MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SELBORNE PARISH COUNCIL
HELD IN SELBORNE VILLAGE HALL
ON WEDNESDAY 16th SEPTEMBER 2026 AT 8.00PM

Present:
Cllr Seema Bennett (Chairman)
Cllr Gren Earney (Vice Chairman)
Cllr David Ashcroft
Cllr Charlie Bridger
Cllr Sarah Hulbert
Cllr Tom Marien
Cllr Nikki O'Donnell
Cllr Charlotte Pead
Cllr David Webster-Jones

Also present: 11 members of the public were present

26/68 Apologies for Absence
Apologies were received from Cllrs Wendy Megeney and Rob Stephenson.
RESOLVED: Cllr Bennett proposed that all apologies be accepted. Seconded by Cllr Hulbert. Agreed unanimously, motion carried. Locum Clerk noted for the record.

26/69 Declarations of Interest
Councillors are reminded of their responsibility to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest or other interest as defined in the Code of Conduct which they have in any item on the agenda no later than when that item is reached. Unless dispensation has been granted, you may not participate in any discussion of, or vote on, or discharge any function related to any matter in which you have declared a disclosable pecuniary interest and some other interests. You must withdraw from the room/meeting when the meeting discusses and votes on the matter.
RESOLVED: Cllr Pead noted her interest in item 26/85 as an allotment holder. Cllr O'Donnell noted an interest in item 26/85 (spouse was an allotment holder) and item 26/85 as a Governor of Selborne Primary School. Cllr Hulbert noted her interest in agenda item 26/78 having previously engaged the contractor. Cllr Marien noted an interest in item 26/86 as an adjacent neighbour. Cllr Bridger noted an interest in agenda item 26/87 as she currently engages the contractor. Cllr Webster-Jones noted an interest in agenda item 26/85 as his spouse was about to be appointed as a Governor of Selborne Primary School. Cllr Bennett proposed that a dispensation should be granted to Cllr Webster-Jones to discuss school traffic, seconded by Cllr Hulbert. Agreed unanimously, motion carried. The Locum Clerk noted for the record.

26/70 Approval of Minutes: To approve the minutes of the full council meeting on 15th July 2026
RESOLVED: Cllr Earney proposed that the minutes from 15th July 2026 be agreed. Seconded by Cllr Bennett. Agreed with three abstentions, motion carried. The Locum Clerk noted for the record.

26/71 Chairman's Announcements
RESOLVED: Cllr Bennett gave an in-depth direction to the councillors and members of the public present on parish council emails, and cautioned against improper uses including councillors using their SPC emails for personal matters, using their SPC emails for matters not agreed by the council and representations therein, and councillors using private emails on parish council matters. Cllr Bennett also noted the guidance issued by the Hampshire Association of Local Councils on Councillors and Ostensible Authority (councillors dealing with third parties) and requested that all councillors follow the guidance.

Cllr Bennett also noted that a resident, Arnold Jarman had undertaken to paint the Lions Mouth area of the parish in his own free time and that she had requested he submit receipts for recompense. Cllr Bennett and the councillors thanked the volunteer for his time and noted that the area was looking much improved due to his endeavours.

26/72 Executive Officers summary
RESOLVED: The Locum Clerk noted that the allotments had now been visited and there was an update later on the agenda, but for the avoidance of doubt, there was one vacant plot (recently handed back) on the Recreation Field was

in excellent, cultivatable condition but there was no waiting list (mentioned in the parish magazine insert for September). The Locum Clerk also noted that there was one plot available in Goslings Croft which had been offered to a resident but who had not taken it up as yet so it would be offered to the next person on the waiting list.

