# Germansweek Parish Council

Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of Germansweek Parish Council (242)

Held from 7:30pm on Wednesday 18th September 2024 in the Village Hall

Present: Cllrs A Morris, J Jones, S Watkinson, L Moyse, Clerk: R Ward

Public Open Session: To receive comments and questions from members of the public (restricted to 15 mins) No Members of the public

1. Apologies: To receive and consider apologies from Cllr Milgate and WDBCllrs Mott and Southcott.
2. Report from West Devon: (Councillors Mott/Southcott) Emailed round
3. Declaration of interests: Councillors to advise of any interests in agenda item/s and to remind councillors to keep their register of interests up to date with WDBC and the Clerk. ***None***
4. Minutes: To agree and sign minutes 17th July 2024 (241) ***Agreed***
5. Planning:
   1. Planning applications ***None***
   2. Other planning issues - non decision making: ***None***
6. Finance:
   1. Bank reconciliation, Budget monitoring (RFO Report): ***Agreed***
   2. To consider the precept request 25/26 Draft was handed round for consideration prior to next meeting
   3. To note the following payments:

Clerk’s wages (July and August) £504.64 ***Noted***

The clerk stated that the agreed sum for ODTG had not been budgeted for - it was ***agreed*** to donate £50 to be noted next time.

1. Roads and Ditches: update Cllr Jones will check this month and will strim were required (her areas)
2. Hi speed broadband: (Cllr Watkinson)
3. Flower Show: (Cllr Morris)Cllr Watkinson has emailed but has not had a eesponce – he will try again.
4. Floral enhancement: (Clerk) Clerk will provide 30 bulbs to each councillor to plant in their local banks
5. Christmas Tree event: the first meeting of the work to finish party will take place on 1st October – usual format agreed in principal. Date will be 30th November as the first Saturday in Dec was considered too late in the month to be putting the lights on for the first time.
6. Defibrillator; (Clerk) this is now insured under the PC cover – free for this year.
7. Footpaths P3: (– update ) Cllr Millgate absent
8. Correspondence: None
9. Items for future agenda: Christmas tree and payments to TEEC and ODTG
10. Date of next meeting: 16th October 2024 at 7:30 in the Village Hall