

BRILLEY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on
Tuesday 20th May 2014 at 7.30 pm at Brilley Village Hall

Present: Cllrs Peter Bufton (Chair), Roger Bayliss, Keith White and Rocky Lloyd

In Attendance: Ward Cllr John Hope, 8 members of the public; Parish Clerk Alison Sutton

Apologies: Peter Watts, Lengthsman

1. **To adopt minutes of previous Annual Parish Meeting – 5th March 2013.** These were ADOPTED and signed
2. **Report from the Chairman –** The Chairman NOTED: the appointment of the new Clerk; the resignation of Cllr Joan Bufton and intended co-option of Christopher Holloway; the poor state of the roads and grateful thanks to the Lengthsman Peter Watts for his work; repairs to the war memorial are intended; work on finding a solution to the school building site continues but nothing is straightforward; 2 planning applications passed for comment; thanks to Ward Cllr Hope for his help, support and advice
3. **Report from the Lengthsman –** Review of 2013-14 NOTED wettest winter in 300 years but no flooded dwellings; Herefordshire Council’s highway maintenance contract now with Balfour Beatty; poor state of the roads noted with various roads causing particular concern; various outstanding drainage works noted; a number of road signs are damaged
4. **Brilley School site –** A meeting between the Parish Council, Brilley Village Hall Charity and Brilley Village School Charity is being planned. It is still hoped that the Village School Charity can give the site to the Village Hall Charity. One way forward is to sell part of the land to finance the demolition and car park. There is an offer of £10,000 from a private source to help fund the work
5. **Public Forum –** Possibility of reducing speed limits in the village was discussed, 2 year wait to get survey of speed undertaken, the Clerk to investigate what is happening about the survey
6. **Neighbourhood Plan –** The Extra Parish Meeting on Tuesday 17th June 2014 at 7.30 was NOTED

This meeting was declared closed at 8.05 pm.

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Peter Bufton (Chairman)

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