

FRAMPTON COTTERELL PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF A REMOTE MEETING OF THE FINANCE AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE
HELD THURSDAY 11TH MARCH 2021 AT 7.00PM VIA THE ZOOM PLATFORM

Present: Councillors D Williams (Chair), T Clark, P Hockey and T Niblett

Apologies: Councillor L Williams

In Attendance: A Durn (Clerk), K Jeffries (Deputy Clerk/RFO), and three representatives of local community organisations

F&G 19.165 **Apologies for absence**

An apology from Cllr L Williams was received and noted.

F&G 19.166 **To Receive any Declarations of Interest and any requests for Dispensation**

None Received.

F&G 19.167 **To receive the Chair's announcements**

The Chair reported on a meeting he had had with a member of the Frampton Cotterell Playing Field Management Committee to discuss the Council's audit of litter and dog bins within the parish including those at Beesmoor Road Playing Field. It was agreed the Council report would be discussed at the next Frampton Cotterell Playing Field Management Committee meeting and recommendations would be reported back to the Council.

F&G 19.168 **To approve the minutes of the Extra Ordinary Finance and Governance Committee Meeting on 11th February 2021**

RESOLVED: To approve the Extra Ordinary Minutes of 11th February 2021

F&G 19.169 **To receive submissions from the public**

A member of Frampton Cotterell Playing Field Management Committee explained how the play area was well used and how important it was to maintain the area to a high standard ensuring preventative measures were in place. She explained how the impact of the pandemic restrictions had adversely affected income. The Management Committee sought grant funding to facilitate a maintenance contract with Touchwood for 12 months and ensure that the area was adequately insured.

A member of the Cotswold Edge District Scouts explained that fundraising was currently in progress to re-build and update the Mafeking Hall, Coalpit Heath and that a planning application was due to be submitted to the Planning Department at South Gloucestershire Council. A grant application was submitted to the Parish Council for grant funding towards new kit that would be used during the transition out of lockdown for outdoor and indoor activities when allowed.

The Chair thanked the community members for their informative presentations, and they left the meeting.