Minutes of the Allington Parish Council Meeting on June 29th 2010 Held at the Boscombe and District Social Club

Present were – Cllr Brunton, Cllr Pete Smith, Cllr Matt Smith, Cllr Barnes, Cllr Turner, Mrs J Tier (Parish Clerk)
Unitary Cllr Mr J Smale
4 members of the public

Public Question Time

Bill Wasling thanked the Parish Council for co-ordinating and directing the Probation Service team in various gardening / tidying duties around the Village. Cllr Brunton advised he had worked with the Probation team in this matter and had been present at their last visit. Various tasks undertaken by the team; Chalk Pit, Church and 'Boscombe pit'. Cllr Brunton received compliments from the Parishioners regarding the Church in that it had never looked better. Cllr Brunton advised the Service may be used again in September for work at the 'Ford'.

Bill asked which Cllr was the Flood Warden and Cllr Turner confirmed it was him. Cllr Brunton advised a consultation document had been received by the Parish Council from Wiltshire Council regarding flooding. Cllr Turner advised he had filled this in and returned it to W.C.

A discussion then ensued as to other areas that the Probation Service may be able to assist with in the Village. Cllr Brunton advised the Probation team are not allowed to work near roads due to Health and Safety issues.

1 To receive apologies

Richard Noon

2 Declarations of Interest

None

3 Minutes

A copy of the minutes for the last meeting held on 18th May 2010 were submitted and proposed as a true record by Cllr Pete Smith, Cllr Matt Smith seconded. All in favour.

4 Matters Arising

Flood letter (already discussed).

Cllr Brunton advised Mark Jones (gardening contractor) had removed the breeze blocks from the Play park and tidied the surrounding area.

The Clerk confirmed the Compactor will be at the Boscombe and Allington Social Club on September 11th at 7.30pm (moving onto the 'Ford') and will leave at approx. 11.00am.

5 Co-option of new Parish Councillor

Cllr Brunton advised Mr John Hill had been interviewed for the vacancy on the Parish Council and was pleased to announce he was joining the Parish Council. Cllr Brunton proposed the Co-option and Cllr Matt Smith seconded the proposal. All in favour.

Cllr Brunton advised Cllr Hill will be responsible for the Play area and advised the Parish Plan had discussed the possibility of a 'Youth Warden'.

Report from Unitary Cllr and details of 10th June (informal) Meeting of Amesbury Area Board with Parish Council Representatives. Report from BVAPC

Cllr Smale apdated the meeting on Wiltshire Council's Community Plan objectives. Only 7 (out of the 22) Parish Council's have produced a Parish Plan. The overall strategy is for each individual Parish to have a democratic input their Parish Plan which will be amalgamated into an overall Community plan (covering all 22 Parishes). Cllr Smale advised Andy Williams is Chair of the Community plan working group. The information that is derived from the Community plan will feed back to Andy Williams and the working group. The major top two points/issues from the plans will (e.g roads, anti-social behaviour etc) feed back to the Area Boards. Cllr Smale advised W.C would like to emulate the BVAPC as it is a good role model for how Community Area Partnerships should work. Cllr Smale personally thanked Cllr Brunton for all of his work on the BVAPC. Cllr Brunton updated Cllr Barnes on recent changes at W.C (SCAP finished etc) but CAP (Community Area Partnerships) will continue.

7 **Planning Application S/2010/827/FULL** – Full Planning the erection of a two storey side extension – 16 Bourne View Allington Salisbury.

The Cllr's discussed this application. No objections – Proposed Cllr Turner, Seconded Cllr Matt Smith. All in favour

8 Review current Standing Orders

The Cllr's reviewed the Standing Orders and agreed the following changes (please See attached Appendix A)

9 Correspondence received

The Clerk passed around the Correspondence folder for the Cllr's to read. Cllr Brunton advised there may be a possibility of cancelling the current fortnightly Waste Collections (in North Wiltshire). This is being looked into and will be discussed at the next Amesbury Area Board meeting.

Cllr Turner gave the Clerk a cheque from Community First for the Steering Group. This is to be kept in the Parish Council's bank account and issued to the Steering Group as and when requested.

10 Monthly Financial Report and Cheque Signing.

The Clerk produced a spreadsheet detailing the Parish finances and the following cheques were signed; J.Tier £159.92, M.Hewitt £440.00, (S/O Jones £288.85, Grass cutting June) Cllr Brunton proposed acceptance of the monthly financial report and Cheques and this was seconded by Cllr Pete Smith.

11 Agree Date of next meeting

The date of the next meeting is 3rd August

12 **AOB**

The Parish Council discussed the proposed cycle routes and this will be discussed further at the Amesbury Area Board Meeting on 1st July.

Cllr Barnes asked if the Allington Cycle track could be started in Allington but Cllr Smale advised the potential cost of a section of Cycle routes is £300k.

The Council then discussed the de-trunking of A338 which has been approved and is currently with Dick Tong at County and will be passed on for Government approval. Cllr Brunton produced a quote for cleaning the Perspex bus shelter (£270.00) which the Parish Council discussed. (this had been agreed at a previous meeting). The Parish

Council agreed to go ahead with this.

Cllr Brunton discussed the possibility of knocking down the green brick bus shelter (outside of the Church) and replacing it with a wooden shelter. There is a possibility of a potential grant from W.C and Cllr Brunton will look into this.

Cllr Brunton advised the Church may become a visitors site due to the Monumental windows and paintings.

Cllr Turner has tried to obtain a date from W.C (Julian Haynes) for the repair of the Cemetery wall but as yet has not managed to find out a starting date. (Cllr Turner to pursue the matter).

The Parish Council discussed the issue of building equipment (sand, bricks, etc) outside of Bishops Reach and Cllr Turner will visit the site to ascertain the lead-time for finishing the work.

The meeting closed at 8.45pm