The Locum Clerk also noted that there had been continual dialogue with Hampshire County Council and the Environment Agency on localised flooding in the parish and that she had reached out to the Selborne Landscape Partnership (SLP) to engage following discussions. It was noted that a meeting of the SLP had been arranged for week commencing 21st September and that a positive response was hoped for to begin dialogue going forward to look at potential solutions to flooding on Gracious Street and Galley Hill. It was also noted that the Locum Clerk had raised a number of highways issues with Hampshire County Council and Antonia Cox (HCC Member) and that the Headteacher at Selborne Primary School had been in touch following two recent accidents in the school area under the jurisdiction of HCC Highways. Updates to follow.

CLLR HULBERT PROPOSED THAT THE STANDING ORDERS BE SUSPENDED TO HEAR REPRESENTATIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC. SECONDED BY CLLR BRIDGER. AGREEED UNANIMOUSLY BY COUNCILLORS, MOTION CARRIED, STANDING ORDERS SUSPENDED AT 8.12PM.

26/73 Public Questions

RESOLVED: Two residents jointly addressed the council about an approach by a councillor about works to the Well Head Stream/Lions Mouth area of Selborne noting that the area was going to be cleared of vegetation and the stream desilted. The resident noted that his understanding was that it required council consent as it was on Selborne Parish Council land but questioned if it had been consented works. The homeowner noted that he understood the necessity for management works but questioned whether proper engagement with the local homeowners would take place, and the need for full clearance works. Concerns were raised over recent burglaries (the vegetation in question provided some cover) and the presence of Hazle Dormice which are a red-listed species.

The homeowners also noted that there was a path already in existence to the Well Head and requested clarity on the works the council have agreed. Cllr Bennett noted that in April, improvement works to the Lions Mouth had been agreed, but nothing as yet for the Well Head. Cllr Ashcroft noted that whilst initial discussions have been undertaken, the volume of works and the permission requirements from other statutory consultees/stakeholders was considerable. Cllr Ashcroft further noted that he would step back from work in the area in the future due to the considerable works in obtaining permissions going forward.

A further resident noted concerns about the permission granted for ANPR at the Selborne Arms, and the knock-on effect it would have on parents using the car park for school purposes, and local using the car park as on-street parking was unfeasible for them. Further worries were noted about the displacement of cars in Selborne as residents sought other parking and that The Wakes were not presently offering parking permits for residents (however it was under discussion by Directors next week). It was noted that the new measures would affect residents along the High Street and with the outstanding shop application on the Pumfle, the parking landscape in the parish was changing considerably.

The Chairman of the Recreation Committee spoke to raise a complaint about recent agreed works between the Scottish and Southern Electric Network (SSEN) and the Recreation Grounds Committee. He noted that the Recreation Ground Committee had reached a written agreement with SSEN about the height of the vegetation beneath the overhead cables for cutting, which had been the process followed for the previous 10 years with no issue to either power supply or agreement reached/relationship with SSEN.

The resident noted that a Selborne councillor had been in attendance whilst SSEN were carrying out work and requested further, works which were not unauthorised or agreed by the Recreation Ground Committee not the locum Clerk who had also instructed the contractor and councillor to leave the works as per the Recreation Grounds Committee agreement. The councillors interference had lead to further cutting back of trees and vegetation which was unsafe for children and unsightly, and would take considerable time to grow back. He noted that he had spoken to the Network Manager at SSEN noting that a secondary cut had been undertaken and provided evidence to the same. The Recreation Ground Committee also noted that claims of power outages caused by the Recreation Ground Committee were unfounded

He requested that the Parish Council investigate the position as it had caused concern and upset and has now lead to safety issues in the area which required remediation by the Committee. Cllr Bennett noted the comments by the Recreation Ground Committee representative were noted and apologised on behalf of Selborne Parish Council noting that the Locum Clerk would investigate and report back.

