MINUTES OF THE MILCOMBE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD ON ZOOM ON TUESDAY 11 MAY 2021 AT 8.00PM

PRESENT: Chairman, Councillor Marlene Cowell; Councillors Mandie McCullough and Myra Peters.

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE: Theresa Goss (Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer) and two members of the public.

APOLOGIES: County Councillor Kieron Mallon and District Councillor Hugo Brown.

Thanks were passed to Mark Boardman for producing the leaflets regarding the need for new Parish Councillors and also to those volunteers who had delivered them around the village. This support was much appreciated by the Parish Council.

The Chairman reminded the meeting that anyone who wished to apply to be co-opted onto the Parish Council, should contact the Clerk for more details.

- **MINUTES** The minutes of the meeting held on 7 May 2019 were agreed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.
- **MATTERS ARISING** There were no matters arising from the minutes of the meeting held on 7 May 2019.
- **3/21 CHAIRMAN'S REPORT 2020/2021** Prior to the meeting, the Chairman had circulated her report on the Parish Council's work for the last 12 months.

The report covered issues including grants, planning matters, the play area, Cuckoo Walk, village organisations, Milcombe Newsletter and Milcombe Charities. The Chairman also paid tribute to HRH, The Prince Philip Duke of Edinburgh, Keith Mitchel MBE and Beryl Whing, who had all passed away in the last 12 months.

The Chairman also thanked the Councillors and Clerk for their work during the year.

The full report was available on the village web site www.milcombe.com

4/21 DISCUSSION OF CHAIRMAN'S REPORT – The Chairman asked if there were any questions on her report.

There were no questions.

FINANCIAL REPORT - The Clerk presented to the Annual Parish Meeting, the financial report for 2020/2021. The figures had been subject to internal audit and gave an accurate picture of the activities of the year. There were no matters of clarification.

The Parish Council accounts for 2020/2021 was available on the village web site www.milcombe.com

6/21 COUNTY & DISTRICT COUNCILLORS REPORT – Prior to the meeting, County Councillor Kieron Mallon and District Councillor Hugo Brown had circulated their reports.

The reports were available on the village web site www.milcombe.com

7/21 VILLAGE ORGANISATIONS – The Chairman advised that an update on the village hall and the Milcombe Newsletter had been covered in the Chairman's report. However, the Village Hall Committee still needed to find a Treasurer.

Thanks were passed to Mark Boardman for publishing the Newsletter and also to Nig	el Davis and
John Ellison for erecting the new noticeboard outside the Village Hall.	

8/21	RESIDENTS'	QUESTIONS -	There were no	questions.
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The Chairman thanked everyone for attending and the meeting was closed.

(The meeting closed at 8.30pm)
Chairman
22 March 2022