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At the Annual General Meeting of Morville Parish Council held on Monday, 20
May, 2021

The Chairman informed Councillors that the meeting was being recorded by a parishioner.

Present Judy Miles (Chairman) Robin Melley, Robert Pugh, Luke Greenwood, Chris Caine, Rebecca Smith, Pam Yuille, David Digwood, Grant Brown, Alison Nichol Smith.

Apologies. John Cantrill, Alan Spafford, (family matters) **In attendance** Cllr. Robert Tindall and two Parishioners.

Open Session A parishioner asked the following question ‘At the meeting of Tasley Parish Council on March 17th, they noted that Morville Parish Council did not wish to consider a voluntary merger with Tasley Parish Council. The Chairman’s reply appears under Reports.

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Elections

a) Chairman Judy Miles prop.by Robin Melley, seconded by Chris Caine b) Vice-chairman Robin Melley prop. by Judy Miles, seconded Chris Caine.

Confirmation of competence of

. a) Clerk . b) Internal Auditor The above were accepted as being

competent . Confirmation of

. a) Standing Orders . b) Financial Regulations The adequacy of the above were

accepted Appointments a) Responsible Finance Officer b) Internal Auditor The above

were accepted. **Co-option of Councillor**The Clerk

Mrs.S.Perks

Luke Greenwood, prop by Judy Miles, seconded by Pam Yuille and unanimously

accepted **Signing of Acceptance of Office** for Councillors signed Acceptance of Office

forms

Minutes The Minutes of the previous meeting, having been circulated, were taken as

read and signed as a correct record.

Matters arising Comments were made about the Web-site which would be closely

monitored.

Reports

a) Shropshire Councillor Cllr.Tindall reported that the Acton Arms application has been

rejected. Further possibilities were being investigated by the owner.

A meeting had been arranged by several local people who were interested in purchasing the Acton Arms if it were offered for sale in the near future.

It was agreed that a meeting should be set up with Shropshire Council Highways to investigate the

flooding issues in the parish. Full report appears at Schedule 1

b) Chairman the Chairman said that the clerk of Tasley Parish Council would be approached regarding the Tasley Garden Village proposals.

Two further quotations to renew the fencing on the playing field had been received. After discussion it was agreed to accept the quotation from Ian Child at £3298.44 including £216 VAT.

Correspondence Highways Planning Finance SALC bulletins had

been forwarded to Councillors.

There had been an enquiry from Morville School regarding the responsibility for repairs to the access road. The clerk would contact Shropshire Council.

Shropshire Council (Bridleway 10 (part), Parish of Morville) Public Path Diversion Order 2021.

Several failed street-lights through Morville were reported. The clerk would notify Shropshire Council.

Application 21/01380/LBC erection of two single storey extensions at Aldenham Park, Morville and 21/01352/FUL Erection of two single storey extensions. There were no objections.

Application 21/01282/FUL Agricultural building south of The Barn Underton. Bridgnorth. Councillors discussed comments about flooding on the site but had no objections.

Cheques required for Clerk salary £347 PAYE £x Lengthsman £825 ICO £40,

It was agreed that the new cheque signatories should be Judy Miles, Robin Melley and Robert Pugh.

The accounts were unanimously approved.

Date of next meeting Schedule 1

Monday, 12th July

Morville Parish Council Annual General Meeting Thursday

20th May 2021 @ 19:30

Agenda Item 8 Shropshire Councillor's Report- Cllr Robert Tindall

1. Following the local elections held on Thursday 6th May the makeup of Shropshire Council is as follows:

Conservatives 43 Liberal Democrats 14 Labour 9 Independents 4 Green 4 74 on a 38.5% turnout

2. On Monday afternoon the Conservative Group on Shropshire Council met to elect a new leader to replace the previous Leader, Peter Nutting, who lost his seat of Copthorne. The new leader is Lezley Picton who represents the electoral division of Tern. She will, I believe and certainly hope, focus much more attention and resources on the south of the county so sadly lacking previously. She has promised a thorough overhaul of the way in which highways are managed and repaired. In addition there will be a new system of reporting problems with the roads. In addition to Highways, Lezley plans to sort out three other major matters

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as her number one priority: a. The future of Shirehall

b. The North West Relief Road c. The Shopping Centres in Shrewsbury

3. Full Council was held this morning, Thursday

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20 May, in the Theatre Severn, Frankwell, Shrewsbury which has sufficient seating to

allow for social distancing. I have been elected Vice Chairman of the Southern Planning Committee and remain on the Strategic Licensing Committee. Lezley Picton, the new Leader has formed her new Cabinet (which has a much more representative split between the north, the centre and the south of the County than under the previous administration):

Leader Deputy Leader Resources Adult Social Care Digital & Technology Children & Education Abbotts] Communities, Place, Tourism & Transport Climate Change & The Green Economy Economic Growth & Regeneration and Planning

Lezley Picton Steve Charmley Gwilym Butler [Tern] [Whittington] [Cleobury Mortimer]
Dean Carroll [Battlefield] *Robert Gittins Kirstie Hurst- Knight Cecilia Motley Ian Nellins*
[Market Drayton West] *Edward Potter* [Loton]

4. I would just like to say how much I appreciate being re-elected as the Shropshire Councillor for the electoral division of Brown Clee. I will continue to do my best for Morville Parish. I have no idea why Government decided to insist that this round of Parish Council AGMs must be held physically when there are still some lockdown measures in place- one of the consequences of lockdown has been proof that holding meetings virtually has saved time and expense and I hope that in future meetings will be allowed to consist of a blend of virtual and physical.

[Cheswardine] [Bridgnorth East & Astley

[Corevdale]

5. The flooding down Froggy Bank, Monkhopton will be dealt with during the period 7th
to 9th June and between the hours of

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09:30 and 16:00 during which period the road will be closed.

5. Monkhopton Bank is currently closed whilst the effects of the flooding caused by the
storm on Friday 14th May are being dealt with.

6. Finally if anyone has any matter that they would like to raise with me at any time my
email address is robert.tindall@shropshire.gov.uk