

Minutes of Meeting of Forthampton Parish Council on Thursday 11 April 2019 at 7.45pm held at Skep Cottage, Forthampton (due to temporary closure of the village hall)

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

- 1 Minutes of the meeting held on 14 March were discussed and approved.
- 2 Neighbourhood Development Planning – nothing further to report.
- 3 Green Waste – A site meeting is arranged for 24 April to discuss the way forward and following this a report will be made at the AGM. AB has also drafted a letter to Fisher German about its future use.
- 4 Broadband – nothing further to report.
- 5 Ditches/Footpaths – After contact, GCC are going to investigate these.
- 6 Local Elections – Discussion took place on possibility of co-opting two new councillors if insufficient nominees come forward, as AB and JS will not be standing. AB will still prepare the village newsletter and his other duties as Chairman were discussed. A vote of thanks was expressed to Janet Stuart, who will not be standing again due to ill health, for all her hard work and knowledge of the village over the years she had been on the Council.
- 7 Accounts 2018-19 – The Clerk presented the draft accounts which were discussed. They will be passed to JS for auditing.
- 8 AOB
 - 8.1 MR will check with the Village Hall Treasurer on costings for the new entrance to see if the council is able to make a donation.
 - 8.2 A request has been received to see if it is possible for a “layby” to be created for the Post Office van on Tuesdays and Thursdays. AB will make contact to see what is required

The meeting closed at 8.45pm