

**Clerk to the Council/RFO: J Hodgkiss**

**Chairman: Cllr R Ruscoe**

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Minutes of the Full Council Meeting held at 7:15pm on **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2026 at The Memorial Hall.**

Present: Cllrs – C Clode (CC), T Clarke (TC), D Engler (DE), E Markham (TM ), A Price (APr), R Ruscoe (RR) – Chair, C Shaw (CS), P Stevens (PS), K Turner – (KT), N Turner (NT), M Underwood (MU)

In attendance: T Trickett – Shropshire Councillor  
J Hodgkiss – Clerk  
S Edwards – Deputy Clerk

**FC138.25/26 TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES AND REASONS FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies were received from Cllrs Caswell and Teckoe – personal commitments and Cllr Parkhurst – ill health.

**FC139.25/26 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

None

**FC140.25/26 PUBLIC SPEAKING/QUESTIONS AT COUNCIL MEETINGS**

None

**FC141.25/26 MINUTES**

**RESOLVED:** MU proposed to approve the minutes of the Full Council held on 16<sup>th</sup> February 2026, seconded by CC and agreed by all members present.

**FC142.25/26 CHAIR'S REPORT**

Cllr Ruscoe presented his pre-circulated report.

**FC143.25/26 SHROPSHIRE COUNCILLOR'S REPORT**

Cllr Trickett presented her pre-circulated report.

Cllr Trickett left the meeting for another commitment.

**FC144.25/26 CLERKS REPORT**

The Clerk presented her pre-circulated report.

**FC145.25/26 PAYMENTS AND RECEIPTS**

**REOLVED:** NT proposed to approve all payments and receipts, as per the attached schedule, including February 2026 salary payments, seconded by TM and agreed by all members present.

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- FC146.25/26 PENSIONS DISCRETIONARY POLICY**  
**RESOLVED:** DE proposed to approve the updated policy, seconded by KT and agreed by all members present.
- FC147.25/26 MEETING SCHEDULE**  
 Noted
- FC148.25/26 SCOUTS**  
**RESOLVED:** MU proposed to approve offer of YCB lease/lease of land to Scouts for exclusive use, in addition to approve the legionella risk assessment quote for £200, seconded by AP and agreed by all members present.
- FC149.25/26 COMMUNITY DAY**  
**RESOLVED:** TC proposed to approve arrangements for the Community Day, May 4<sup>th</sup> including up to £200 towards refreshments and entertainment provision from the parish council, seconded TM and agreed by all members present.
- FC150.25/26 STANLEY PARKER PLAYING FIELDS**  
**RESOLVED:** AP proposed to approve mapped area of lease, seconded by DE and agreed by all members present.
- FC151.25/26 TO REVIEW THE EFFECTIVENESS OF INTERNAL CONTROLS**  
**RESOLVED:** KT proposed to approve the updated report, seconded by NT and agreed by all members present.

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