

Minutes of Meeting of Forthampton Parish Council on Thursday 14 March 2019 at 7.45pm held in the Village Hall, Forthampton.

Present: A Brown, J Holloway, Mrs L Remmer, Mrs J Stuart, M Russell

- 1 Minutes of the meeting held on 14 February were discussed and approved.
- 2 Report on the meeting held in the morning with Fisher German (Tiffany Salmon).
 - 2.1 Broadband – Gigaclear have had a meeting with the Estate and a new route across their land has been agreed and is now in the design stage. Therefore it will be a while before progress is made. It was confirmed the green box will be moved from outside the church. MR is still waiting to finalise the wayleave agreements across his land.
 - 2.2 Neighbourhood Development Planning – The renovations at Downend Farm are complete and it will be put up for sale.
 - 2.3 Tree Liabilities – Fisher German will provide a map indicating Estate land.
 - 2.4 Fisher German have nearly completed their inspections of property and meeting with tenants.
 - 2.5 Green Waste – The Estate was informed that the Council had written to users and most had stopped using this. There are some large branches which need to be removed when the weather improves and hopefully the rest can then rot down. Fisher German are insistent that it should not be used again and AB will contact them telling them they must write to residents about their decision.
- 3 Ditches/Footpaths – Still waiting to hear from GCC about clearing the gullies.
- 4 Local Elections – Will take place on 2 May if sufficient nominations are received.
- 5 AOB
 - 5.1 GCC are offering free first aid courses and the Clerk was asked to find out more details.
 - 5.2 A request for funds was received from the Air Ambulance and it was agreed to donate £100 towards this cause.
 - 5.3 It was agreed to hold the next meeting on 11 April at Skep Cottage due to the temporary closure of the Village Hall

The meeting closed at 8.20pm