CLLR HULBERT PROPOSED THAT THE STANDING ORDERS BE RESUMED. SECONDED BY CLLR BENNETT. AGREEED UNANIMOUSLY BY COUNCILLORS, MOTION CARRIED, STANDING ORDERS RESUMED AT 8.29PM

26/74 Co-Option to Selborne Parish Council

Sarah Browning spoke to the council on her reasons for wishing to become a parish councillor for Selborne Parish Council. She noted that she had moved from Haslemere and lived in Selborne for some time and worked for Selborne Primary School as a Teaching Assistant, and was now working at Highfield School. She noted that she would love to have more involvement in the village, and welcomed the position to help her understand village issues and get to know other residents and help them with their differing issues throughout the three villages in the parish.

A number of councillors asked questions to establish suitability, knowledge of the parish and skills which were duly answered.

RESOLVED: Cllr Hulbert proposed that Sarah Browning be co-opted to Selborne Parish Council. Seconded by Cllr Marien. Agreed with one abstention. Motion carried, Locum Clerk noted for the record and reported that an email address, and relevant paperwork would be forwarded in the near future.

26/75 Co-Option to the Staffing Committee

Cllr Webster-Jones noted that he had been elected Chairman of the Staffing Committee of Selborne Parish Council, with Cllr Marien being duly elected as Vice Chairman of the Committee. Cllr Webster-Jones further noted that that there was a vacancy in the Staffing Committee following the resignation of Howard Grosvenor from the parish councillor earlier in the year.

RESOLVED: Cllr Pead proposed that she be elected to the Staffing Committee of the parish council. Seconded by Cllr Bennett. Agreed with two abstentions. Motion carried, Locum Clerk noted for the record.

CLLR BENNETT PROPOSED THAT ITEM 26/81 BE MOVED UP THE AGENDA FOLLOWING THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THE PUBLIC SPEAKING SLOT. SECONDED BY CLLR MARIEN. AGREEED UNANIMOUSLY BY COUNCILLORS, MOTION CARRIED.

26/81 To update on the Lions Mouth and the Well Head correspondence

Cllr Ashcroft noted that the land had been in council possession following a land swap of the old recreation field behind the Well Head, with the current Recreation Ground at Fountain Road, Selborne a number of years previous. He noted that the area required maintenance as it was on public land with a public right of way running from the Lions Mouth to the Well Head. He noted that he had a number of conversations with local residents about cutting back vegetation in recent weeks and there had been some email exchanges about it. He also noted that a resident had offered to maintain the land in 2021 at a cost of £5,000 per year, which was not taken up since.

Cllr Bennett noted that there had been a parish council resolution in April 2026 for improvement works to the Lions Mouth, and recent repainting of the metalwork had taken place and there was some conflation between the Lions Mouth and the Well Head in the emails she had been copied into. Cllr Ashcroft noted that to carry out clearance works, licences/permission would be required from a number of statutory consultees including East Hampshire District Council, South Downs National Park Authority, The Environment Agency (the stream), Natural England (hazel dormouse) and the Forestry Commission (tree felling). Cllr Ashcroft also noted that the adjacent field had issues retaining water and noted the village action plan (produced by Cllr Bridger) noting that something needed to be done to the area.

Cllr Ashcroft also noted that due to the level of licencing and the works required, that he would duly step away from the project.

CLLR BENNETT PROPOSED THAT THE STANDING ORDERS BE SUSPENDED TO HEAR REPRESENTATIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC. SECONDED BY CLLR MARIEN. AGREEED UNANIMOUSLY BY COUNCILLORS, MOTION CARRIED, STANDING ORDERS SUSPENDED AT 8.56PM.

A member of the public noted that the councillor he had spoken to had stated that works to clear vegetation were going to start in September 2026 and raised questions of land ownership in lieu of vegetation clearance as he was concerned that some of the land belonged to Lord Selborne.

The resident also noted that there was a container distributing water from the Well Head which may be silted up, and that cameras had been used historically to investigate the works. The box had a hydraulic RAM was located in the stream to move water to a header tank supplying water to Trumpeters and for irrigation purposes. Locum Clerk noted for the record.

