

15. FIELDS IN TRUST MEMBERSHIP

(See Minutes MM 03/2012 Item 20) The Recreation Committee had considered the benefits of membership and recommended that the Council should not take it up. Cllr Tindall proposed and Cllr G Wilson seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

16. BUS QUESTIONNAIRE

Cllr Lyon presented the results of the bus questionnaire (see Minutes MM 02/2012 Item 3a), which are attached to these minutes as Appendix 1. A further meeting will be held with the interested parties in May once the action points have been investigated. Cllr Parr wished to thank Cllr Lyon for his hard work in collating the replies and presenting the results.

17. INTERNAL AUDIT BRIEF 2011/12

Cllr G Wilson proposed and Cllr Tindall seconded that the Internal Audit Brief as circulated to all members should be approved. Motion carried unanimously.

18. HADDENHAM INCLOSURE AWARD

Cllr G Wilson proposed and Cllr Bush seconded that permission should be given to Jez Reeve to borrow the Haddenham Award Map and Directory Deed, which are lodged with Hall Ennion & Young, to carry out historical research. The Clerk will draw up a receipt to be signed on collection and return of the documents. She will also enquire if Jez is able to have them photocopied so that the copies could be kept at Haddenham Library.

19. ANNUAL WALKABOUTS

The Clerk will sort out two dates in June to hold the Haddenham & Aldreth Walkabouts and then advise all councillors.

20. REDUNDANT TELEPHONE BOX IN HILLROW

(See Minutes MM 03/2012 Item 27) Cllr Fairchild advised that once the telephonic equipment has been disconnected and the contract papers received back the Council can then decide how to proceed. The Clerk was also asked to ascertain if the electricity supply has been disconnected from the box in Cherry Orchard. (See Minutes MM 03/2012 Item 3d)

21. MATTERS TO REPORT

The flashing speed signs in West End and outside No 52 Station Road are faulty and the Clerk will report them to the County Council.

Cllr Tindall advised that all relevant properties in Lode Way had received a letter from the County Council regarding overhanging vegetation in Nelson's Lane. (See Minutes Mm 03/2012 Item 8)

Cllr P Wilson advised that she is no longer able to act as the Parish Council representative on the Neighbourhood Panel and a new representative will be elected at the next meeting in May. Cllr Goddard will try to attend the next Panel meeting in her place.

Cllr Wilson also reported that the Shape Your Place website is now up and running for the East Cambs District.

Cllr Norman queried if the new groundsman will be charging travelling time on his invoices.

The Clerk asked all Chairmen of Groups to submit their reports for the Annual Parish Meeting by 16th April.

The Clerk also reminded all councillors that the next meeting would be the Annual Meeting and nominations for Chairman and Vice Chairman would be required at that meeting.

Cllr Parr advised that sadly the owner of 53 High Street had now removed all of the pots from the front of her property. (See Minutes MM 02/2012 Item 23)

