MINUTES OF
STAVERTON ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

THURSDAY 25h APRIL 2024 – 7:30pm
STAVERTON VILLAGE HALL

PRESENT: Parish Councillor Roy Noon (Chairman), Mrs Sue Porter (Clerk), 29 members of the Public

1. Apologies for Absence – Nil
2. Annual Report by the Parish Council Chairman – Roy Noon
   The Chairman summarised the activities of the Parish Council over the last 12 months.
   A copy of the report will be filed and available to view on the website
3. Approval of the Minutes from the APM held on 27th April 2023 – The minutes were approved by C Brown, seconded by R Frost and all voted in favour.
   Approval of the Minutes from the SNDP Parish Meeting held on 7th April 2022 – The minutes were approved by D Thomas, seconded by T McGibbon and all voted in favour.
4. Parish Council Draft Accounts for the year ending 31st March 2023 - The draft summary will be available to view on the website.
5. Presentation of Parish Deeds - These are available to view for the Playing Field and Barn, Pocket Park.
6. Annual Report and Accounts from the Representatives of:

6a. Staverton Education Foundation – Report and accounts provided by Shirley Frost. These will be filed and available to view on the website

6b. Staverton Relief in Need – Report and accounts provided by Roy Noon. These will be filed and available to view on the website.

6c. Staverton Reading Room Trust– D Tunbridge provided the report, which was read out by the Clerk, along with the accounts. These will be posted on the website.

6d. Staverton Village Hall Report – Report provided by Jane Evans. This report will be available to view on the website.

7. Update on the West Northamptonshire Unitary Council (Rupert Frost) – The report was prepared by the three ward councillors for the Woodford and Weedon Ward and sent to the Clerk. This will be posted on the website. R Frost reminded the PC that there is a scheme called Restorative Justice, which could be applied for with helping to clear and side out the footpaths.
8. Police – Annual Report – The Annual report for the Daventry & Rural Team was submitted to the Parish Clerk and this will be posted on the website.
9. CIL Monies (Braunston Lane development) – The sum of £11,253.72 is available for the Parish Council to spend on a community project which will be of benefit to all. Parishioners are asked to have a think about some suggestions and send over some proposals for consideration.
10 Staverton Neighbourhood Development Plan – Clive Brown advised the meeting of the latest progress with the Plan. The remaining monies from the 2023-24 grant have been returned. Another application for 2024-25 will need to be made to continue the Plan. The results from the recent parishioner questionnaire were read out in detail.
11 Lack of Bus Service – There is currently no regular bus service available. Buses were not used enough so the service was withdrawn. The 665 Stagecoach service is not regular enough, so not fit for purpose, and the Daventry to Banbury 200 service now excludes Staverton. This will be discussed further by the PC and involve Rupert Frost and Jo Gilford.
12 Question & Answer Time – Nil

There being no further business the Chairman thanked all those who had attended and closed the meeting at 9:13pm