CLLR BENNETT PROPOSED THAT THE STANDING ORDERS BE RESUMED. SECONDED BY CLLR HULBERT. AGREEED UNANIMOUSLY BY COUNCILLORS, MOTION CARRIED, STANDING ORDERS RESUMED AT 9.07PM

26/76 To update on flooding in the parish (Gracious Street and Galley Hill)
The Locum Clerk noted that following on from a meeting in June 2026, she had reached out to the Selborne Landscape Partnership (SLP) on the potential of speaking to local landowners to establish whether natural flood management measures could be implemented on land upstream from Gracious Street to mitigate the fluvial flooding which occurs annually. The Locum Clerk further noted that she had contacted Lord Selborne on the matter who was meeting the SLP in the next week and would return with a response. Letters to local residents were being sent out by the Environment Agency to remind them of riparian responsibilities ahead of the wetter months. Cllr Hulbert also noted that there was localised flooding in Oakhanger (Latchford Lane) and would send photos to the Locum Clerk for noting.
RESOLVED: Locum Clerk to keep councillors abreast of developments on flooding matters. Cllr Hulbert to send flooding photos to the Locum Clerk.

26/77 To discuss and agree grass cutting tenders in the parish for 2027
RESOLVED: The Locum Clerk noted that a number of firms had been approached for quotes, but none had been returned yet. Deferred to the October full council agenda.

CLLR HULBERT LEFT THE ROOM FOR THE DURATION OF AGENDA ITEM 26/78 9.18PM

26/78 To discuss and agree the received quote for the parish bi-annual tree survey
The Locum Clerk noted that the arboriculturist (Tom Butterfield from TGB Tree Consulting) who conducted the tree surveys in 2022 and 2024 had been approached for a quote for works which was very reasonable. Cllr Pead noted her interest in meeting with the consultant with another councillor, as per council policy which the Locum Clerk noted for the record.
RESOLVED: Cllr Bennett proposed that the quote for the bi-annual tree survey provided by TGB Tree Consulting be agreed. Seconded by Cllr Earney. Agreed with one abstention, motion carried. Locum clerk to contact TGB Tree Consulting to commission works.

CLLR HULBERT RETURNED TO THE ROOM FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE MEETING AT 9.21PM

26/79 To note and update on the Village Action Plan
Cllr Bridger ran through the report and noted the updates on a number of items.
RESOLVED: Cllr Bridger to circulate the updated report to the Locum Clerk and councillors.

26/80 To note the deadline for updating the St. Thomas' Day bread recipients for 2026
The Locum Clerk noted that she wished to have the lists for St. Thomas' Day bread recipients finalised by the end of October 2026 in order to get the bakery order in, in good time. Cllr O'Donnell noted that it may be good to advertise in the village (notices on telegraph poles and a notice in the churches) to identify further eligible residents.
RESOLVED: Cllrs O'Donnell and Hulbert to co-ordinate Selborne and Oakhanger villages respectively (with Cllrs Pead and Browning as reserves) with Cllr Megeney as Blackmoor co-ordinator. The delivery date for the bread was noted as 19th December 2026.

26/82 To discuss traffic updates at Selborne School

The Locum Clerk noted that the bollards in the car parking area for Selborne School had been reported as an emergency due to two accidents in quick succession – the school was aware and had notified parents. The Locum Clerk also noted that correspondence had been received from Hampshire County Council reporting that the railings on the B3006 opposite the school which has been reported a number of times and had been failing for two years had been timetabled by the County for repairs in April 2027. The recent accident at the Goslings Croft pinch point had been reported to Hampshire County Councillor Antonia Cox, alongside the signage on the approach warning drivers requiring replacement and the road markings needing to be repainted. The VAS sign was also noted as being outstanding.

The errant car at the pinch point was also noted as causing a visual obstruction on the highway which needed to be moved and discussions needed to be pushed forward about pedestrian/school children's safety following the loss of the school patrol/lollipop lady.

