**Minutes of the meeting of Dutton Parish Council**

held at Dutton Hall, on Wednesday 15th February 2023

**Present** Councillors: J Hargreaves (Chairman), E Parker, A. H Penny and M Whalley . Hon Clerk Mrs C Penny

**2302.1. Apologies for Absence.**  Cllr W R Holden,

**2302.2. The minutes of meeting held on 16th January 2023** were confirmed by the meeting and signed by the Chairman.

**2302.3. To consider Matters arising from the Minutes**

There were no matter arising not covered by the Agenda

**2302.4. Planning Applications**

**3/2023/0039 & 3/2023/0040.** Grindlestone House Farm. Maize Clamp and Silage Clamp

**3/2023/0093** variation of **3/2021/0440.** Hour change on access

There were no objections to either application

**2302.5. Reports from other organisations**

1. **Parish Council Liaison Committee.** Cllr Hargreaves reported. In future everyone voting is going to need proof of identity. Updating standards re Parish Councillors. Defibrillators were discussed, these need regular maintenance. Major repairs are taking place on pipeline from Hawes to Manchester - goes thr’ Ribble Valley.
2. **Knowle Green Village Hall.** Cllr Parker reported. A small contribution had been received towards cost of damage from 18th birthday party. Work has been done on sound system, financed by a grant. Bookings are up. Will be holding a BBQ for coronation.

**2302.6. Finance.**  No new expenditure since last meeting

**2302.7 Correspondence**

a) Kevin Day one of two Police Sergeants for the Ribble Valley, the other being PS Duncan Hall.

 would very much like to attend as many Parish Council meetings as he can, Clerk asked to invite him to the Annual Parish meeting in May - this will be after elections

**2302.8 The Coronation of King Charles III**

RVBC have a fund available and are offering around £250 towards the cost. All Parishes to contact Jenny Martin with information regarding plans for a celebration for the King’s Coronation. The Chairman did not think the Parish should arrange any celebration and the Council agreed.

**2302.9. To consider any other matters brought to the meeting**

**a) Litter Bin on Gallows Lane -** Clerk asked to ascertain if it is going to be replaces. People are still tipping rubbish.

**2310. The date of the next meeting was arranged for Wednesday 29th March 2023** at **7.00pm**

**At Dutton Hall, Gallows Lane PR3 3XX**