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A meeting of Wistow Parish Council took place on Tuesday, 31<sup>st</sup> May 2016 following the AGM, in the Village Hall, with Mr Carter in the Chair.

	/ir Carter in the Chair.	
2016/17-19	To receive apologies for absence – None	
	Present: Mr Bucknell, Mr Carter, Mrs Coles, Mr Gregory, Ms	
	Leaton, Mr Leigh, Mrs Tavener, Mr Tew. Members of the	
	public, Ms Emery, Mr Twigden, Mr Smith and Mr Butler.	
2016/17-20	To Receive Declarations of Interest	
2016/17-20.1	All Parish Councillors as Trustees of the Village Hall	
2016/17-20.2	Mr MacInnes and Ms Leaton as members of the Village Hall	
	Committee.	
2016/17-21	Public Participation	
	Mr Smith and Mr Butler had read an article in the Hunts Post	
	regarding a pub becoming a Community Asset and had come	
	to the meeting to ask the Parish Council to look into	
	ensuring our village pub is not lost. There was some	
	discussion on how this could be done and the Clerk would	
	look into options. Upwood had registered their pub and she	
	would contact the Upwood Clerk and CAMRA for advice. Mr	Clerk
	Bucknell explained options, and that registration would give	
	extra time. Clerk to report back next meeting. Mr Smith left	
	the meeting.	
2016/17-22	Approve the Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting on 26 <sup>th</sup>	
2010/17 22	April 2016	
	Having been circulated prior to the meeting the minutes	
	were approved as a true record and signed.	Mr Carter
2016/17-23	Matters for information only	
2010/17-25	Items 1 to 11 were discussed with no further action required	
2016/17-24	Policing Matters	
2016/17-24.1	Speedwatch update, training had happened and an order	
2010/1/-24.1	had been placed for the kit.	
2016/17-24.2	Various ecops updates	
2010/17-24.2	A car had been broken into in Oaklands Avenue and a car	
2010/17-24.5	seat taken.	
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2016/17-24.4	Message from Sir Graham Bright on leaving PCC office.	
2016/17-25	To receive reports from District and County Councillors	
2016/17-25.1	Mr Tew reported that County were looking at devolution,	
	and combined authorities to save money. Adult social care	
	is covered and would not be affected. Highways open day	
2010/17 25 2	on18th July.	
2016/17-25.2	Mr Bucknell reported that HDC are also discussing	
	devolution. There is an open day at the tree nursery at	
2010/17 25 2	Godmanchester on 4 <sup>th</sup> June.	
2016/17-25.3	Mrs Tavener had nothing to report on this occasion	
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2016/17-26	Finance	
2016/17-26.1	The Financial Statement and Cashflow for May was	
2010/17 20.1	discussed and agreed	
	payment of the following was approved	
	CGM grasscutting £1500.00	
	Mrs P Coles, salary £285.51	
	Mrs P Coles, expenses £44.43	
	Mrs R Moore, internal audit £50.00	
2016/17-26.2	c) Income in May – none, invoice raised to CCC for	
	grasscutting.	
2016/17-27	Correspondence	
2016/17-27.1	Invitation to Heritage Lottery Green spaces event on 1 <sup>st</sup> July	
2016/17-27.2	Electoral Review, draft recommendations.	
2016/17-28	To consider any Planning Applications received and planning	
	related issues	
2016/17-28.1	Chestnuts Farm, Church Street, Wistow 16/000773/HHFUL,	
2010/17 2011	Proposed replacement of garage and store. Approval was	Clerk
	recommended.	olen k
2016/17-28.2	A response had been received regarding the wall in Harris	
2010/17 2012	Lane. An error had been made by HDC Planning when	
	advising the occupant of the allowed height of wall.	
	Therefore no action was appropriate.	
2016/17-28.3	The new email planning system had received some criticism	
	with emails going back and forth. We had downloaded the	
	above application without difficulty and already use email to	
	respond.	
2016/17-28.4	Registering a community asset, this has already been	
	covered.	
2016/17-29	Highways Report/Traffic Matters	
2016/17-29.1		Mr Leigh/Ms
	decided upon. Miss Leaton was asked to find out whether	Leaton
	there was any discount if 2 were purchased. If it works in	
	tandem with speedwatch then one fixed unit would be	
	appropriate. It was agreed that it should be a powered unit.	