RESOLVED: Locum Clerk to liaise with Cllr Cox on the ongoing maintenance items to ensure that they are booked in to Hampshire County Council's schedule of works and to note safety concerns. Locum Clerk to also notify the Police and Crime Commissioner for Hampshire of unlawful parking, and speeding through the village, which is causing significant safety concerns amongst residents, which are shared by the parish council. Locum Clerk to update.

26/83 To note the outcome from Selborne Parish Council's application to EHDC for CIL funding for traffic safety works in Blackmoor, and SDNP for CIL funding for traffic safety works in Selborne.

The Locum Clerk noted that Community Infrastructure Levy applications for funding had been made to both East Hampshire District Council and the South Downs National Park Authority for traffic safety works in Blackmoor and Selborne respectively. The Locum Clerk has since been notified by both authorities that the bids had been successful and had been in touch with Hampshire County Council highways to let them know.

RESOLVED: Councillors noted the outcome for the record.

26/84 To note the date for the Annual Meeting of the Parish in 2027

Cllr O'Donnell noted that Dementia Friendly in Alton may wish to present next year.

RESOLVED: Cllr Bennett proposed that the Annual Meeting of the Parish be held on 23rd March 2027. Seconded by Cllr Earney. Agreed unanimously, motion carried. Locum Clerk noted for the record.

CLLRS O'DONNELL AND PEAD LEFT THE ROOM FOR THE DURATION OF AGENDA ITEM 26/85 AT 9.50PM

26/85 To discuss and resolve parish allotments

- To discuss recent allotment inspections

  RESOLVED: Cllr Bridger noted that allotment inspections had been carried out by both Cllr Bridger and Cllr Ashcroft and that there had been an improvement in upkeep for the plots which had been previously noted as being unkempt. There remained 3x tree saplings which needed to be removed (Goslings Croft Plot 8, Recreation Ground Plot 1 (which the previous allotment holder noted would be removed when the ground was more giving) and Recreation Ground Plot 12).

CLLR BENNETT PROPOSED THAT THE STANDING ORDERS BE SUSPENDED TO HEAR FURTHER REPRESENTATIONS FROM A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC. SECONDED BY CLLR WEBSTER-JONES. AGREEED UNANIMOUSLY BY COUNCILLORS, MOTION CARRIED, STANDING ORDERS SUSPENDED AT 9.51PM.

A member of the public addressed the council noting that the first person on the waiting list of Goslings Croft had since died and the plot needed to be reallocated to the next person on the list.

CLLR BENNETT PROPOSED THAT THE STANDING ORDERS BE REINSTATED. SECONDED BY CLLR EARNEY. AGREEED UNANIMOUSLY BY COUNCILLORS, MOTION CARRIED, STANDING ORDERS REINSTATED AT 9.53PM.

- To discuss the allotment conditions before taking up, and following surrender of plots

  RESOLVED: Cllr Bridger noted that this was of note, and discussed the possibility of having compost bays, and a small budget for allotment holders who were struggling. Cllr Bridger also noted that there needed to be 2x

councillors present when allotment inspections took place and mooted the idea of an annual plot holders get-together. Cllr Ashcroft also noted the possibility of having a pest controller engaged to monitor rodents/pests on the plots.

- Allotment inspection, to decide on 2x councillors to inspect, frequency of inspections and next date
  RESOLVED: Councillors agreed to defer item to the October agenda due to time constraints.

- To consider revised conditions of allotments, previously circulated
  RESOLVED: Councillors agreed to defer item to the October agenda due to time constraints.

- To consider introducing an allotment policy
  RESOLVED: Councillors agreed to defer item to the October agenda due to time constraints.

