

MINUTES of a MEETING of the FINANCE & GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE
held on Thursday 8TH. October 2015, at 7.00pm, in the Council Chamber, 28 High Street, Winslow

	<p>Present: Cllrs. Monger (Chairman), Bradford, Castle, Knight, and van de Poll. Apologies: Cllr Barry. Accepted Clerk: C Loch Members of the Press and Public: No press or public were present.</p>
	<p>Declarations of Interest in matters to be discussed: None Consideration of Applications for Dispensation – none</p>
F15/45	<p>Minutes of Meetings held 10th. September 2015: RESOLVED that the minutes be signed as a true record Matters Arising: None</p>
F15/46	<p>Land & Property Issues: Bowls Club Licence: A draft was being prepared by the Clerk and Cllr. Barry for discussion with the Committee and Club.</p>
F15/47	<p>Events Working Party Report: The Safari Garage sale and Brocantes and Vintage Fair had been well attended. The event might be repeated next year. Plans were well in hand for the Christmas Fayre. Produce for sale on stall: The list of items circulated for consideration would be discussed in detail with the supplier. Winslow Times: The Clerk was asked to review the current state of the site and investigate what could be done to keep it relevant and current. Christmas Lights: Permission from St. Laurence church by means of a formal Faculty from the Church of England had been received to install lighting in the Church yard and work would commence when the contractor could schedule it. The Clerk was discussing better lighting for the Market Square tree with AVDC. RESOLVED to approve expenditure up to £400.</p>
F15/48	<p>Youth Centre Service Delivery: The Friends would next meet on Oct. 22nd. The low attendance was a major concern and considerable effort was going into promoting the Club.</p>
F15/49	<p>Reports from Outside Bodies: Winslow Sports Club: There were no items to report from the last meeting Public Hall: The meeting scheduled for September 21st. had yet to be rearranged. The Chairman requested that it be arranged for him to attend the next meeting of the management committee.</p>
F15/50	<p>Administration: Precept: Members considered the process for Budget preparation and agreed to request all members to work not just through Committees but to also submit ideas on all areas of the Council so that they could be considered by all before the Precept meeting which would now be held on Nov 12th. the date of the next scheduled F & PG meeting. STFSS: Members expressed concern that an invoice for the room at the Youth Centre used by Storehouse and funded by the EFA via STFSS was now eight months overdue. This had been progressed with the EFA who have instructed the school to make payment.</p>
F15/51	<p>Correspondence: Sports Ground: A resident's letter regarding the minor repairs to the fence was noted. The Clerk confirmed that this would be done during the winter months.</p>
	<p>Items For Information:</p>
	<p>Meeting Closed 8:07 pm.</p> <p>Date of next meeting 12th. November 2015 (To include Precept meeting)</p> <p>Signed: (Chairman) at Meeting (date)</p>