### **ANSTON PARISH COUNCIL**

# MINUTES OF ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD AT THE PARISH HALL, 15A RYTON ROAD, NORTH ANSTON ON TUESDAY 30<sup>th</sup> MAY 2023

**Present:** Councillors Shaun Concannon (Chairman of Anston Parish Council), four electors.

In Attendance: Andrew Woodhead (Clerk to Anston Parish Council).

### 1.23 WELCOME BY THE CHAIRMAN OF ANSTON PARISH COUNCIL

The Chairman of Anston Parish Council, Cllr Shaun Concannon, welcomed those present to the meeting.

#### 2.23 APOLOGIES

None.

### 3.23 MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD ON 24<sup>th</sup> MAY 2022

The minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held in 2022 were approved as an accurate record and signed by the Chairman of the Meeting.

### 4.23 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

None.

## 5.23 REPORT FROM THE CHAIRMAN ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL OVER THE PAST YEAR

The Chairman reported on the activities of the Parish Council over the past year. He started by thanking Diane Graham for her four years of Chairmanship of the Council over a particularly difficult time, with covid and a series of very difficult issues all of which she delt with where others would have walked away. Diane and Marie Wilkinson were also thanked for their work and perseverance on the new play equipment project, the equipment is much used and appreciated by the village and without them it would not have happened. It was stated that we are now in a better position to move forward, and it was sincerely hoped that progress can now be made.

#### 6.23 MATTERS RAISED BY PARISHIONERS

i)-Changes to the car parking arrangements between Tesco and the Public house were raised, the changes had been made without seeking planning approval and were the cause of several near misses and some actual traffic accidents.

- ii)-The Bonfire night was a good community event raising money for charities, it was asked that the fair ground and burger van be charged for attending and this money be given to Charity as this year they made no cash contribution.
- iii)-Would the Council please ensure that lamppost poppies are ordered and fitted for November 2023
- iv)-A request was made for picnic type tables at Whitegates and a request for Borough Council funding for some benches in the village.

Andrew Woodhead
Clerk to Anston Parish Council
31st May 2023