

BRANDESTON PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Meeting of Brandeston Parish Council held on **Monday 9th October at 7.30pm** at Brandeston Village Hall.

Present: Cllrs P. Baker, P. Locke, M. Randell and Parish Clerk. Five members of the public were also present.

10/23-24/1 The Vice Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting.

10/23-24/2 Apologies for absence received from Cllrs Summers and Smith.

10/23-24/3 No Recorded Declarations of Interest

10/23-24/4 The Vice Chair Signed as a true record the Minute of the Meeting held on 11th September 2023 (*Circulated and on website*)

10/23-24/5 Councillor Vacancies – The applications from both Ivor Day and Richerd Ives for co-option to the Parish Council were approved unanimously.

Public Forum topics raised were:

1. Positioning of speed indicator and effectiveness
2. Update on the village bench whereabouts – no further information.

10/23-24/6 Finance – RFO tabled a report on current finances confirming Parish Council Account balance of:

1. £14,482.97 (30/9/23)
2. 100 Plus Account £2509.67

10/23-24/7 Risk Assessment – Cllr Randell confirmed that the inspection will be carried out in October.

10/23-23/9 Planning - Discussion on Planning Alliance took place with agreement to consider further at the November Meeting when new Councillors have had the opportunity to consider the implications – Clerk to circulate Documents.

10/23-24/10 SID – Clerk advised that the equipment will require two new batteries later this year (anticipated cost of £200)

Meeting concluded at 8.20pm.

Date of next PC Meeting, Monday 13th November at 7.30pm, Brandeston Village Hall.