MORETON, BOBBINGWORTH AND THE LAVERS PARISH COUNCIL

DRAFT MINUTES

Meeting: Council Meeting **Date:** 14th March 2024 **Time:** 7.30 PM

Venue: Magdalen Laver Village Hall

PRESENT:

Councillors (9): Cllr Crosbie (Chairman), Cllr Busch, Cllr Darken*, Cllr Offord, Cllr Padfield,

Cllr Stuart, Cllr Collins, Cllr Martin, Cllr Day

Also in Attendance (1): Adriana Jones - Clerk

Members of the Public: (2) Inc EFDC Cllr Balcombe, and one member of public

Members of the Press (0)

* for part of meeting

PC.390 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE (1)

Councillor Leverich.

PC.391 OTHER ABSENCES

None.

PC.392 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Cllr Padfield declared a disclosable pecuniary interest in agenda item 21, regarding EPF/0161/24, confirming she would leave the room.

PC.393 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

The minutes of the Council meeting held on 9th January 2024 were approved. **PROPOSED** Cllr Stuart, and **SECONDED** Cllr Busch. All agreed.

PC.394 PARISHIONERS' FORUM

The Chairman welcomed members of the public present and invited them to address the Council. A local resident advised there were a number of issues he wished to raise, including the state of the roads and number of potholes in the Parish, expressing his disappointment that these were not filled as it the duty of ECC. He continued, stating that the County Councillors very rarely attends these meetings, and that he felt the Parish was poorly served by both its District and County Councillors, with their being no support for Parish concerns, specifically mentioning the issue of Biogen at ECC last summer and planning. With regard to Biogen, the resident advised the meeting held in December was well attended, but that the site had now been sold, and it was hoped the new owners would do a better job. He stated that this Council should be putting a lot of pressure on the Environment Agency who have not policed that site. The local resident expressed his concern about the Tilegate application that was included in the agenda, stating that he felt District Council had been totally out of order regarding the site. He advised he would be pleased to see the end of the current District Administration and new Councillors on board. He advised that there was a document entitled 'Probity in Planning' which recommend District Councillors should visit at least one site per year to see the result of permission granted, and he suggested that Tilegate would be a good site to go to.

[Cllr Darken arrived]

The resident stated that he felt that if a Councillor had a planning application, it should not be dealt with under delegated powers but considered by full Council, for reasons of transparency. The Clerk summarised the current delegated powers process, advising that any such applications were considered by full council, and that the process was robust, stating that we cannot be responsible for peoples perceptions. Cllr Padfield asked if this was pertaining to the application on which she had expressed an interest, to which the resident advised it was, and as such Cllr Padfield left the room. The resident expressed concern that the public perception of such applications could be negative, stating that a similar situation had occurred previously. The Chairman reiterated that the current process was sound. The resident stated that he also understood concerns over retrospective applications, however felt this was a matter that could never be resolved. The Chairman thanked the resident for his comments. Cllr Padfield returned to the meeting.

PC.395 REPORTS

- a) Chairmans report covered under different agenda items.
- b) Vice Chairmans report no report.
- c) District and County Councillor reports EFDC Cllr Balcombe advised that Alex Burghurt had indeed been dealing with the Biogen matter, and that after some resistance by EFDC for reasons that it was an ECC issue, an officer had finally took the matter on and had been dealing with it accordingly. It had only been in the last few months that EFDC had been invited on site, Cllr Balcombe stated it was his understanding that if not already done then the heaps would be reduced to 3m in the near future. With regard to the upcoming District elections, there would be ward changes and Cllr Balcombe had been selected to be one of the Councillors to stand for election to represent the new ward. He comes from a farming background, understands village life, and has been a Chairman of a Parish Council for 12 years. Cllr Balcombe asked if there was any feedback on how the waste collection service had been conducted over the last two months, to which Councillors advised there was no issue. Cllr Balcombe advised things were moving forward, and from 4th November the waste collection service would be taken on by EFDC, both managed and owned wholly by EFDC. New dust carts had been purchased, and the new waste hub would be located on North Weald Airfield. Looking into the future, EFDC was looking at doing away with recycling bags and introducing a Blue Wheelie Bin for glass and recycling. This would allow control as to how much the dust carts collect each week.
- d) Parish Councillor reports Cllr Padfield advised there was no update on the possibility of a memorial for Carol Foulser at Magdalen Laver Village Hall, however she understood this would be on their April meeting for consideration. Cllr Padfield suggested an approach should be made directly from the Parish Council, and it was agreed the Clerk would contact the hall committee.
- e) Police Report The Clerk read out the submitted written report from PC Warren Shepherd regarding crime activity in the Parish for the last 6 months.

