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**Minutes of the Parish council meeting dated 24 April 2019**  
**Present: Councillors; Mrs L Moule (chair); Mr B Findlater; Mr R Findlater; Mr A Brown;**  
**Mr C Bierer; Mr R Cowley; Mr C Bartlett; Mr S Davies; Mr J Jones**

**Register of General Public attending meeting: None**

**010419 Public Question Time**  
None

**020419 Apologies**  
None

**030419 Declarations of Interest:**  
Register of Interests: Councillors are reminded of the need to update their register of interests. To declare any personal interests in items on the agenda and their nature. To declare any pecuniary interests in items on the agenda and their nature. (Councillors with pecuniary interests must leave the room for the relevant items.)  
Cllr R Findlater declared an interest in one item on correspondence (Litter Picking)

**040419 Minutes from the Parish Council Meeting held on 27 March 2019**  
Approved Cllr R Cowley; seconded C Bartlett

**050419 Council Governance, roles & co-opting**  
Responsibilities for Councillors to be updated  
**ACTION: Cllr R Cowley**

**060419 Correspondence Received**  
Contact from concerned parishioner regarding exposed power lines in Upper Framilode.  
**ACTION: Clerk to contact Western Power**  
Local parishioner contacted FWSPC re replacing roof on local garage as contains asbestos. Advised to contact SDC Planning direct for advice.  
Parishioner asked about organising litter picking in area. Council confirmed they were happy with this. Parishioner advised to contact Carol Novak for pickers etc.  
**ACTION: Clerk**  
Email from parishioner regarding the paragliders that were above parish on a weekend.  
**ACTION: Clerk to send parishioner the ACA contact number.**  
Ongoing - Arlingham Road and danger to pedestrians. Resident has sent email to Highways. Await response.

**070419 Finance**  
All cheques/payments approved by Cllr A Brown; seconded by Cllr C Bierer

Payee	For	Amount
G Delbos	Clerk	£ 340.01 SO
G Delbos	Expenses Ink Cartridges – allotment letters (1 x double Black, 1 x Colour and Black) Stamps – allotment letters (31 x second class) Virus Software	£29.00 £32.00 £17.98 £14.99 <b>TOTAL</b> <b>£ 93.97</b>
Birketts	Invoice: 594914 Advice	£ 2407.20
Birketts	Invoice: 592809 Advice	£ 3000.00

**Cheques written out between meetings: None**



- 080419 Annual Audit**  
Documents now with Auditors.  
**ACTION: Cllr R Cowley/ Clerk**
- 090419 District / County Councillor's News**  
**CC S Davies** – responsibility for highways is to change from Avey to Ringway. Some things will be placed back in house which will be quicker and more economical.  
Dan Tiffney to look at layby by Fretherne Bridge and where possible bank restoration will be carried out.  
During Severn Voice meeting speeding and variable speed signs were discussed. Dan Tiffney and Cllr Davies to use consider using some highway money for a single moveable speeding unit.  
Speak to NHW Carol re Yellow Lines enforcement.  
Cllr Davies to supply contact number for Enforcement Office.
- DC J Jones** - The Neighbourhood Warden Service now up to strength. 7 Wardens now in operation, with one as Senior Warden. One Warden will have responsibility for the Careline Service, (Emergency button for vulnerable people) The NHW for this area remains unchanged, Carol Novoth.  
The Council meeting on 25th April will consider the approval of the purchase of the former Salvation Army hostel in Stroud for conversion into accommodation for homeless people and families. The approval to use £500.000 for the purchase and conversion of this building. The setting up of an "in house" organisation for repairs to Council-owned property, instead of using external Contractors. The approval of the appointment of Patrick Arran as Interim Monitoring Officer until the end of September 2019. Two motions presented, one on Modern Slavery, and one on the right of Asylum Seekers to look for work.
- 100419 Planning Applications:**  
Application Number: S.19/0775/HHOLD  
Location: Frome House, Framilode, Gloucester, Gloucestershire.  
Application Type: Householder Application  
Description: Relocation of existing access (375091- 210029)  
Respond by date: 3 May 2019
- No objection from Council on the above.**
- 110419 Police report and neighbourhood watch**  
Invite Neighbourhood warden to next meeting.
- 120419 Stroud Water Canal**  
Awaiting Date and then follow up report..  
**ACTION: Cllr C Bierer**
- 130419 Gloucester & Sharpness Canal Bridges**  
None
- 140419 Website Maintenance**  
None
- 150419 Emergency Plan**  
Cllr Bierer to set up sub group with Cllrs Brown and Cowley.  
**ACTION: Cllr Bierer; Brown; Cowley**
- 160419 Memorial Hall, Playing Fields and Playground**  
CCTV on Memorial Hall  
**ACTION: Cllr C Bierer; A Brown**
- 170419 Village Matters / Improvements**  
Fencing at Canal / Upper Framilode Pound and Saul Pound.  
**ACTION: Cllr Bierer to monitor.**  
Stile off Church Lane has been vandalised (part has been sawn off). Report to PROW at SDC.  
**ACTION: Clerk**  
Telephone Box in Saul needs repainting. Cllr A Brown obtain quote from local painter.  
**ACTION: Cllr A Brown**



- 180419**      **Verge Cutting**  
Photographs of bad verges taken. Email Longney & Epney again. Contact Cllr S Davies with details of where verges have not been repaired.  
**ACTION: Cllr R Cowley; Clerk**
- 190419**      **Parking on Roads next to Canal – all areas**  
Dan Tiffney to look at layby by Fretherne Bridge and where possible bank restoration will be carried out.  
**ACTION: CC S Davies**
- 200419**      **Parish Churches**  
On track for seeding. Cllr Bierer to contact Diocese re consecration.  
**ACTION: Cllr C Bierer**
- 210419**      **Date of next meeting – 17 May 2019**

**There being no other business, the meeting closed at 8.25 pm.....Chair**

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