CLLRS O'DONNELL AND PEAD REJOINED THE MEETING FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE MEETING AT 9.59PM

26/86 Planning:

- SDNP/26/02731/LIS - Trimmings, Gracious Street, Selborne, Alton, Hampshire, GU34 3JE. PV solar array, battery storage and car charger.
  RESOLVED: Cllr Earney proposed that the council agree with the principle of the installation of the equipment, but suggest that the concerns of the Conservation Officer be implemented, and the battery moved due to a fire hazard being located in close proximity to a thatched roof. Seconded by Cllr Bridger. Agreed with two abstentions, motion carried. Locum Clerk to write.

- SDNP/26/02730/HOUS – Trimmings, Gracious Street, Selborne, Alton, Hampshire, GU34 3JE. PV solar array, battery storage and car charger. Decision due 30/09/2026.
  RESOLVED: Cllr Earney proposed that the council agree with the principle of the installation of the equipment, but suggest that the concerns of the Conservation Officer be implemented, and the battery moved due to a fire hazard being located in close proximity to a thatched roof. Seconded by Cllr Bridger. Agreed with two abstentions, motion carried. Locum Clerk to write.

- EHDC-26-0963-FUL - Land South Of The Lions Field Development, Oakhanger Road, Oakhanger, Bordon, Hampshire. Construction of a detached dwelling with associated access, parking, landscaping and open-sided car port. Decision due 21/10/2026.
  RESOLVED: Cllr Earney proposed that the council motion no comments. Seconded by Cllr Bridger. Agreed with seven abstentions, motion carried. Locum Clerk noted for the record.

CLLR BENNETT PROPOSED THAT THE STANDING ORDERS BE SUSPENDED TO ALLOWED FOR AN ADDITIONAL 30 MINUTES TO FINISH THE REMAINING ITEMS OF BUSINESS. SECONDED BY CLLR EARNEY. AGREED WITH TWO ABSTENTIONS, MOTION CARRIED, STANDING ORDERS EXENDED AT 10.00PM SUSPENDED TO EXTEND THE MEETING TIME TO 10.30PM.

- SDNP/26/03007/TCA - The Old Mill High Street Selborne Alton Hampshire GU34 3LG. Fell 2 X Firs (T1 and T2). Decision due 17/09/2026.
  RESOLVED: Cllr Bennett proposed that the council concur with the landscape officers report. Seconded by Cllr Earney. Agreed with two abstentions, motion carried. Locum Clerk to write.

CLLR MARIEN LEFT THE ROOM FOR PLANNING APPLICATIONS EHDC-25-0757-FUL AD EHDC-25-1447-FUL AT 10.15PM

- EDHC-25-0757-FUL - Former Site Of Springfield Nursery, Oakhanger Road, Oakhanger, Bordon, Hampshire. 14 dwellings following the demolition of the existing buildings. Councillors noted previous comments and reasons for refusal and noted the cumulative impact of the adjacent development.
  RESOLVED: Cllr Bennett proposed that the council objects to the application based on previous comments (which included traffic safety, visibility spays, speed limits, dark night skies, scale and massing, site outside settlement boundary of Oakhanger and sustainability of development location). Seconded by Cllr Webster-Jones. Agreed with one abstention, motion carried. Locum Clerk to write.

- EHDC-25-1447-FUL - Chapel Farm, Chapel Farm Oakhanger Road, Oakhanger, Bordon, Hampshire, GU35 9JB. Retrospective extension of building 11 and proposed roof alterations. Deadline extension requested: 20/09/2026. Councillors noted previous comments and reasons for refusal. Councillors also noted concerns about the number of repeat applications from the site, and requested that a 5-year plan be sought to understand how the developments on the applicant site will take shape over the coming years.
  RESOLVED: Cllr Bennett proposed that the council objects to the application based on previous comments (which included traffic safety, visibility spays, speed limits, dark night skies, scale and massing, and sustainability of development location). Seconded by Cllr Earney. Agreed with one abstention, motion carried. Locum Clerk to write.