PC.396 ELECTIONS 2ND MAY 2024

Councillors were reminded that 2nd May 2024 was polling day for Parish, District and PFCC elections. Attached to the agenda were guidance notes that the Clerk had completed to aid Councillors who may wish to stand for election again. It was noted that Cllr Martin would not be standing again, and he was thanked for his service to the Parish. The Clerk advised she would email Councillors directly to assist them with their paperwork and submission timings. It was noted that there was expected to be a number of seats that perhaps would not be filled. Cllr Stuart advised he would be happy to stand for Bobbingworth.

Councillors were also reminded that there would be new electoral district wards going forward, with the new Rural East district being represented by three district councillors. A map of both the old and new wards was attached to the agenda.

PC.397 FINGER POSTS

The Chairman advised that he had been in touch with Theydon Bois Cllr Anthony Purkiss who over the past few years has been spearheading a project to keep and maintain fingerposts/directional signs in the Epping Forest District. Cllr Purkiss had advised that through EFDC they were able to supply a three fingered post in Iroko or similar hardwood, painted in black and white with letters and installed by the Rangers for £1400 (price may vary in the future). It was confirmed that public right of way directional signposts were not included in this. It was also noted that two finger posts – one on the corner of Gainsthorpe Road, and one near High Laver Church – had already been renovated. Cllr Purkiss suggested an audit of the fingerposts in the Parish would be useful both now and in the future, and it was agreed that Councillors would keep their eye out for any finger posts in the Parish and advise the Clerk of their location so a record could be created.

PC.398 PARKING ISSUES MORETON SCHOOL

In January the Chairman met with representatives of Moreton School to try and work towards a collaborative approach to resolving some of the parking issues. During the meeting it was agreed that there was no perfect solution to the problem, but some specific measures could help reduce the problem, and that it was a case of the school, residents and Parish Council working together moving forward. Councillors noted there had been two responses as a result of the letter, one positive and one raising concerns about the Highway Code. Councillors considered the agreed outcomes of the meeting as follows:

1. Portable signage and banners for use by the school to be identified and information passed to the Parish council – Details were attached to the agenda. The school would be responsible for these

items. It was agreed to purchase one banner and two figures, on the understanding that the banner was not erected on a permanent basis, but sporadically to stop any complacency and have a greater impact. The total cost of this would be £419.34 plus delivery and VAT. The Clerk to liaise with the school to gain their agreement about the terms. It was also agreed to ask them about the drop off times and if this was causing a further issue.

- 2. Application for funds for the above by Parish Council Action Parish council as above
- 3. Contact with Village Hall Committee/ Schwier Farm for update on project and potential for short term parking solution on adjacent field Action Parish Council. Noted that this field gets extremely wet, and may not be suitable with access on and off the field being extremely difficult. It was understood this field was being used as part of the litter pick, and that feedback should be sought as to how this went on the day of the litter pick.
- 4. As action 3 but for footpath link to church carpark— Action Parish Council.
- 5. Open letter to parents regarding parking and the impact on residents—Action Parish Council (completed February 2024) Copies already emailed to Councillors.
- 6. Letter to residents with update on the meeting Action Parish Council (completed February 2024) Copies already emailed to Councillors.

Cllr Day advised that the Dog and Pickle Car park never seemed to be at full capacity, and that if users of the school have a right to use it, they should be encouraged to do so.

PC.399 WEBSITE / CLERKS EMAIL

As agreed at the January meeting, from mid-March the Parish Councils new website will be www.mblparishcouncil.co.uk. This domain is managed for the Parish Council by Vikatechost. After reviewing further, the Parish Council was also paying for the domain mblparishcouncil.com, which it seems was only used for the Wix website that will no longer be used. As such, it was agreed not to renew this .com domain, albeit the website was not expected to be down until end of March. Councillors noted that the Clerk had now moved the main email over to the mblparishcouncil.co.uk domain and will no longer be using Gmail. Councillors were asked to advise the Clerk of any specific information or pages they should be included on the website, so this can be updated.

PC.400 ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PARISH

It was agreed to hold the annual meeting of the Parish at 7.15pm on 14th May, just before the first meeting of the Parish Council. This will allow a brief update by the Chairman, a report on the Parish Accounts for 23/24, and an opportunity for members of the public to raise any questions.