2016/17-29.2	Mr Leigh was progressing with CCTV and would report back	Mr Leigh
	at the next meeting.	
2016/17-29.3	Mr Tew encouraged attendance at the Highways open day.	Mr Leigh
	Mr Leigh would confirm whether he could attend.	
2016/17-29.4	No further outstanding issues	
2016/17-30	Maintenance Issues	
2016/17-30.1	Mr Carter and Mr MacInnes were working on the	
	playground and would need to purchase materials to repair	Mr Carter/Mr
	the wooden trail along with basic screw caps etc. This was	MacInnes
	agreed. They hoped to have most of the work completed	
	prior to the school holidays. Mr Carter was completing the	
	grant forms for the aerial runway but this was unlikely to be	
	in place prior to the school holidays.	
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2016/17-30.2	Mr Leigh had completed the risk assessment forms. Ms Leaton June, Mr Carter July.	
2016/17-31	Annual Audit	
	Please note that the agenda shows an incorrect order of business. The Annual Governance Statement must be	
	approved prior to the account statements.	
2016/17-31.1	Mrs Moore has now carried out the internal audit and is	
2016/17 21 2	happy with our procedures and accounts.	Ma Conton on d
2016/17-31.2 2016/17-31.3	The Annual Governance Statement was read and approved. The accounts had been circulated prior to the meeting and it	Mr Carter and Clerk to sign
2010/17-31.3	was agreed that they truly reflect the financial position.	paperwork at
	Proposed Mr Carter, seconded Mr MacInnes	meeting
2016/17-31.4	The Account Statements shown on the annual return were	C C
	read and approved.	
2016/17-32	Administration issues	
2016/17-32.1	Complaints procedure, Mr Carter had circulated his	
	proposed review which was well received. Mr Gregory proposed its adoption, seconded by Ms Leaton and agreed.	
	The Clerk will publish it.	Clerk
2016/17-32.2	Mrs Anna Janik-Emery had applied to become a Parish	
	Councillor. Mr Gregory proposed and Mr Leigh seconded	
	her co-option. This was unanimously agreed and Mr Carter	
	welcomed her to the Parish Council. The Clerk furnished her	
2016/17 22 2	with a little 'light reading'.	
2016/17-32.3	Mr Carter needed some further information to complete the survey on street lighting in Manor Street, the Clerk would	
	print it and it was agreed that Councillors would knock on	
	doors and try and get an answer on the spot. The cost of	
	installation would be put onto the survey so that everyone	
	was aware.	
2016/17-32.4	It was agreed to renew our CAPALC membership at a cost of £210.81	
2016/17-33	Working parties feedback and updates	
2016/17-33a 2016/17-33b	Litter – nothing to report Countryside- Mr Gregory had nothing to report.	
2010/17-33c	Village Hall – Mr MacInnes reported that the Village Hall	
	Committee were preparing for Fun Weekend and looking at	
	funding.	
2016/17-34	Items for Wistow Warbler and Website	
	Mr Carter and Dr Farrar had had an initial meeting regarding	
	the website and Dr Farrar was going to put together some	
	proposals and costs. Information on the A14 and CCC Parish news letter had been sent to Dr Farrar and Mrs Williams.	
2016/17-35	Monthly Audit	
, _, _, _,	Mr Gregory is our auditor for May, Mr Leigh volunteered for	
	July.	
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2016/17-36	Matters for future consideration
2016/17-36.1	PCC to come back to us regarding clearing graveyard
2016/17-36.2	Community Plan
2016/17-37	Date of Next Meeting
	The next meeting would be on Tuesday, 26 <sup>th</sup> July 2016, at
	7.30 pm
	There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.50
	pm
	FINANCE REPORT
	CGM grasscutting £1500.00
	Mrs P Coles, salary £285.51
	Mrs P Coles, expenses £44.43
	Mrs R Moore, internal audit £50.00
	CAPALC renewal £210.81
	Balance as at 29 <sup>th</sup> May 2016
	Current account £17879.50
	Deposit account £15794.17
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