THE SHELSLEYS PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting held on 13^{th} March at 7.00pm in the year 2012

DRAFT MINUTES

Present: Mr C Roberts, D Styles, T Taylor, B Hart and W Ward.

In Attendance: County Councillor Dr Pollock and the Clerk (Mrs J Speyer).

- **6.1 Apologies**: Mr ANC Champion, Mrs R Kirby and District Councillor Farmer.
- **6.2 Declaration of Interest**: Item 5.9 Cllr Hart (Chairman of the Village Hall Management Committee).
- **6.3 Minutes:** The minutes for 10th January 2012 were approved as a true record and signed.

Public Question Time: None.

- **6.4 Highways and Lengthsman:** The temporary traffic regulation notices in future to be notified by email was noted. There was no Lengthsman's Report.
- **6.5 County Councillor's Report:** Dr Pollock reported that the work on Teme Bridge is now complete and it is hoped that town trade will now increase. Major drainage and road works are planned for Tenbury next year.

Dr Pollock agreed to look into the following.

The school bus stop at Stanford Bridge. PC to inform him of numbers involved. Road markings outside The Bridge and Gate Cottage, white line has eroded. Clifton Hill/Ham Bridge, the removal of trees has only partially improved visibility. Grit Bins, they have still not been reinstated. Refuse hags falling on to the highway and creating a puisance will be referred to

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- **6.6 Planning:** Appeal notification 11/01242/HOU and 11/01243/LBC at Southwood Farm. No comment was submitted as there was no comment on the original application.
- **6.7 Clerk's report on urgent decisions.** A Cheque for £354.00 was sent to Harrison Clark to conclude the transfer and entry onto the land registry.

6.8 **Progress Reports:**

Broadband. After attending a meeting with other parishes it was considered that what was being offered was not relevant to this parish and the matter will not be pursued, however a member of the Martley Mesh team will be invited to the Annual Parish Meeting to discuss the potential expansion of this scheme for The Shelsleys residents.

Land Registry Details of the Land Registry entry have been sent to the Clerk to keep on file. This concludes the transfer.

6.9 Correspondence: CPRE A guide to Neighbourhood Planning. Noted. Tenbury Wells and the Teme Valley Transport Needs Survey. Noted. Community transport mini bus. Noted.

> Signed by the Chairman.....Date.....Date.....

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The Worcestershire Agreement. To be completed and agreed at the next meeting. Newsline. For circulation.

- **6.10** Jubilee Celebrations: Councillor Taylor was proposed as Parish Council representative on the Jubilee Event Committee. Events are planned for June 3rd. Various suggestions were made for marking the event, these and financial assistance will be discussed at the next meeting.
- 6.11 Finance: The following payments were approved. Lengthsman invoice for November to March £696 Clerk's salary and expenses. WCC monies received for Lengthsman duties £520.00 Bank balance as at 12th March 2012 £7170.44 Details of the Business Rate for the Village Hall were passed to the Chairman of the Village Hall Management Committee.

6.12 Annual Parish Meeting:

It was decided to invite John Nicklin from Martley Mesh, the Police and the Chairman of the Jubilee Committee. The date for the Annual Parish Meeting is May 15th at 7pm in the Village Hall.

6.13 CALC: Councillor Training, the Chairman again urged members to consider attending training courses. Details are in the CALC Update circulated regularly.

6.14 Councillors' Reports and items for future agenda.

The Lengthsman will be asked to check on drainage at locations within the parish.

6.15 The date for the Annual Parish Meeting is May 15th at 7pm in the Village Hall. Date of next Parish Council meeting: May15th 2012 following the Annual Parish Meeting.

Date for the Village Hall Management Committee AGM May 10th.

The meeting concluded at 7.50pm Jan Speyer March 14th 2012

Signed by the	
Chairman	Date