

**THE MINUTES OF A MEETING OF
TARRANT GUNVILLE PARISH COUNCIL
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
HELD ON TUESDAY 7 MAY 2024**

Present: Councillors Charlie Regnart (Chair), Jim Farquharson, Jim Shephard, Heather Sandison, Paul Wentworth, Shirley Bragg, Guy Nicholson

In attendance: Tony Langdown, Rights of Way Officer; John Holloway, Parish Clerk

Members of the public: There was one membersof the public at the meeting.

1. Welcome and opening remarks

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2. Apologies for absence

Apologies received from Councillor Sherry Jespersen (Dorset Council) and Dermot Cusack (Flood Warden).

3. To agree minutes of a meeting held on Tuesday 2 May 2023

The minutes were agreed as a correct record.

4. Election of Councillors

Councillors Regnart, Farquharson, Shephard, Wentworth, Bragg and Nicholson were re-elected uncontested in the recent local council elections.

Councillor Sandison was co-opted onto the new council unanimously.

5. Election of Chair

Charlie Regnart was re-elected as Chair having been proposed by Jim Shephard and seconded by Shirley Bragg.

6. Election of Vice-Chair

Jim Shephard had decided to step down as Vice-Chair and he was thanked for his work in that regard.

Paul Wentworth was duly elected as the new Vice Chair having been proposed by Heather Sandison and seconded by Guy Nicholson.

7. Appointment of Representatives

Tony Langdown agreed to continue as Rights of Way Officer.

Dermot Cusack had agreed (in communication with the Clerk) to continue as Flood Warden and this was unanimously accepted in his absence. It is noted that Charlie Regnart will also act as a second flood warden in order to help deal with flood issues in the Stubhampton section of the Parish.

8. Clerk Report

A report was given on council finances by the Chair. The precept remains unchanged at £3,100 per annum.

There being no further business the meeting closed.