

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING OF
BRADWALL PARISH COUNCIL
Held on Wednesday 22nd May 2019 at Bradwall Village Hall**

PRESENT: Cllr. G. Gnyp – Chair BPC Cllr. G. Williams – Vice-Chair BPC
Cllr. R. Smedley - BPC Cllr. S. Beck - BPC
Cllr. M. Acton - BPC Mrs F Stops - Clerk

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC: Mike & Tania Gunning

1. APOLOGIES: Cllr. M. Ollier – BPC

2. TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE LAST ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

The minutes of the last parish meeting held on 9th May 2018 were approved and signed as a correct record. Proposed by Cllr. Gnyp and seconded by Cllr. Smedley.

3. TO RECEIVE THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The end of year accounts for the year ending 31st March 2018, invoices, bank statements and reconciliation were presented and received by the meeting.

4. ANY QUESTION ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

None

5. TO RECEIVE THE CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

The Chairman reported that yet again it had been a relatively quiet year for the council. The major concern and frustration has been the state of the roads and the lack of action from Cheshire East Council to carry out effective repairs. A traffic survey undertaken in February 2019 did highlight the volumes of traffic using the roads, particularly at "rush hour" times. However it was shown that the speed of the traffic is generally not excessive and is self-limiting. There have been relatively few planning applications submitted over the past year and there was nothing of concern to the council. The council income was healthy and the solar farm community benefit fund had been used to establish the community orchard. Three new dog waste bins have also been purchased and installed. Further ideas on how to use the monies from the community benefit fund would be welcomed. The Chairman thanked the Clerk for her work, Katrina Gnyp for maintaining the website and the Councillors for attending the meetings and their support over the past year.

Finally, it was noted with regret, that former member and Chairman, John C. K. Elliott MBE formerly of Bradwall House, passed away at the beginning of the year.

6. ANY QUESTIONS OR MATTERS RAISED BY THE PUBLIC

No questions received or comments made.

The meeting closed at 8.30pm, this was then followed by the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council.

Signed by RFO/Clerk

Chairman