Minutes of the Annual Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 15th May 2023 at 6.45pm in the Village Hall, Lingwood Lane, Woodborough, Nottingham

PRESENT: Cllr Andrew Gough (Chairman), Cllr Liz Anderson, Cllr Richard Pannell, Cllr Colin Starke, Cllr Charles Wardle, Cllr Adam Wylie

4758. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN FOR 2023/24

Cllr Gough was elected Chairman unanimously (proposed Cllr Pannell, seconded Cllr Starke).

4759. DECLARATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE

All members signed the declaration. Cllr Gough signed the declaration to accept the chair.

4760. ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITIES FOR 2023/24

	Member(s) responsible
Chair	Andrew Gough
Vice chair	Colin Starke
Finance	Andrew Gough, Colin Starke
Village Hall	Vacant
VHWP	Richard Pannell, Colin Starke, Charles Wardle
Planning	Richard Pannell, all
Cemetery	Andrew Gough
Rights of Way	Richard Pannell
Allotments	Vacant
Sports clubs & playing field	Vacant
Institute liaison	Vacant
Governors' Field inc play equipment	Colin Starke, Adam Wylie
Sam Middup Field	Liz Anderson
Maintenance inc Lengthsman	Charles Wardle
Gardenscape liaison	Andrew Gough
Flood scheme/EA liaison	Vacant
Emergency planning team liaison	Vacant
Health & safety	Colin Starke, Liz Anderson

4761. BANK SIGNATORIES

It was agreed that Cllrs Gough, Starke and Wardle should act as signatories.

4762. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies were received and accepted from the Clerk (unwell), NCC Cllr Boyd Elliott, GBC Cllr Helen Greensmith.

4763. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No additional interests were declared.

4764. VACANCIES

Following the election there were 5 vacancies to be filled by co-option.

4765. REVIEW OF STANDING ORDERS

It was noted that WPC's standing orders reflected NALC's latest template (April 2022) and it was agreed that no changes were required.

4766. GOVERNORS' FIELD

Cllr Starke reported that he was preparing an application for LCF funding for additional safe surfacing.

4767. PLAYING FIELD

It was noted that the football pitch/cricket outfield was in a poor state following prolonged wet weather. An ad hoc booking had been accepted and two matches had been played on a particularly wet day, with the pavilion also left in a mess by the ad hoc hirers. It was agreed that future requests for ad hoc bookings should be carefully considered. It was agreed that Woodborough Cricket Club's grounds equipment must be removed from the shed to free up space for the equipment of current users.

4768. SAM MIDDUP FIELD

Correspondence from a resident regarding the boundary was noted and it was agreed to consider at the next meeting.

4769. ITEMS FOR THE NEXT AGENDA

It was agreed to consider plans for the Sam Middup Field.

4770. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

The date of the next PC meeting was confirmed as 5th June 2023 at 6.45pm.

The meeting finished at 7.31pm.