

Milton Damerel Parish Council Minutes

Of the Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 19th February 2025 held in Milton Damerel Parish Hall commencing at 19:30

Present: Councillors Stephen Moyse Chair, Richard Piper Vice- Chair, Gareth Piper, Jim Richardson, Peter Bromley and Edgar Pett. Also present were Residents Julie and Robert Sage, Adrian Lurie and the Clerk Jane Elliott

1. Apologies were received from: Councillor Teresa Walters.
2. **Declarations of Interest**
 - a) Register of Interest: Councillors are reminded of the need to update their register of interests. *None were declared.*
 - b) To declare any personal interests in items on the agenda and their nature. *None were declared.*
 - c) To declare any disclosable pecuniary interests in items on the agenda and their nature. *None were declared*
3. **Chair's announcements:**

Councillor Moyse welcomed all to the meeting and introduced the new Clerk.

 - 3a) No questions were asked of the Chair
4. **Public Comments**

None.
5. The minutes of the Parish Council meeting 15th January 2025 which had been circulated by email, were unanimously approved as a true record of the meeting, they were duly signed by the Chair Councillor Stephen Moyse.
6. **Reports by Local and District Councillors.**

None were in attendance
7. **Matters Arising**
 - 1) State of roads, no improvement. Recommendation that making multiple reports to Highways will be more likely to get repaired. Clerk asked to add link to report potholes on PC website.
 - 2) Defibs have been installed, L Butterly thanked for this. Will be checked by Clerk each month when agendas are posted. Question about insurance liability, Clerk will check with L Buttery and also ask about Air Ambulance landing pole.
 - 3) Airband, nothing is happening, has been deprioritised, it was agreed that multiple complaints would gain more response.
 - 4) Bus shelter, work has commenced and is looking good, slates to be added, trees behind the shelter removed.

Signed.....

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8. **Planning Applications**

1/0130/2025/AGM. Prior notification for the change of use of agricultural building to 1 no. dwellinghouse and associated building operations under Class Q - Agricultural Building Grid Reference 241074 109814 Gidcott Devon.

Councillors requested an extension to give their views at the next meeting, Clerk to contact TDC

9. **Planning decisions**

Barn at Springfield was passed 1/0901/2024/FUL

Planning Appeals
None were received

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10. Financial Matters

a) It was the unanimous decision of the Councillors to approve cheque for:

i) Clerk's salary for February £311.36

ii) L Buttery Clerk Training £130.00

b) Financial report to date, the spreadsheet of accounts had not been emailed to Councillors before the meeting, the new Clerk had not received enough training to perform this action.

The Councillors acknowledged the receipt of £150 which is Sutcombe Parish Councils share of the advertisement Cost.

The bank balance stands at £6,619.38. The bank reconciliation was supported by the current bank account statement.

11. Correspondence as below and as available at the time of the meeting

All correspondence received by email have been forwarded to Councillors.

12. Matters brought forward with the permission of the Chairman

1) Councillor Pett and Councillor Moyse have agreed to meet regarding the speed sign at the entrance to the village.

2) Councillor Richardson reported that the grit bin is full and that the new power supply to the Hall has been installed.

3) Councillor Gareth Piper asked about the rubbish in the layby at Chapman's Green

The Clerk would ask L Buttery for advice.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 20:17

Signed.....

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