WESTON-sub-EDGE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD IN THE
VILLAGE HALL ON 01/10/2026 AT 6pm

PRESENT: Chairman; Richard Court-Ricour, Cllr's; Helen Munro, Mike Jelley, Matt McMinn, Emma Cranney.
In Attendance: Tina Reason parish clerk. Members of the public: Bridget Robbins; Joss Robbins; Anna Edmonds.

26/1	**1. Declaration of interests from councillors**: None	
26/2	**2. To accept apologies of absence.** DC Tom Stowe, DC Gina Bloomfield, DC Tom Bradley, Cllr Gary Holland and Cllr James Ayley.	
26/3	**3. CONFIRM MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 3/9/26:** Cllr's Helen Munro and Emma Cranney **resolved** to approve the minutes which were signed by Cllr Helen Munro as a true record of the business conducted.	HM/ EC
26/4	**4. Feedback from the county & district Councillors:** None in attendance.	
26/5	**Finance:** **5.1 To receive interim statement and bank reconciliation:** **As of 24/09/26** Parish account: £7888.09 Reserve Funds: £6202.49 Allotment account: £0 Playing Field account: £0 Bank Charges: £31.20 **5.1.1 To approve payments schedule:** Approved. **5.2 Update new bank accounts:** Updated **5.3 To approve payments due:** Clerk's salary HMRC PAYE Weston Sub Edge Village Hall SmartCut Grass cutting Rec Ground Castle Water Seniors Gigaclear	
26/6	**6. Planning:** Nothing new. Objection put in for 26/02431/FUL – For proposed single storey rear and side extension at Longclose Cottage Weston-sub-Edge. GL55 6QX. Owner should be invited by clerk to have a meeting with MJ /RCR to discuss the project and solutions **6.1 Planning Applications:** None **6.1.1 Pre Planning Reviews** **6.1.2 Greenspaces:**	MJ/ RCR HM

	Letter sent to GCC planning regarding the removal of the greenspace in the village. Awaiting a response. **6.1.3 CIL Payments:** Waiting for works to commence at Top Farm, we should then receive the payment.	MJ
26/7	**7. To Review Village Matters:** **7.1 Neighbourhood Watch** Heavy Traffic through the village, Highways update of maintenance issues &Honeybourne crossroads. **7.1.2 CCTV Surveillance** Request received from Matt Billiard, form sent for him to complete. **7.2 Speeding & noise pollution through village** Speed survey results received. Results available on the village website. GCC have put in a recommendation to change the speed limits from 30mph to 20mph throughout the village and 40mph on all entries to the village, apart from Dovers Hill. Cllr Helen Munro to investigate this. A few complaints have come through about commercial vehicle's, campervans and caravans being parked on Dovers View. Cllr Mike Jelly said this issue has been investigated before, but unfortunately there is nothing the parish council can do. It needs to be taken up directly with Bromford's by residents. Chairman Richard Court-Ricour will send a letter to Bromford's. Report Received from Cllr Helen Munro, please find attached. **7.3 Flood Protection** No issues. Tina to send letters to riparian's. **7.4 Community Plan:** Cllr Matt McMinn will have a look into the cost of a Neighbourhood plan, by speaking to Brodie Planning consultancy. **7.5 Fundraising:** Cllr Gary Holland put forward some good ideas for fundraising. Please find his report attached. **7.6 Allotments** We have received a new inquiry for an allotment, Cllr Emma Cranney to arrange a meeting. Water consumption has come down to 8 units for the last month. Tina to look into water consumption for the year. Cllr Emma Cranny will find out the cost of a limpet onto the meter, this will automatically send the readings to Castle Water and flag up any consumption issues. Tina to send an email to one of the allotment holders who has shown an interest in becoming a trustee, to set up a meeting. Cllr Emma Cranney to send a message on the WhatsApp group to find out the allotment holder's thoughts on removing the hedge. Please find Cllr Emma Cranney's report attached. **7.7 Hedges and verges maintenance:** CDC will cut hedges shortly. Tina will contact Langston's for two quotes, one for a full removal of the hedges around the allotments and	HM TR HM TR MM GH EC/ TR RCR/ TR

	another to reduce the hedges by half, as they are too tall & find out the legal process on hedge removal. Smartcut to cut all the verges once more this year. **7.8 Social media:** Cllr James Ayley not in attendance to give an update. **7.9 Recreation ground:** Holes have still not been filled, Cllr Richards Court-Ricour to contact Smartcut to see if they can help. Tina to make warning posters. **7.10 Footpaths and Styles:** Cllr Mike Jelly has reported the broken style to the Cotswold wardens, they have asked if we can ask the owners of Watery Gate Farm permission for access over their land. Tina to action this. Another wobbly style to be reported to Cotswold wardens. **7.10 Heritage:** A new plot has been purchased by the heritage charity. Fundraising needed to acquire the missing plots.	MJ/ RCR MJ MJ/TR RCR
26/8	**8. Schedule of Meetings 2026/27** Next meeting 05/11/26 Reviewed and accepted by councillors.	TR
26/9	**9. Consider Matters Arising from Minutes of Last Meeting Not on the Agenda:** The stone chippings still have not been finished by Cotswold Wardens, on the footpath up to The Lynches Wood.	MJ
26/10	**10. Note Correspondence Received:** • SSE direct debit set up. • Vegetation covering speed signs as you enter the village on the B4035 • Verbal complains about the poor visibility at the T-junction opposite the Seagraves • Stuart Nimmo one of the allotment holders would be interested in becoming a trustee for the allotments • Nigel Brooks would like to acquire an allotment	TR
26/11	**Any other business:** Anna Edmonds attended the meeting regarding the border planted opposite The Seagraves, which she and her late husband had planted together. Anna has spoken to a contractor about trimming the border to improve visibility. She would also like to plant flowers at the village entry gates. The Parish Council agreed to this and will supply any materials required.	RCR
26/12	**11. Public Question Time:** None	

There being no other business the chairman thanked the councillors for attending and closed the meeting at 7.05pm

Signed.....Date.....5/11/26