

**DODFORD WITH GRAFTON PARISH COUNCIL**

**DRAFT Minutes of the meeting of Dodford with Grafton Parish Council Extraordinary Meeting held on Monday 17 June 2024 in Dodford Village Hall at 7.30pm**

**Present:** Cllrs, Lynne Griffin, Rachel Jennings (Chair), Rory Lydon (Vice Chairman), Scottie Sanderson, Jonathan Shapiro, and Jenni Schuett

**In attendance:** Clerk Kay Stone.

**1. Apologies**

Cllr Scott Fuller

**2. Declarations and Register of interest**

- i. None
- ii. None

**3. Dispensations**

No dispensation requests received.

**4. Planning**

After discussion it was resolved that a planning consultant who understands the system of reporting to an Ombudsman be sought, and Cllr Shapiro offered to undertake this.

The questions to be given to the planning consultant are to be:

- i. Does the Parish Council have a case?
- ii. How can the Parish Council make it work?
- iii. Ascertain how the Ombudsman system works.

It was proposed by Cllr Jennings, seconded by Cllr Griffin that a budget of £3k should be set aside for consultant fees.

The meeting closed at 8.25pm.

Signed..... Chair