

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF DUTTON PARISH COUNCIL
Held at Dutton Hall on Wednesday 27th November 2024

Present: Councillors E Parker (Madame Chairman), J Hargreaves, A H Penny, P McGovern Clerk Mrs C Penny. Cty Cllr R Swarbrick was unable to attend

2411.1. Apologies for Absence. Cllr A Dugdale and Cllr J Myers. Cllr T Myers has resigned

2411.2. The minutes of meeting held on 30th October 2024. Were confirmed by the meeting and signed by the chairman

2411.3. To consider Matters arising from the Minutes

- **2409.7.a Ribchester Bridge.** The email from Cty Cllr Rupert Swarbrick had been circulated to councillors, in it he stated LCC are concerned and will look at it further in New Year. Pedestrians cause for greatest concern. Cty Cllr Swarbrick to be invited to the meeting in Jan

2411.4. Planning Applications

No New Applications

2411.5. Reports from other organisations

No meetings had been attended.

Cllr Parker reported that Knowle Green Hall has been busy with events and the new toilets are now operational.

2411.6. Finance

- a) **Budget & Precept.** The budget for 2025 will be in line with 2024, although it is hoped that the knotweed has been dealt with. In case spraying is still needed to precept asked for is to be as current year - £1,000.

2411.7 Correspondence

- a) email from Cty Cllr Swarbrick re Ribchester Bridge. See **2411.3** To be followed up in New Year.

2411.8. To consider any other matters brought to the meeting

- a) Still need photos from J Myers for website.
- b) Following Tom Myers stepping down from the Parish Council there is a vacancy.

2411.9. Date & Time of the next Meeting was arranged for Tuesday 7th January 2025. The date for the February meeting was also arranged for **Wednesday 5th February.** Meetings to be at **7.00pm at Dutton Hall, Gallows Lane.**