

**Minutes of the Annual General Meeting of Musgrave Parish Council  
Held on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2017  
In Musgrave Village Hall  
At 7.30 pm**

**PRESENT:** Councillors Wells (Chairman) Bousfield Clarke & Hutchinson

**ALSO PRESENT:** Clerk Mrs Strong

| 01/0517 | <b>APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE</b><br>Councillor Watson   | <b>ACTION</b> |
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| 02/0517 | <b>ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN</b><br>It was proposed by Councillor Clarke and seconded by Councillor Bousfield that Councillor Wells be elected to continue as Chairman for the forth coming year. Councillor Wells accepted and signed the declaration of office.  |               |
| 03/0517 | <b>ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIRMAN</b><br>It was proposed by Wells and seconded by Councillor Hutchinson that Councillor Clarke be elected to continue as Vice-Chairman for the forth coming year. Councillor Clarke accepted.  |               |
| 04/0517 | <b>MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING HELD 20.4.16</b><br>These were read and signed as an accurate record of the last annual general meeting.   |               |
| 05/0517 | <b>CHAIRS REPORT</b><br>Since the 2016 AGM the world politics has been through enormous changes, what seemed as fiction has come into reality. Donald Trump taking over as the USA President and the UK voting for Brexit. Scotland want to leave the UK and Teresa May called for an unexpected General Election. Life has been a little quiet in the parish, we have had the very sad loss of Councillor Tom Wilson, but the welcome of Councillor Michael Watson. We must also say a very big thank you to our County Councillor Libby Bateman, she has done a very good job and it is sad that she is not standing for re-election. We will find out this weekend who will be our new County Councillor.<br><br>The Council small as we are have had a busy year. The Topograph was built and opened on the Queen's Diamond Jubilee by the oldest man in the Parish Mr Johnny Wilson who was 90 at the time. Councillor Hutchinson has done a lot of unseen work on trying to bring Fibre broadband to the parish, we will find out soon how the application is progressing, also he has done sterling work in bringing the Doctor Collinson Trust back into life. Hopefully later this year we will have everyone that has entered into further education receiving their grants. The trees at Rober Pond as well as the village green have been pruned and felled as needed. The village has finally had 30mph signs erected along with 3 new lamp posts, although they have not been switched on yet, hopefully they will be shining before Winter. Councillor Clarke is really standing up for Little Musgrave, hopefully the residents of Little |               |

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|                       | <p>Musgrave appreciate his efforts. In the next 12 months the council will be installing a Defibrillator in Little Musgrave and Flitholme.</p> <p>Out Investment fund is still doing well and finances are looking strong for the parish. Overall we are in a healthy position.</p> <p>We must also thank Mr Arthur Dowson for keeping the noticeboards, playground and seats in good repair along with keeping the bridleway between the Church and Great Musgrave clear of weeds. I know there are others in the Parish who do an awful lot to keep the Parish looking so well, but he does deserve a mention for being a superb Mr Fixit.</p> <p>I would also like to say a very big 'Thank You' to Heidi our secretary who has kept me in order and to you our Parish Councillors for your support and efforts, they are appreciated by us all. Thank you.</p> |  |
| <p><b>06/0517</b></p> | <p><b>DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING</b><br/> The date for the next schedule annual general meeting is confirmed as<br/> <b>May 2018</b><br/> <b>Meeting closed at 8.20pm</b></p> <p><b>Chairman .....</b></p> <p><b>Date .....</b></p>   |  |

