

## **WESTON AND BASFORD PARISH MEETING**

### **23<sup>RD</sup> APRIL 2015**

**PRESENT** Councillor J Densem (Chairman)

Councillor J Cornell (Vice chairman)

Councillors, J Chamberlain, J Chambers, T Eatough, J Edwards,  
E Dickenson, L Gill, T Gill and P Grant.

**IN ATTENDANCE** Councillors J Clowes and J Hammond  
8 Local Residents

#### **1. MINUTES OF PARISH MEETING HELD 29TH APRIL 2014**

**RESOLVED:** That the Minutes of the Parish Meeting held 29th April 2014 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

#### **2. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PARISH COUNCIL**

Councillor J Densem, Chairman of the Parish Council presented the Annual Report of the Parish Council.

The Chairman reported in detail the many achievements of the Council during the year and thanked all those who had made this possible.

The Parish Council had been dealing with a range of issues affecting local residents and had liaised with the Borough Council. Thanks were due to Councillors Janet Clowes and John Hammond for their continued support.

The Vice-Chairman, Councillor J Cornell, spoke of the work of the Planning Committee. Planning issues continued to be of particular concern to the Parish Council and residents. Several meetings had been held with the Leader of the Borough Council and senior officers regarding the Local Plan and specific development proposals.

Mr Andrew Thomson had continued as Planning Consultant and had been closely involved with the Local Plan Examination in Public and the preparation of the Neighbourhood Plan.

The HS2 proposals currently under discussion would have a marked effect on the Parish and were being closely monitored with representations being made as necessary.

Councillor J Chambers reported on the continuing large number of visits to the web-site.

The Chairman expressed thanks to all those who had contributed to the work of the Parish Council.

### **3. COUNCILLOR MAGGIE JONES**

The Chairman spoke of the long and distinguished record of public service carried out by Councillor Maggie Jones as a Member of both the former Crewe and Nantwich Borough Council and Weston and Basford Parish Council. Councillor Jones had indicated that she would not be seeking re-election in the forthcoming elections.

The Chairman presented a gift to Councillor Jones in appreciation of her service

### **4. OPEN FORUM**

At the conclusion of the Meeting refreshments were served to provide an opportunity for informal discussions.

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**CHAIRMAN**