PC.401 D-DAY

Parish and Town Councils across the country are being encouraged to take part in the 80th anniversary of the D-Day landings in Normandy, France in 1944 taking place on 6th June 2024 by the lighting of a beacon. Councils were encouraged to purchase a Light of Peace Lamp to pay 'tribute' to those that gave so much to enable us to share the freedom we have today. The light from the flame will represent the 'light of peace' that emerged from the darkness of war, with the lamp providing a very simple and safe way of taking part in this important 80th anniversary occasion. Councillors discussed this matter in details, and agreed that rather than spending money of purchasing a lamp that would be used once, what was important was that the event was marked, and that the Council would find its own mechanism by which to mark this occasion. Cllr Day suggested the silhouettes of soldiers had an emotional impact, and it was agreed the Clerk would find out costs and report to the next meeting.

PC.402 COMMUNITY DEFIBRILLATORS

The Chairman advised that after the Clerk had been informed the batteries in the Moreton Defibrillator needed replacing (which was completed) both he and the Clerk had looked into the management of the two community defibrillators, and at present quarterly visual checks were completed by a member of the community at a cost of £50 per check. This had been previously agreed by Council in 2021. In addition, the defibrillators were not registered with The Circuit, and as such the Ambulance Service did not know they existed. The Chairman stated each defibrillator should be stored in a heated cabinet, however this was not the case for Moreton, albeit he had established that the cabinet could be connected to the electricity and heated. He further advised that new laminated instruction notices had been placed at both defibrillator sites. Cllr Padfield advised there were a number of defibrillators in the local community, such as on local farms, and that a 'roaming' defibrillator was taken to all events and services in the Lavers Church Communities. It would be helpful to understand where these were. Cllr Busch stated that a new defibrillator should perhaps be considered for the phone box at Little Laver. After further discussion, the following was agreed:

- The Clerk to complete a visual monthly check of each defibrillator using the list provided by the manufacturer, register the defibrillators with The Circuit, and update each inspection on The Circuit.
- The Clerk to place a laminated notice in the phone boxes giving a contact number asking people to call if the defibrillator is used.
- The Clerk to advise the member of the public that their services are no longer needed.
- The Chairman to make arrangements to connect the defibrillator cabinet at Moreton to the electricity in the phone box.
- The Chairman would continue to source information regarding an annual service by the manufacturer of both defibrillators, and this would be considered at the next parish council meeting.
- The Clerk would create a list of defibrillators in, and local to, the Parish, available for public use.

PC.403 REQUEST FOR GRANT FUNDING

Cllr Stuart advised that a planned Community Spirit litter pick would be taking place on 16th March, with 140 volunteers already signed up to take part, split in to 20 teams collecting litter across the Parish. Mr Cooper and Moreton School were heavily involved in this event. Initially they were looking for grant funding to support the event, however due to a great uptake in sponsorship this is no longer needed. Cllr Padfield advised that she had been approached for sponsorship, stating that it would be helpful to have had details of exactly what the sponsorship was for. Cllr Stuart advised he would feed this back to the organisers.

PC.404 COMMUNITY SPEEDWATCH (CSW)

Cllr Martin advised that strangely the CSW comes under the remit of the fire service, and that he had put himself forward as Chairman of a local CSW group to try and raise interest by volunteers in setting up a Moreton CSW team. Cllr Martin had received an email in January from Janet Whiley (CSW Coordinator) advising there had been a block on new sites which had now been lifted, but that Liam Collins (Road Safety Technician for Essex Highways) had now risk assessed the 4 sites that the group had requested, and two had been approved - one outside Moreton School, and the other at the edge of the village green. The sites must be within 200m of the 30MPH zone, and there are strict requirements for signage and how the CSW operates. The next stage is to have classroom training for the 13 volunteers. Cllr Martin advised that Sheering also want to set up a group, and he had been advised they may need to join with them for the training. The Chairman asked if Fyfield were also doing CSW, however it was not clear if they were. Cllr Martin advised that the CSW organisation loan the group all the necessary equipment, including a speed gun, however it was noted that the Parish Council could purchase its own gun should this be deemed necessary.

Regarding 20s-Plenty, Cllr Martin advised that lobbying was still taking place at County level, and that EALC were expected to be asked for a slot at the next EALC annual meeting in September.

