

# DOYNTON PARISH COUNCIL

## Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held at Doynton Church Rooms 10th May 2018 at 7.30 pm

<b>Present:</b>	William Crew	Chairman
	Peter Hart	Vice Chairman
	John Ellis	Councillor
	William Roch	Councillor
	Jill Salter	Councillor
	Stephen Reade	District Councillor
	Elaine Weightman	Parish Clerk

No members of the public present

The Chairman welcomed everybody and opened the meeting.

**Action**

1. **Apologies:** *Ben Stokes District Councillor.*
2. **To Approve the Minutes of the last Meeting**  
The minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting of 16th May 2017 were signed by the Chairman, proposed by Cllr. Roch and seconded by Cllr. Salter
3. **Matters Arising – for information only. None to record.**
4. **Annual Report of the Chairman.**  
*Cllr. Crew commented two main issues had dominated the Councils time in the past year namely the future of the Cross House Inn; soon to be re-opened; and the proposed development at Beech farmyard; the application has recently been rejected by SGC although the applicants could appeal.*  
*Traffic continues to grow in the village and there are concerns over volume and speed with measures recently being taken to combat the latter.*  
*John Bartram stood down from the PC after seven years on the council with five of those as Chair and the members wished him well and thanked him for everything he has done for the community. We now welcome John Ellis to the PC. The Parish Clerk, Elaine, was thanked for continuing to be our rock and support through a difficult year with her knowledge of procedure.*  
*The Clerk thanked Cllr. Crew for his report.*
5. **Income and Expenditure Accounts for year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2018** were signed by the Chairman and Parish Clerk.
6. **Issues for discussion.**
  - 6.1 **Road Safety Issues in the Parish:** were highlighted along with areas of highways maintenance which were passed to the Council meeting to be recorded following the AGM in order to have ongoing follow up with SGC.
  - 6.2 **The Cross House Pub** is in the process of being refurbished and due to open in a few months and it is hoped it will be well frequented.
  - 6.3 *There was no other business to note*
7. **DATE OF NEXT MEETING** Thursday May 9th 2019. The meeting closed at 7.55pm

Signed.....Date..... May 2019...