

Milton Damerel Parish Council Minutes

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

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

1. **Apologies** were received from: Councillor Edgar Pett.
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. *Councillor G Piper declared an interest - Mr D Watkins rents ground*
 - c) To declare any disclosable pecuniary interests in items on the agenda and their nature. *None were declared*
3. **Chair's announcements:**
None
4. **Public Comments**
Nice bus shelter, taking the trees down was a good idea
5. **The minutes of the Parish Council meeting 19th February 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. This item to be removed from future agendas. There has been no improvement. Recommendation that making multiple reports to Highways will be more likely to get repaired. A link to report potholes is in the Newsletter, the Clerk has added link to report potholes on PC website.
 - 2) The Council wish to send a letter of thanks for the work to the bus shelter.
 - 3) Annual Open meeting is next month no speaker was invited as few people are likely to attend
8. **Planning Applications**

Ref 1/120/2025/AGMB Date 14 02 2025 No objection
Ref 1/0130/2025/AGMB Date 19 02 2025 No objection as long as near neighbours are not affected
Ref 1/0054/2025/FUL Date 20 02 2025 No objection
Ref 1/0185/2025/FUL Date 17 03 2025 No objection
9. **Planning decisions**
None
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 March £264.55
 - ii) DALC Clerk Essentials 1 Training £36.00 (Not on Agenda)
- b) Financial report to date, the transition to the new bank mandate had met with problems which require further communication from the retired Clerk to change the Bank Mandate to enable the bank statements to be sent to the new Clerk. This was discussed with the councillors and is in hand.

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 Walters flagged up the rubbish dumped in the local laybys at Chapman's Green, Walden Bridge and Venn Green
- 2) Councillor Moyse reported that the projector shared with Sutcombe PC is with Sutcombe PC Chairman Chris Quance
- 3) Councillor Richardson explained the cost of using the projector which is free for the Parish Councils but a charge is made to other groups.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 20:26

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