PC.405 EFDC COMMUNITY CHAMPION

The Clerk had received an email from the Community Engagement Officer at EFDC advising they had appointed Sue Dawson as the Community Champion for Moreton. The Clerk has been in touch with the Officer, and she has agreed to attend a future meeting (either May or July) so she can brief the Council on this scheme. Hopefully Sue will also be available at this time.

PC.406 MORETON VILLAGE GREEN

Councillors noted that the Clerk had received an update from EFDCs solicitor regarding registering Moreton Village Green who had asked for further information as to what the green was used for. Councillors were asked to contact the Clerk to confirm events or reasons for use so that she could respond to EFDC. It was also agreed that the Clerk would establish who owned the land.

PC.407 RIDE LONDON GRANT FUNDING

Councillors noted that the Clerk had applied for funding of £250 to raise awareness with local residents about the Ride London event. Councillors considered this matter and agreed that the creation of a dedicated newsletter about the event to raise awareness about dates and contact details for those who may require assistance on the day would be a good idea. The Clerk discussed distribution, and it was suggested these could be placed in public areas and on social media.

PC.408 CLERKS COMMUNICATIONS AND CORRESPONDENCE REPORT

The Clerk reported the following:

- a) ECC, EFDC, EALC and RCCE communications are emailed to Members on a regular basis and where relevant information is included
- b) Magdalen Laver VH emailed advising PC entitled to have one representative this will be on May meeting to consider.
- c) Precept request sent to EFDC

- d) Details of the Precept figures have now been released.
- e) Mike Letch, Clerk for Ongar Town Council, died on 12th February. Condolences were recorded.
- f) New batteries purchased for defibrillator, and new signage laminated.
- g) Email regarding Play in the Park events for Summer cost per session is £80 for 2 hours.
- h) ECC Recycling Centres booking system now made permanent
- i) Cllr Collins completed FOC defibrillator training at the end of February.
- j) ECC Waste Local Plan being reviewed to 2040. Current consultation deadline 19th March. No sites in or near this Parish.
- k) Email reference persistent flooding Little Laver Road reported to ECC, and liaised with resident and ECC Cllr McIvor
- I) To note that The Chairman, Cllr Busch, and the Clerk met in February to start the formal review of the Neighbourhood Plan. The Clerk has some actions to complete, but this will feature on a future agenda.
- m) Still no response from HMRC regarding PAYE query. The Clerk will phone.
- n) Clerk has submitted request to replace Moreton Sign by Moreton Lodge Ref: 2904662, and reported fallen sign near Wind Hill Ref: 2892298.
- o) Clerk received email expressing disappointment that the Parish Council did not object to recent applications for North Wilmore Barn, both of which were subsequently refused.
- p) Update requested from Alex Burghart regarding the Biogen meeting, and response received from his Senior Assistant advising Alex had emailed everyone who attended the meeting to provide the name of the contact at Epping Forest District Council that residents should contact if the smell appears. He had been copied in to a number of complaints already and would be writing to the Council at the end of this month to find out how many complaints had been logged and what action the Council can take next. The Clerk advised she had been dealing with the Claire Jaggard, Env Health officer for Air Quality at EFDC. There had been two visits to site, the last one in January, when at which time Biogen were given 17 actions to be addressed with compliance dates up to the 1st March. However since this time the site had been sold to Envar, a composting specialist, who have completed some actions and were working on the remaining ones. Envar have requested a small extension to some of the actions, stating they were undertaking a review of the site and changing some aspects as to how it operates, including reducing the height of the windrows. Councillors noted this update, and it was suggested that time should be given to the new owners to make changes.
- q) Training requirements will feature on our May / July meetings
- r) Location of Grit Bins was placed in parish magazines and is on the Parish Councils new website.

PC.409 PLANNING

a) Cllr Collins had asked for Councillors comments on the possibility of investigating further if pressure should be placed on Government to impose a fine on any applicants who apply for planning permission retrospectively. This issue was not discussed, and was deferred to the next meeting.

b) Councillors agreed the following planning responses:

EPF/0211/24	Land Adjacent to	Change of use of a stable building to offices (Class E),
	Tilegate Farm,	together with replacement windows and doors
	Tilegate Road, High	
	Laver, Ongar	

OBJECTION

The applicant states in their covering letter that there will be no elevational changes to the stable building. However, the existing plans as submitted ((02)004 Rev A Existing Plan and Elevations dated 1st March) are different to the plans as per the current planning permission in place for the Stables (EPF1086/19). This suggests that the building has been built approximately 0.5m higher than the permission granted. Obviously, this gives rise to there being a potential impact on the Green Belt as well as clear elevation changes which is contrary to the statement in the covering letter. As such, at this stage the Parish Council objects due to the potential impact on the Green Belt and concern over the accuracy of the plans submitted.

