

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD ON
MONDAY 11th MAY 2009 AT THE EAST DEAN VILLAGE HALL**

Present: Max Davies (Chairman), Kate Shaw, Tim Calloway, Tim Weeks,
Rob Chalmers, Peter West

In Attendance: Parish Clerk: Karen Barrett
Mike Hall (County Councillor)
5 parishioners

Apologies: Lesley West, Henry Potter (District Councillor),
Carly Churchill-Wright (PCSO)

The Chairman welcomed all parishioners to the meeting.

1. Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on 12th May 2008 were read and approved, and signed by the Chairman.

2. Matters Arising

Manor Farm Development

The paddock had NOT been conveyed to the Parish Council by Goodwood, despite the agreement and the parish council was not happy. The planners were adamant that it should remain an open space, and the developer had also agreed but not yet in writing.

Additional planning permission for the changes had not yet been applied for. When this is done the parish council will put in our caveat that we should have in writing that this paddock will be protected for future generations.

A short discussion ensued about other planning queries as work is now progressing

St Richards

This was included in the County Councillor's report (attached).

3. Chairman's Report

The Chairman's written report was read to the meeting (attached). The report would be published in the Valley Diary, which reaches every house in the valley as well as every house in East Dean. It would also be published on the website along with the minutes.

4. Election of Officers

Chairman: Max Davies proposed Kate Shaw, seconded Rob Chalmers and carried unanimously

Vice Chairman: Kate Shaw proposed Max Davies, seconded Tim Weeks and carried unanimously

5. Financial Statement

At 31st March 2008, the end of the financial year, the funds stood at £790.67

6. Any Other Business

6.1 Report from the County Councillor, Mike Hall (attached)

This was summarised by Councillor Mike Hall, and will be filed in the minute book.

6.2 Alex Brown

Following Alex Brown's untimely death, the Chairman had written to his widow on behalf of East Dean Parish Council

6.3 Southern Water meeting

Singleton Parish Council had last month called a meeting with Southern Water, CDC and the other local parish councils to discuss the problem of sewage being pumped into the river at Charlton. This would be reported in detailed at the parish council meeting to follow.

6.4 Parish Clerk

Thanks were extended to the parish clerk.

There being no other business, the meeting closed at 7.30 pm