Chairman: Cllr K Sutherland

Cllrs: Cllr L Hutchinson; Cllr K Wood; Cllr C Farley; Cllr R Holland; Cllr P Trow;

Acting Clerk: Cllr K Wood

**Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on 4th May 2022**

**at the Memorial Hall, Hinstock**

1 Welcome and Announcements

Cllr Sutherland declared the Meeting open at 7.15 pm. There were 8 members of the public were present.

2 Present and/or Apologies

Councillors present as listed above.

Cllr Gittins sent his apologies. Cllrs Vaughan and Ashley sent apologies.

3 Minutes of the last Annual Parish Meeting on 14th April 2021

Cllr Trow proposed the Minutes to be a true and accurate record of the Meeting, seconded by Cllr Hutchinson, all agreed. The Chairman duly signed the Minutes.

4 Matters arising from the Minutes

There were no matters arising.

5 Annual Report from Hinstock Parish Council

Cllr Sutherland read his report for the last municipal year. (Attached)

Aims for the coming year were confirmed as replacement play equipment, continued rollout of the SmartWater kits, improvements to the Memorial Hall, a hard surface court available for all, a green gym.

6 Report from Unitary Cllr R Gittins

Cllr Gittins was not present.

7 Public Questions in respect of above report

No questions were asked.

8 An opportunity for Members of the Parish to raise any matters for discussion

Councillor Sutherland shared details of the role of a Parish Councillor and why an annual parish meeting is held.

A member of the public asked why we had spent £130,000 renovating the Jubilee Room.

Cllr Sutherland responded that the option of the additional facilities through the renovation and creation of a Parish Room and changing rooms was overwhelmingly supported in The Parish Strategic Survey carried out in 2019. Your Council acted upon the consensus.

There being no further business, Cllr Sutherland thanked everyone for attending and declared the Meeting closed at 7.40 pm.