INFORMATIVE

With regard to the change of use to Class E, the Parish Councils Neighbourhood Plan makes it clear that working from home is supported. The application states that the offices would be for the sole use of the three residential properties at Tilegate Farm, so as to allow for working from home. However this application is for the conversion of a redundant stable building, the site plan suggesting this would be an entirely separate unit with no legal ties to the three residential properties at Tilegate Farm. Class E allows for many different uses and unless a planning restriction exists it could be utilised for any of the permitted uses under Class E at any time

without consultation with the local authority. The Class E use is so vast, including anything from cafés to car servicing, and restaurants to retail warehousing, many of which would be entirely inappropriate in this area. Policy MBL 2.1 of the Neighbourhood Plan supports the development of small businesses where respect for local character, residential amenity and highway safety can be demonstrated. The Parish Council is concerned that a blanket Class E use, without restriction controlled by way of condition, would not allow a sufficient amount of control to ensure policy MBL 2.1 could be achieved. As such, should the Local Planning Authority be minded to grant permission, sufficient controls should be attached to said permission to protect the rural environment and the Green Belt, restricting use to Offices for the sole use of the three properties at Tilegate Farm. If this use is unenforceable, then the Parish Council would object under policy MBL 2.1 of the Neighbourhood Plan to the change of use.

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APPEAL	Lunds Farm House,	APP/J1535/W/23/3331080
EPF/1625/23	Wind Hill, Magdalen	Appeal against refusal
and	Laver, Ongar, CM5	Demolition of conservatory and garage and erection of
EPF/1629/23LB	0EX	extension.
		Deadline: 3/4/24 - The Parish Council had no objection
		to this application - Refusal reason: Harm to Green Belt
		and Listed Building. No further action to be taken.
APPEAL	Green Oaks,	Conversion and alterations to existing greenhouse to
EPF/0298/23	Threshers Bush,	create 1no. self-contained dwelling, with associated
	Matching, Harlow,	curtilage, landscaping and new means of access to the
	CM17 0NS	public highway.
		Deadline for written representation: 10 th April
		PC did not object, but had concerns about access.
		No further action to be taken

c) Councillors noted the following planning applications below which have been responded to by way of the Clerk's delegated powers following email consultation with Councillors:

EPF/0196/24	High Laver House, Harlow Road, High Laver, Ongar, CM5 0DR	Erection of new Road Entrance Gates NO OBJECTION
EPF/0161/24	Spencers Farm, Tilegate Road, Magdalen Laver, Ongar, CM5 0ER	Construction of an agricultural storage building at Spencers Farm, Greenman Road, Magdalen Laver, Ongar, Essex, CM5 0EG. The application proposes the erection of one building extending to 936 square metres, to include a grain storage area and lean to for the storage of farm machinery, fertiliser and seed. NO OBJECTION

d) Councillors noted the following planning applications for which EFDC do not accept comment:

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	EPF/0015/24	New Farm,	Application for approval of details reserved by condition 3
		Newhouse Lane,	'Hard Surfaces' on planning permission EPF/2172/23
		Bovinger, Ongar,	(Prior approval for Steel Portal frame barns)
		CM5 0DH	
	EPF/0319/24	Leapers House,	Application for approval of details reserved by condition 3
		Harlow Road,	'Materials' on planning permission EPF/2721/23 (Single
		Moreton, Ongar,	storey rear extension and internal alterations)
		CM5 0LF	

e) Councillors noted the following Planning decisions by EFDC:

