

MARHOLM PARISH COUNCIL MEETING



MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 10TH JULY 2025 IN THE VILLAGE HALL COMMENCED AT 7.15PM AND FINISHED AT 8.00PM

Present:

Sue Welch (Chair & Councillor)
Priya Karthikeyan (Councillor)
Yvonne Scarrott (Parish Clerk)

Michelle Plant (Vice Chair & Councillor)
Peter Bone (Councillor)

Apologies:

Mike Atkinson (Councillor)

4 residents from the village attended.

1. Minutes of the last meeting

The minutes for the Annual Parish Council Meeting & Annual Village Meeting held on 15th May 2025 were agreed and signed as true record of the meetings.

2. Outstanding items

- **New Bin Woodcroft Road** – waiting for an update from Neil Boyce.
- **Bus Service in Marholm** - MP said that his was currently on hold to keep MPC updated.
- **Ivy on Bus Shelter** – SW said that she had removed the Ivy on the road side.
- **Village Welcome Leaflets** – Distributed and a great success, MPC asked that they kept advised of any new neighbours.

3. MPC Finances

- The Financial Statement at 30th June 2025:

Balance brought forward	£7,304.52	
	Income	Expense
VAT return from Skip	£ 58.00	
Returned by Sue Welch	£ 10.00	
MVHT		£ 96.00
Skip		£ 348.00
Bank Charges May		£ 4.25
Bank Charges June		£ 4.25
Cloud Next		£ 119.98
*Omaze Error	£ 10.00	£ 10.00
Total	£ 68.00	£ 751.51
Balance reconciled	£ 2,135.52	

*Sue Welch requested that it was noted that the £10 Omaze payment was debited from the MPC bank account in error which she immediately repaid.

4. Drug dealing at the Church

It was agreed that local police are to be invited to the next MPC meeting. **MP**

5. Church Cattle Grid

MP said that she had spoken to Jarvis who said that it was a big job and that he could not see Milton Estate agreeing to carry out the work, it was suggested that volunteers are asked to clear the overgrowth. PB said that he could apply some strong weed killer that was animal safe.

6. Village Gate Cleaning

It was agreed that this could be done the same day as the next litter pick.

7. Planning Applications

None. MP mentioned that the plans for the A47 have been cancelled which could be good deterrent for the proposed housing development.

For updates on Marholm Planning Applications click [here](#).

8. Village Litter Pick

It was agreed 2nd August from 10am.

9. Speed Watch

SW said that the consultation for further houses in Helpston and Bainton is likely to be approved and that we should request chicanes as there would be an increase in traffic through Marholm.

10. AOB

- SW said that she has received a complaint regarding noise from an event at the Village Hall
- SW said one of the villagers complained about No 2 Stamford Road not being kept tidy.
- SW said that a letter needs to be written to Milton Estate Land Management requesting that the Garden Hedge is cut back on 1 & 2 Stamford Road.
- MP said that Neighbourhood Watch Community meeting is being held at the Bull Hotel on 17th July from 1200-1400.

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Next Annual Parish Council meeting and Annual Village Meeting will be on 11th September at 7pm in the village hall.

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