

# EAST WITTERING & BRACKLESHAM ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

## MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2022 AT BRACKLESHAM BARN, BEECH AVENUE, BRACKLESHAM

**PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS** Cllr. Brian Reeves Cllr. P. Kensington  
**PRESENT:** Cllr. J O’Sullivan Cllr. A. Whitcher  
Cllr. D. Holden Cllr. P. Kensington  
Cllr Joanna El-Batal

**IN ATTENDANCE** East Wittering and Bracklesham 7 x members of the public  
Parish Clerk, Sam Tate

1. The Parish Council Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

### **Minutes of the last meeting**

The minutes of the meeting held on the 12<sup>th</sup> March 2020 were confirmed as an accurate record and signed the Chairman.

2. **Chairman’s Report**

The Chairman gave the [attached](#) report on the activities of the Parish Council during the past year.

3. **Questions from residents**

### **Does Parish Council have an input into influencing infrastructure concerns to support development – specifically issues around access to doctors and medical services?**

*A – We have no direct influence on this – the calculation is undertaken by the NHS, who assess capacity of the surgery.*

### **Are there likely to be changes to planning law?**

*A – We believe that there will be changes to legislation within the levelling up bill, which is scheduled for this session of parliament, but there has not yet been any detail published on what this means and how it will work in detail – we are awaiting the draft legislation before we can comment further.*

### **Does sewage capacity influence planning decisions?**

*No – SW have a statutory duty to provide wastewater services, so it is not a planning consideration, as in theory the network should be upgraded to accommodate this – even if we know that this will not happen.*

Before closing the meeting, the Chairman requested that residents help to develop the Vision by providing ideas and feedback for the key areas.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Chair Date \_\_\_\_\_