

RISBY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the extraordinary meeting of the Parish Council held on Thursday 22nd October 2020

Councillors present: Derrick Abrey (Chairman), Ian Turner (Vice-chairman), Simon Gray, Steve Smith and Chris Sutton

Also present: Joanne Kirk (Clerk) and four members of the public.

The following issues were raised during the Open Forum:

1. Acceptance of apologies for absence

Apologies were received from and the reason for absence accepted.

2. Declaration of Interest in items on the agenda and dispensation requests

Derrick Abrey declared a family connection with one of the potential candidates.

1. Co-option of two new parish councillors - presentations by residents who have put their names forward to be co-opted.

Four residents have expressed an interest in joining the Parish Council. They introduced themselves and explained why they were interested in becoming councillors.

The Chairman explained that the Council would make the decision about who to co-opt during a closed session at the end of the meeting and would notify both residents of their decision after the meeting.

3. Closed session to discuss which new councillors to co-opt.

The Chairman ended the meeting and a closed session was held to discuss the co-option of a new councillor.

It was resolved that Jean Savigar and John Fairlie would be co-opted onto the Parish Council. The clerk agreed to email a Declaration of Acceptance of Office and a Register of Member’s Interest form.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7.50pm.

Signed (Chairman) Dated