



MINUTES OF FULL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday 10th March 2026, Dordon Village Hall.

Present: Cllr Mr B. Melia (Chair), Cllr Mr S. Ridley, Cllr D Ridley, Cllr J Winter, Cllr D Gorringe, Cllr K Guild & Cllr M Wood

Locum Clerk: Heather Albrighton

815 Apologies – No apologies given from WCC Cllr Harris

Apologies received before the meeting from Cllr A Archer, Cllr D Watts.

816 Public Participation. To adjourn to allow public participation for 15 minutes. Residents are invited to give their views and question the Parish Council on issues on this agenda or raise issues for future consideration at the discretion of the Chairman. *If members of the public wish to raise issues which are not on the agenda, they must notify the Clerk 3 working days prior to the meeting.* Members of the public may not take part in the Parish Council meeting itself. NONE

817 Declaration of interest

a) To declare any personal interests or prejudicial interests in items on the agenda and their nature.

Cllr D Ridley planning & Cllr Melia item 824 Correspondence

(b) To consider and approve any request for dispensation relating to Agenda items.

Cllr Winter & Cllr S Ridley item 820 The Stute

818 Minutes of Previous meeting 10th February 2026

Received and adopted. Proposed Cllr J Winter, seconded Cllr D Gorringe

819 Matters arising from previous meetings.

MINUTE	DETAILS	STATUS
497 6.6.23	Highways signage replacement	Live
577 13.8.24	3 Grit bins needed for 3 locations in the parish	Live
499 12.12.23	Website working group (Byron, Katie, Davina, Once building hub is completed and rooms can be rented)	Live
675 17.6.25	Village hall new hub build update	Live

820 Section 137 council Grant. Application received from The Stute for £1000 towards security at the Party at the park event in July. Agreed for payment of £400 to be paid end of April or in May.

Proposed: Cllr D Ridley

Seconded: Cllr Wood

821 Update from NWBC & WCC. Nothing received from Cllr Harris
Cllr D Ridley advised 0% increase from NWBC and a £5000 grant for councillors to give to local organisations also shop front improvement grants are repeated this year by NWBC.

822 Finance Update

We currently hold £4,229.38 in total across all 4 accounts – Separate sheet of paper given out with all expenditure

823 Planning Applications and consultations

2026/0175/HH 18 Vicarage Close, Dordon. B78 1TH	Single storey rear extension	Jacob Baldwin NO OBJECTION
202600148/HH 184 Long Street Dordon B78 1QA	Rear storey bedroom extension and new dormer window to front elevation	Christina Fortune NO OBJECTION

824 Correspondence

DATE	SUBJECT	STATUS
Various	Village Hall refurbishment – Fire risk assessment	Confirmation received that the inspection went well with Warwickshire fire services
3.3.26	Tai Chi bookings cancelled next 2 bookings due to illness	Noted
2.2.26	Existing network electricity for Freasley common (national grid) 99 year lease £180 per annum. Council to reply with details of our solicitor. NGED to pay legal fees. Proposed: Cllr J Winter Seconded: Cllr D Gorringe	
4.2.26	WCAVA payroll service will cease from 30 th June 2026. Alternative arrangements need to be made	Clerk to make contact with a new payroll service
2.3.26	Legionella and fire safe to attend site and carry out the village hall risk assessment	1 st April 2026
3.3.26	Dordon community store wish to discuss issues with the P.C. The community store have asked for a reduction in rent for a short period of time as they are having financial issues. The Council agreed to a 3 month rental reduction for 3 months with effect from 1st April Proposed: Cllr J Winter Seconded: Cllr S Ridley	
27.2.26	ICO complaint for freedom of information from Simon Glover received regarding 3 planning applications.	

825 Parish Councillor Reports

Cllr D Ridley advised that the Citizen Advice Bus on the doctors car park was a great success.

Clerk to email WALC with email addresses of councillors so that they can be updated with WALC information.

826 Date of Next Meeting: Tuesday 21st April 2026 Full Council

801 Motion to committee – Exclusion of the Public and Press.

*Pursuant to Section 1 (2) of the Public Bodies (admission to meetings) Act 1960, it is proposed that the public and representatives of the press be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the following items of business as publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest because of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted. **Chair.***

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