LITTLE BUDWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 4 April 2017 in the Village Hall

Present: Mr R Hall (chairman), Dr C Hall, Mr N Lang, Mrs K Lawson

and Mr R Morris.

In attendance: Mr G Cookson – clerk to the council Ms E More Dutton

Apologies: Mrs C Cowap, Mrs J Marshall and Mr P Robinson

1 MEMBERSHIP

The co-option of Caroline Hall as a member of the council was confirmed. The necessary acceptance of office forms were signed and Caroline was welcomed to her first meeting.

2 MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 7 March were confirmed as a correct record.

3 MATTERS ARISING

There were no matters arising from the minutes of the previous meeting.

4 PLANNING MATTERS

Notice of Decision APP NO: 16/05647/FUL

PROPOSAL: Single storey storage building **LOCATION:** The Hollies Forest Road Tarporley

Approval of planning permission.

5 VILLAGE GREEN

A meeting of the VG Committee had taken place on 9 March at which planning for the summer fete had been discussed.

6 VILLAGE HALL

Work on the signage for the car park is progressing.

7. CORRESPONDENCE AND OTHER MATTERS

Parish Plan: it was reported that Caroline had agreed to join the communications team working on the plan.

Little Budworth Common: incidents of fly-tipping had been reported –

these will be followed up.

8. FINANCE

The following payments were authorised:
G Cookson – salary 1-30 April (cheque no 100637)
HMRC – PAYE, Jan – Mar £96.75 (cheque no 100638)
CHALC – membership 2017/18 £188.30 (cheque no 100639)
J Wright – mowing and maintenance £70.00 (cheque number 100640)

9 OTHER BUSINESS

Planting Programme: Richard and Neville indicated that they had identified a number of planting sites along Vicarage Lane and also that the Cenotaph was in need of cleaning – costs to be obtained. **Highway Fingerposts:** Eveleigh More Dutton reported that CWaC was willing to gift highway fingerposts to parish councils in return for an ongoing commitment from the parish to maintain the posts. The council will give further consideration to this.

10. NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will take place on Tuesday 2 May in the Village Hall at 7.30pm with the parish assembly taking place on Thursday 20 April.