

MORETON VALENCE PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD ON 18th MAY 2017

PRESENT

Messrs Cllrs Roger Dickenson (Chairman), Wayne Weaver, John Dickinson, Mrs Maz Smith, Mrs Anne Rigelsford (Parish Clerk) and 2 members of the public.

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Parish Councillor Lyn Bushell, County Councillor Stephen Davies, District Councillor Dave Mossman.

PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Councillor Roger Dickenson welcomed everyone and thanked them for attending. He thanked the Clerk and Councillors for their hard work and support over the year.

The Chairman gave his report outlining the year's activities. The Council continued to actively work with the Safer Road Partnership and Gloucester County Council Highways Department towards making the A38 safer for all road users. The slow broadband speed being experienced within the parish was still a concern and the Council continue to make representations to officials and monitor developments. The Council was now looking into website provision and it was hoped to have a new website online in the near future. The Parish Council had also opted out of the County Council verge cutting scheme and had setup a contract with a local provider who would carry out cuts twice yearly to the parish's lanes. The main road would still have one cut by Gloucestershire Highways Dept. A donation had been made to St Stephens PCC towards the upkeep of the Church. The Precept for 2017/18 had been set at £5000 in order to incorporate website costs.

PARISH COUNCIL FINANCIAL REPORT

The Clerk circulated and explained the draft summary of the Council's financial activities over the past financial year.

QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

There were no questions or comments from the public.

There being no other questions or business the meeting closed.