Salford Parish Council

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Minutes of the Meeting of Salford Parish Council held at Salford Village Hall on Tuesday, 11th February 2025, at 6.30pm at Salford Village Hall

Present:

Parish Councillors: Hilary McGlynn, Oliver Colston, Darren Lake, Rachel Caldin, Steve McBride

County Councillors:

District Councillors: Alex Wilson

Parish Clerk: Katie Mildenhall

1. To note apologies for absence Geoff Saul, Andrew Beaney

2. To receive Declarations of Interest - None

3. To approve the minutes of the last meeting held on Tuesday, 14th January 2025 – Approved & Signed

4. To note the matters arising from the last meeting - .

  (a) Flashing 50mph Sign on A44 – Awaiting update from Cllr Saul

(b) Village Defibrillator update – The Clerk was awaiting quotes for a plaque Cllr McGlynn would approve wording for training

(c) Parish Council Website – The Clerk had updated the website

5. To discuss Highways issues and decide next steps further to response received -

(i) Golden Lane

(ii) Village Drainage

(iii) A44 Footpath

(iv) A44 White Lines

An update from Cllr Saul wasn’t available for this meeting therefore it was agreed that the clerk would look into the process of making a formal complaint to Oxfordshire County Council.

A parishioner had requested under the FOI Act the cost information of the recent Highways work at golden lane which was £8583.15

6. To discuss the maintenance of the North end of St Mary’s Churchyard – It was agreed that the Parish Council would arrange an end of season cut with Thomas Fox at a cost of £268.00. The clerk would advertise for volunteers for a “Spring Spruce” of the Churchyard.

7. To discuss the draft plan for walking and cycling in Chipping Norton. – It was felt that having mixed use cycle/footpaths to the village could be problematic however it was unclear IF or WHEN the footpath would be changed.

8. To discuss priorities when it comes to the services of the police – It was decided that Speeding and Burglaries should be prioritised in the village by TVP

9. To note the current state of the playground – Moss on the surrounding soft landings Seesaw and Bike would require a good scrub.

10. Finance

(a) To approve the following payments:

(i) Clerk’s Salary February Approved

(b) To discuss donations – Carry over to March with a full budget

11. To discuss any other business.

12. To note the date of the next meeting: - 11th March 2025