

MARWOOD PARISH COUNCIL
Report of the COUNCIL MEETING 9th November 2017
Marwood Methodist Church Hall, Guineaford

Members Present: Cllrs. C Latham, C Spear, S Button, C Wallis, Mrs S Darling, A Skentelbery,

Apologies: Cllrs. R Berry, T Bigge, D Chugg, Cllr Mrs A Davis PCSO Kingdon

In Attendance: Cllr F Tucker. M J Measures (Clerk to the Council)

Disclosable Interests. None

Chairman's Discretion. None

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting 12 October 2017

The Minutes were agreed and signed as a true record

Police Report

Four crimes were reported (no details given)

Reports from County and District Councillors

Cllr Tucker emphasised the importance of the Parish Forum Meeting on Monday 13 November

Correspondence

Correspondence has been sent to Councillors.

Finance

Payment of Invoices. Invoices agreed for payment; £125.00 Marwood Primary School (*Marwood Matters printing*); £100.00 C F Wallis (*October*) Statement of Account at 9 November is £7571.12. Members agreed to purchase a new computer and printer using Transparency Funds provided by central government (included in the current balance) with no direct cost to the Parish Council precept. The Clerk will investigate. The Clerk asked permission to have previous Council Minutes bound. This was agreed. Members will consider the draft precept request at the next meeting.

Planning Matters

63947 – *Springfield Farm Marwood. Erection of wooden framed clear span building to create 63869 – 1 Lee Cottages Whitehall. Change of use of agricultural land to domestic curtilage to enable extension to dwelling and formation of off-road parking.* **Recommend : Approval**

Reports from Councillors

Highways. Members of the public have commented on the additional traffic using the Guinea/Prixford Road due to the closure of the B3230 causing serious congestion on occasions. It is understood that when the current work on the B3230 is completed there will be a further closure on this road for more repairs. In an e-mail, Cllr Chugg has commented on the poor condition of roads in North Devon compared with those in South Devon. This will be discussed at the next meeting.

The Meeting closed at 20.17
M J Measures