

**The following are the minutes of a meeting  
of Great Wishford Parish Council  
on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2020**

This is a record of a meeting held via Zoom, after legislation was relaxed to allow councils to meet virtually. It replaced the meeting that was abandoned due to lockdown on 26<sup>th</sup> March 2020, based on the agenda that was published on the website.

**Present**

Mr S Noble, Mrs S Chalk, Ms J Blenkinsop and Mrs C Musselwhite

**1. Apologies**

Mr P Dewey

**2. Minutes**

The minutes of the meeting on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2019 were agreed and signed.

**3. Matters arising**

**a. Speeding in the Village.**

The [Traffic Count](#) has been returned. The results show that 85% of all vehicles recorded were travelling at speeds at or below 26.3mph, with 68% of vehicles recorded travelling at an average speed of 24.3 mph.

This shows that reducing the speed limit in the village from 30mph down to 20mph has slowed traffic down but not in all cases to the 20mph limit. We will now consider what, if any, further interventions might be possible or appropriate.

**b. Reports to Wiltshire Council.**

There are still streetlights in the village that are not operating and will need to be reported again

**4. County Councillor's Report- Cllr Kevin Daley**

Councillor Daley has sent a [comprehensive report](#) on the county response to coronavirus.

**5. Payment of Accounts**

PCC	20.00
Parish magazine	120.00
Clerks and councils	12.00
Clerk	244.80

**6. General Business**

**Village response to coronavirus.**

The Vicar and the Chairman of the Parish Council coordinated the provision of a flyer to villagers, offering support at this time. Three contact names were given for people who

needed shopping, prescriptions picking up or any other help. These people had others that they could call on for assistance in this. There is a Whats App group that is keeping in touch and the council had corresponded by email until legislation was passed enabling them to hold virtual meetings via Zoom.

At this time, the end of April, there is not a great deal of demand for support from villagers, volunteers are coping with the volume.

**7. Any Other Business**

The Parish Steward is to be contacted to clear debris in South Street.

**8. Date of next meeting:**

**Annual meeting to be agreed for late May.**

This will be a virtual meeting and will be hosted by the Chairman on Zoom. An Agenda, with details of how villagers can access this meeting will be posted on the notice board and on the council website.

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