WARMINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 11TH MAY 2022 AT WARMINGHAM VILLAGE HALL

PRESENT: Councillors James Richardson (Chairman), Jo Price, Simon Moss, Robert Newton and Oliver Rowe

There were no members of the public in attendance.

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

None Received.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT 2021/2022

Councillor Richardson welcome everyone to the meeting and provided a report as follows:

"The Parish Council have had a busy year representing the interests of the Parish of Warmingham during the year we have welcomed Councillor Newton onto the Parish Council. We have continued to consult with Cheshire East Council on highway problems around the village especially the condition of the road surfaces and drainage issues. We will continue to monitor problems and report them, as necessary. We are also looking at ways we can reduce the number of HGV's travelling through the village.

We have continued to monitor the speed and the amount of Traffic travelling through the village. This has been aided by our speed indicating devices and the community speed watch volunteers and our local PCSO who deter speeding traffic in the village.

We continue to monitor the number of ANSA lorries that travel through the village as they are causing tremendous damage to the roads. During the year, the Parish Council have met with ANSA to try and reduce the HGV movements travelling through the village. We will continue to monitor the situation going forward.

Hs2 Crewe-Manchester hybrid bill has been lodged with Parliament and the Parish Council is in contact with them and will lobby to try to minimise the impact on the village during the construction phase.

We have continued to discuss and comment on planning proposals that affect the village and we will continue to do so in the future.

The development of a neighbourhood plan for the village has had to be put on hold due to Covid. We hope to restart it shortly and we will keep the village informed about its progress. This year is the Queens Palatinum Jubilee, and the Parish Council is holding an event for the village to commemorate it. This will take place on the evening of the 2nd of June with the lighting of a beacon and a fireworks display. Thanks to Councillor Price and councillor Newton for helping to organise the event.

The Parish Council have again given a donation to St, Leonards Church for the maintenance and lighting of the Church Memorial Clock.

I would like to thank Gaynor our Parish Clerk for her continued work and support for the Parish Council also my fellow councillors for their support during the last year. I would especially like to welcome Councillor Newton to the Parish Council and the work he has done in painting the finger post signs in the village. Also, to Councillor Rowe and his wife Debs and other volunteers for maintaining the flower planters in the village.

I would also like to thank Councillor Wray our local Cheshire East Councillor for attending our meetings, your support is much appreciated.

Finally, thanks to David Crawford who continues to do a great job as lengths man keeping the village tidy with his litter picking duties."

3. QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC:

There were no questions from the public.

The meeting closed at 7.40 pm.