

# SAWSTON PARISH COUNCIL

## MINUTES FINANCE AND GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE

30 November 2010

**PRESENT:** Chairman: Dr D R Bard

Clerk: Mrs J F Keeler

Councillors:

Mrs P J Awbery-Maskell

Miss S E Clarke

K J L Cooper

Mrs S A Hatton

E C Murray

Mrs J G A Smith

### 1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor N Thomas

### 2 DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS FOR THIS MEETING

None were declared

### 3 MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 5 October 2010 were read, confirmed and signed. It was **PROPOSED** by Councillor Mrs S A Hatton and **SECONDED** by Mrs P J Awbery-Maskell to **ACCEPT**

**VOTE: 7 FOR : (UNANIMOUS)**

### 4 MATTERS ARISING – New information only

None

### 5 PUBLICATION OF EXPENDITURE RECORDS

It was discussed if the Parish Council would publish their monthly expenditure on the website.

It was **PROPOSED** by Councillor Mrs J G A Smith and **SECONDED** by Councillor E C Murray to **RECOMMEND** to Full Parish Council that we publish the monthly expenditure over £100 but exclude the pensions and staff salaries.

**VOTE: 5 FOR : 2 AGAINST**

**6 BUDGET SETTING FOR THE YEAR 2011/2012**

It was **PROPOSED** by Councillor K J L Cooper and **SECONDED** by Councillor E C Murray to **RECOMMEND** to Full Parish Council a budget of £61,757.00.

**VOTE: 7 FOR : (UNANIMOUS)**

**7 COUNCILLORS ISSUES**

Councillor E C Murray explained that the pipes at the temporary portacabins on Spicers had frozen up and split and are now unusable. Head Groundsman, Mr A Poole, had said he can move some of the football games around to accommodate and that the Sawston United A team would be able to play at the Village College on 11 and 18 December at a cost of £45 per game. The Parish Council would then be able to cancel the contract with 1<sup>st</sup> Choice who supplies the portacabins saving money, but would agree to pay for the two games at the Village College.

The notice is only one week on the portacabins which will be cancelled from 30 November 2010.

It was **PROPOSED** by Councillor K J L Cooper and **SECONDED** by Councillor Mrs S A Hatton to go ahead and cancel this contract.

**VOTE: 7 FOR : (UNANIMOUS)**

**8 AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING**

None

**Meeting closed at 9.10pm**