuracy. The Minutes were then signed by the Chair as a true and accurate record.		
5.	Matters Arising:		
_	None		
6.	Annual Reports from Village Organisation and		
	A second drop in Parish Meeting was held on Saturday 19th May in the Village Hall between 10.30 and 12.00 using the same format at 2017. It was supported by residents and different properties and sharities from the Village. These were:		
	organisations and charities from the village. These were:		
	Joy Mead Charity	Debbie Mason	
	Farthingstone Village Hall	Howard Pritchett	
	Farthingstone and District NOMADS	Paul Egerton/Len Birchall and Paul	
	Cricket Club	Justice	
	St Mary the Virgin Church	Linda Mayne (Apologies) but	
	Se wary the viight enater	information supplied	
	Farthingstone Baptist Chapel	Amanda Payne	
	Farthingstone Foot Fest	Paul Allinson	
	Farthingstone Parish Council	Peter Stanton/Jennie Miller/Susan	
	<b>9</b>	Castle/Sarah Hyatt	
	Sheppard Trust	John Church (Apologies) but	
		information supplied	
	Knightley Trust	Paul Heygate	
	Daventry District Council	Councillor Johnnie Amos	
7	<ul> <li>Cakes, tea and coffee were provided, and the event provided an opportunity for those present to discuss what charities and organisations achieved in 2017 and their plans for 2018.</li> <li>Councillors thanked the organisers and the ladies who had made and served the homemade cakes and refreshments for their hard work (Sue Stanton, Susan Castle and Sarah Hyatt).</li> <li>It was noted that this drop-in style of Annual Parish Meeting is more successful than a short evening meeting has been in the past in engaging residents.</li> </ul>		
7.	District Councillors Annual Report 2017/18:		
	<ul> <li>JA read his report. JA was thanked for all his support and advise during the last year.</li> <li>SC asked for clarification about whether charities, churches etc would be exempt from the</li> </ul>		
	charge for collection of green waste. JA reported that he has spoken with Councillor Gilford (Portfolio Holder for Waste Management) and she will try and secure an exemption. This will have to go through the Strategy Committee and then to Full Council. JA suggests that these organisations will need to pay and hope that the costs can be recovered in the future.		
8.	Any Other Business:		
	The meeting closed at 8.03pm.		
9.	Date of the Next Meeting:		
	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> May 2019 (tbc)		