



MARHOLM PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 27TH JUNE 2024
IN THE VILLAGE HALL
COMMENCED AT 19:00 AND FINISHED AT 19:50

Present: Sue Welch (Chair & Councillor) June Ward (Vice Chair & Councillor)
Peter Bone (Councillor) Michelle Plant (Councillor)
Priya Karthikeyan (Councillor & Honorary Clerk)

4 Residents from the village attended

1. Minutes of the last meeting

The minutes for the last parish council meeting held on the 16th of May 2024 were agreed upon and signed by the chair as a true record of the meeting.

2. Apologies for absence

There were no apologies for absence

3. Outstanding Actions from last meeting

- a. **Walton Road Sign** - Yet to be finished, will be done by highways this financial year.
- b. **Village Sign Repair** - Has been reviewed and agreed to make the necessary repair

Action:

- A couple of quotes had been obtained to replace the plinth and the council has agreed to go with the builder Rubin Silva, work to be carried out soon - **SW**
- New post to be provided by Milton Estate – **PB**
- Sign will be painted and varnished – **PB, PK**

- c. **Second Swap Library-** requires film on the glass

Action:

Adhering the film to the glass has proved to be tricky, following the suggestions made at the meeting, Peter Bone to have a go at it again –

PB

- d. **Hedge on Woodcroft Road** – Has been cut back but still a problem, the hedge further down Woodcroft Road was also discussed as overgrown and covering the road signs

Action:

To write to Milton Estate regarding the issue – **PK**

- e. **Bus route** - Regarding the number of villagers who would like to use the bus service, it was discussed and agreed to conduct a survey.

Action:

A survey will be conducted shortly in the form of a questionnaire which will be sent to all the residents in paper form – **MP**

4. National Lottery Funds

Was discussed and agreed to apply for funds for two more traffic signs

Action:

Filling out the form – **SW** and second proposal – **MP**

5. Castor Next Door App

Discussed and decided not to join the app

6. Discussion regarding what goes on the village green next to the benches:

The views and suggestions were deliberated and finally decided not to add anything more to the green, to keep it clutter-free.

7. Mode of communication between councillors:

Was discussed and agreed that both email and WhatsApp group will be used. Councillors also agreed to maintain privacy regarding matters discussed in both forums.

8. MPC Finance

The financial statement up to 27th June 2024

Balance brought forward	£6700.53
Precept	£725.00
Bank payment	£50.00
Bank Interest	£0.00
Receipts Total	£775.00
Expenditure	(£441.03)
Balance carried forward	£7034.50

9. Planning Application

None

10. Litter Pick

Next Litter pick will be on the 3rd of August, 10am at the village hall

11. AOB

It was brought to attention that a wooden railing on the bridge near Belsize Wood is broken

Action:

Needs reporting to Peterborough City Council - **PK**

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The next Marholm Parish Council meeting will be on the 12th of September 2024 at 19:00
in the village hall.

If any Marholm resident has something they would like to raise with the Parish Council, please email: clerk@marholmparishcouncil.gov.uk