



Weldon Parish Council

Minutes of Finance Committee Meeting held on Wednesday 18th October 2023

Present	Janet Gibson, Angela Page and Kane Taylor (Chair)
Also Present	Sue Cook (Clerk)

Cllr Taylor carried out the Internal Control on payments made after the October Full Council meeting, there were no anomalies and signed the Bank Statement.

FC.386 There were no **Apologies**

FC.387 **Cllr Gibson declared an interest in item FC.393**

FC.388 The **minutes of the meeting held on 27th September** were approved

FC.389 **Clerk Report** – There is currently £209527.32 across the 2 Unity Accounts, we have received a VAT refund of £280.07. The Grass Cutting Grant application for £1978.70 has been submitted. Payments so far to be approved at the November meeting are:

Sue Cook	Oct Salary + Expenses	£1,072.57
HMRC	PAYE	£297.15
Colin Shepard	Compost & Pansies Purchase	£38.94
Weldon VH	Room Hire	£31.00
Tata Steel	Allotment Rent	£122.00
Broxap	10 Bollards	£1,026.00

FC.390 There are 2 **Grant Applications** to consider: Weldon Village Hall Management Committee have requested £1991 towards the cost of refurbishing the Gents Toilets and Corby CAN for £500 towards the cost of their Carol Service.

FC.391 It was approved at the last FC meeting that the Parish Council should take over the contract for the **Youth Worker** by Undertaking the Protection of Employment Regulations 2006 (TUPE).

FC.392 The **Budget/Precept for 2024/25** was discussed as it is hoped to hold this at £115,000 again with any additional payments to come from reserves.

FC.393 It was resolved not to make any changes to the **Allotment Tenancy Agreement or Rent** for the coming year. Although some tenants will not have their tenancy renewed due to not maintaining their plots.

FC.394 It was resolved to purchase a **Pull up Banner** from Pumpkin Print to be used at RBL Launch of the Poppy Appeal.

FC.395 Cllr Dowsett and the Clerk have applied for funding to purchase a **Vehicle Activated Sign** for Church Street.

FC.396 **Future Agenda Items**

a) To consider leasing the Community Hub from U&C, all dependent on cost.

FC.3597 **Date of the next Financial Committee meeting** Wednesday 22nd November at 10:00 at the U&C Community Hub

This being all the business the meeting was closed at 11:00

Signature	Date
	22nd November 2023

