

ROCKINGHAM PARISH MEETING

An assembly of Rockingham Parish Meeting took in the Village Hall at 7.30pm, on Wednesday 29 January 2025.

Those in attendance were:

Mr I Norman (Chairman)
Miss C Johnson
Ms C Tomlinson

Mr T Burbidge (Clerk)
Mr D Norman

Mr M Kingman
Mr C Rumney

Apologies - These were received from Mr J Martin and Mr J Douglas (King West).

Declarations of Interest – There were none.

5-1 MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 26 November 2024, having been circulated, were taken as read. Mr M Kingman proposed, Ms C Tomlinson seconded, and the meeting agreed that the Chairman sign them.

5-2 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

- 2.1 Highway Matters – Walkabout** – The meeting noted that the water leak by 17 Main Street had been fixed, but that the leak by the Church Walk steps was still running and felt that this was extremely dangerous in freezing weather.

Potholes – It was noted that these were getting worse but were programmed to be repaired by June.

Streetlight – The meeting noted that the light by 15 Main Street had been hit and was leaning at a dangerous angle.

Gretton Road Hedge – It was agreed to contact King West again about the hedge on Gretton Road.

Gretton Road Trees – It was agreed to contact Kier again about the trees on Gretton Road.

Speed Indicator Sign – The meeting was advised that a referee was being sought to support an application for a grant to the Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner.

- 2.2 Bus Shelter** – It was noted that work on the Bus Shelter had been completed and agreed to investigate obtaining a Bus Stop sign as well as a commemorative plaque.

5-3 FINANCE

- 3.1 Payment of Accounts** – It was noted that payments amounting to £28.80, as listed in the attached schedule, required approval. Mr M Kingman proposed, Ms C Johnson seconded, and the meeting agreed the payments. It was noted that the monthly service charge for the bank account was now £6.00.

5-4 CORRESPONDENCE

- 4.1 Town and Parish Forum** – It was noted that this was being held in Kettering on 17 March and to attend if possible.

5-5 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- 5.1 The Cottons – Speed of Traffic** – Concern was raised about the speed of traffic using The Cottons

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5-6 NEXT MEETING

The next parish meeting was arranged to take place at **7.30 pm** on Wednesday 26 March 2025 in the Village Hall.

Note - subsequently rearranged for **Tuesday 25 March 2025**.

There being no further business, the Chairman thanked all for their attendance, and declared the meeting closed at 8.05 pm.

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS – 29/1/2025			
Payee	Date	Method	Amount
Parish Online - subscription	29/1/2025	On-line	£28.80
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