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EPF/0895/21	The Cottage Church Road Moreton, Ongar, CM5 0JD	Proposed replacement with a pair of semi-detached houses.	Approved with Conditions (Subject to s106 Legal Agreement) PC originally objected, but
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EPF/2457/23	North Wilmore Barn, Workers Road, High Laver, Ongar, CM5 0DZ	Proposed landscaping works comprising fencing and finish of driveway	Refuse PC had no objection. Refused for reason of failing to relate positively to

			its context, and impact on heritage asset
EPF/2622/23L B & EPF/2618/23	North Wilmore Barn, Workers Road, High Laver, Ongar, CM5 0DZ	Grade II listed building application for revised design of flat roof addition, concrete slab along south elevation of barn including more soft landscaping /permeable areas and fence between north and south barn.	Refuse PC had no objection. Refused for reason of harm to historic setting
EPF/2548/23 DRC	Tilegate Farm, Tilegate Road, Magdalen Laver, Ongar, CM5 0EA	Application for approval of details reserved by condition 3'Surface Water Disposal', condition 4'Levels' and condition 9 'Colour/Materials' on planning approval EPF/1574/23 (Construction of a tennis court together with perimeter fencing and landscaping)	Approve PC not permitted to comment as a discharge of conditions application
EPF/2721/23	Leapers House, Harlow Road, Moreton, Ongar, CM5 0LF	Single storey rear extension and internal alterations.	Approve with Conditions PC had No objection
EPF/2505/23	Hobbs View, Moreton Road, Ongar, CM5 0LX	Amended Application for Replacement Dwelling, Incorporating Basement Rooms and Raised Roof Height.	Refuse PC had No objection. Refused on green belt grounds.
EPF/0015/24 DRC	New Farm, Newhouse Lane, Bovinger, Ongar, CM5 0DH	Application for approval of details reserved by condition 3 'Hard Surfaces' on planning permission EPF/2172/23 (Prior approval for Steel Portal frame barns)	Approve PC are not able to comment
EPF/2341/23	Bushes, Wind Hill, Magdalen Laver, Ongar, CM5 0DS	Grade II* Listed Building consent for restoration of loft room, gable end window and new staircase for access to loft room.	Approve PC had No objection
EPF/2791/23	Woodlands, School Lane, Magdalen Laver, CM5 0EF	Single storey side extension	Approved PC had No Objection
EPF/0003/24	North Wilmore Barn, Workers Road, High Laver, Ongar, CM5 0DZ	Grade II listed building application for retrospective application for insertion of gable end window on east elevation	Approved PC had No Objection
EPF/2810/23	North Wilmore Barn, Workers Road, High Laver, Ongar, CM5 0DZ	Retrospective application for insertion of gable end window on east elevation.	Approved PC had No Objection

PC.410 FINANCIAL MATTERSa) Councillors approved the payments below. *PROPOSED* Cllr Martin, *SECONDED* Cllr Offord:

BACS	A Jones	January and February Salary	£1,109.46
BACS	HMRC	January and February PAYE	£ 277.20
BACS	Magdalen Laver	Hall Hire 12th March 2024	£ 22.00

	Village Hall		
BACS	EALC	Councillor training Nov Cllr Day & Cllr Offord	£720.00
		(note Bursary applied for and 75% of cost will	(£120.00VAT)
		be refunded)	
BACS	A Jones	March Salary (post dated 31st March)	£554.73
BACS	HMRC	March PAYE (post dated 7 April)	£138.60
BACS	A Jones	Reimb expenses:	£189.98
		£59.99 The Defib Pad – Batteries Defib	(£10.00 VAT)
		Moreton	
		£129.99 - Home Office Jan, Feb, Mar	

b) Councillors noted the Bank Balances as at 29th February 2024:

Balance per bank statement as at 29 th February 2024	£	£
Unity Deposit Account	31,439.98	
Unity Current Account	2,132.23	
		33,572.21
Less: Any unpresented cheques at 29th Feb 2024	0.00	
Add: Any un-banked cash at 29 th Feb 2024	0.00	
CASH BOOK		
Opening Balance 1 st January 2024	35,671.18	
Add: Receipts to 29 th February 2024	0	
Less: Payments to 29 th February 2024	2,098.97	
Balance (receipts and payments book) as at 29 th		
February 2024		33,572.21
Deposit Account £31,439.98		
Current Account £2,132.23		

PC.411 ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING

Councillors were asked to advise the Clerk of any future agenda matters at least a week before the meeting.

PC.412 DATES OF NEXT MEETING

- Tuesday 14th May Moreton Village Hall Annual meeting of the Parish at 7.15pm, following by Annual Meeting of the Parish Council at 7.30pm.
- Tuesday 9th July Magdalen Laver Village Hall
- Tuesday 10th September Moreton Village Hall
- Tuesday 12th November Moreton Village Hall
- Tuesday 10th December Christmas lighting and open meeting Moreton Village Hall

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Chairman
Date