**CALVERT GREEN PARISH COUNCIL Minutes of Ordinary Meeting held on**

**Thursday 30 May 2019 – 7.30pm – Calvert Green Village Hall**

**Signed: Chairman James O’Rourke……………………………………………………………………………**

**ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES**

**Attendees:**

Cllr Jim O’Rourke (JOR)

Cllr Carl Blakeley (CB)

Cllr Phil Gaskin (PG)

Cllr Adele Decent (AD)

Clerk Andrea Curtis (AC)

**Also present:**

Members of the Public: 2; Angela Perrott **ACTIONS**

1. **Apologies:** Cllr M Swan (MS); Cllr A Macpherson (AMac)
2. **Declarations of interest:** None
3. **Minutes of April 2019 meeting** – approved and signed
4. **New clerk –** following the resignation of the current clerk, the meeting welcomed Angela Perrott as her replacement. Her contract was read and signed by both the new clerk and the chair.
5. **New councillor –** Colin Perrott was co-opted as a new councillor. The relevant paperwork will be brought to the next PC meeting
6. **HS2/E/W rail update –** PG gave a precis of a meeting he attended in Denham regarding HS2 – hosted by S Bucks DC. It ran to time and questions raised appeared to be answered. HS2 have stopped clearing vegetation at the moment. The notice to proceed could be delayed until December. Cher is coming to Calvert to meet PG on 30th. No updates on E/W rail.
7. **Social projects –** Network Rail have varnished the noticeboards and painted the village gates. PG has promised a couple of paragraphs on the work for their newsletter. There is nothing further on the Petanque.
8. **Ox-Cam expressway –** there is a meeting at Charndon tonight organised by Bob Evans. This is in light of a map that seems to shoe Ox-Cam going through or very close to Charndon.
9. **Play areas -** AD has drawn up a document for circulation to villagers with options. JOR suggested this should be run past the ladies who attended the meeting that Joe Houston summarised the work required. Once distributed to villagers, a deadline for replies should be given of 7/6 - replies to AD or the new clerk.
10. **Hall update –** no update received from MS. A member of the public reported that the car park lights are coming on early evening when it is still light. JOR asked that CGCA do not prop open fire doors.
11. **Meetings attended since last meeting –** none
12. **Clerk** – summary of spend May presented; cheques approved and signed.
13. **AOB –** Neighbourhood Watch have been told by CGCA that they cannot have access to the CCTV.

**The meeting closed at 21:25.**

**The next meeting is on Thursday 27th June 2019**