

OULTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING – 11TH March 2025

MINUTES

At the meeting of the Oulton Parish Council held at the Old Congregational Chapel Oulton on Tuesday 11th March 2025 the following members were present:

Mrs S Mather (chair)

Mr P Killingback, Ms A Shaw

In Attendance

Mrs W Murphy (Clerk of the Council)

1. To receive apologies for absence.

Greg Peck and Andy Nash

2. To receive members' declarations of interest in agenda items and requests for dispensation and the new Chair to sign the Declaration of office

None Received

3. To confirm minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council

The minutes of the Meeting held on 4th February 2025 having previously been circulated to all members were amended and then APPROVED as an accurate record and signed by the Chair.

4. To receive information on matters arising not listed elsewhere on the agenda

The church are looking at applying for a main grant from the National Lottery Heritage fund they will then apply to RWE grant funding if they require and additional monies. The proposed plans are available to view at the church. The parish council supports the initial idea and would be able to offer continued support if a statement is required for the grant process

5. To adjourn the meeting to receive

a. reports from police, district and county

No reports received

b. Members of the public

None present

6. Finance

a. To approve payments

cheque 100669 Garden Guardian £1082.40

cheque 100670 Clerk wages £802.40

cheque 100671 HMRC £200.80

b. Allotment Gate Update

Details were given of the metal gate that is needed at the allotment. P Killingback will get quotes for the cost of this and bring back to the next meeting.

7. To consider planning matters

a. Planning applications received before 11th March 2025 & any updates

None received

b. To receive Offshore wind updates

These were received

8. To receive an update on Septic Tank Scheme

Surveys have been carried out and septic tanks have started to be installed to the residents that have signed up to the scheme.

9. To note items for of information/ future agenda

Allotment Gate

Co-Option

10. To confirm the date of the next Parish Council Meeting

6th May 2025 Annual Parish Council Meeting 7pm

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THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS THE CHAIR THANKED EVERYONE FOR ATTENDING AND DECLARED THE MEETING CLOSED AT 20.35