CLLR MARIEN REJOINED THE MEETING FOR THE DURATION AT 10.18PM

CLLR BRIDGER LEFT THE ROOM FOR THE DURATION OF AGENDA ITEM 26/87 AT 10.18PM

26/87 Financial Report:

a) To note bank balances, earmarked reserves and receipts since the meeting on 15th July 2026 and discuss and agree the balances for the remainder of the council year
RESOLVED: Councillors noted the bank balances, EMR balances and receipts since 15th July 2026.

b) To note and approve July and August 2026's bank reconciliations
RESOLVED: Cllr Bennett proposed to agree and sign July and August's bank reconciliations. Seconded by Cllr Earney. Agreed with three abstentions. Motion carried. Locum Clerk to retain for the record.

c) To approve the proposed schedule of payments
RESOLVED: Cllr Earney proposed to agree the payments list for September 2026. Seconded by Cllr Bennett. Agreed with two abstentions. Motion carried. Locum Clerk to may agreed payments.

Payee	Description	Invoice no.	Method of Payment	Gross Invoice Amount (£)
Paid – expenditure previously approved at Council meeting/regular payments/payments under Clerk's/Chairs delegation				
Unity Trust Bank	Service Charge – July 2026		DD	8.20
Unity Trust Bank	Service Charge – August 2026		DD	8.20
EE Limited	Telephone Charges		DD	21.15
Julie Flenley	Locum Fees and expenses August 2026	Inv. 56	BACS	3,600.00
PJ Grace	Monthly grass cutting – June 2026	Inv. 08269	BACS	890.40
PJ Grace	Monthly grass cutting – July 2026	Inv. 08313	BACS	547.20
Selborne Recreation Ground Committee	Half Yearly Water Bill – 50% contribution	Inv. 026-01	BACS	240.29
Selborne Recreation Ground Committee	Invoice – Pavillion Hire, June and August 2026	Inv. 026-04	BACS	20.00
For approval				
Julie Flenley	Locum Fees and expenses August/September 2026	Inv. 58	BACS	2,913.48
Julie Flenley	Refund – K6 door closing mechanism	Receipt	BACS	121.20
Julie Flenley	Refund – card and 1st class stamp	Invoice	BACS	4.95
PJ Grace	Monthly grass cutting – August 2026	Inv. 08222	BACS	463.20
Arnold Jarman	Refund, Lions Mouth Paint	Receipt	BACS	38.48
Receipts				
Various	Allotment Rents	N/A	BACS	108.75

Selborne Recreation Ground Committee	Refund - Half Yearly Water Bill – 50% contribution	N/A	BACS	240.29

d) To discuss and resolve Ear Marked Reserves movements for the financial year
RESOLVED: Item deferred due to time constraints.

26/88 To receive District Councillor report
RESOLVED: Item deferred due to time constraints.

EXCLUSION OF MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS
TO RESOLVE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1(2) OF THE PUBLIC BODIES (ADMISSIONS TO MEETINGS) ACT 1960 THAT THE PRESS AND PUBLIC BE EXCLUDED FROM THE MEETING BY REASON OF THE CONFIDENTIAL NATURE OF THE BUSINESS TO BE TRANSACTED

26/89 To update on pensions/LGPS and resolve to enter into a Suspension Notice period ceasing in October 2027.
RESOLVED: Cllr Bennett proposed that the Suspension Notice be agreed and signed by the Locum Clerk, and the stop date of October 2027 was noted as the deadline to enter a new applicant into the scheme for the Hampshire LGPS. Seconded by Earney. Agreed with one abstention. Motion carried. Locum Clerk to complete the Suspension Notice and alert the Hampshire LGPS.

26/90 To note the Staffing Committee's resolution on Recruitment
RESOLVED: Cllr Webster-Jones noted that the Staffing Committee had resolved to recruit at the recent Staffing Committee meeting. The scale point was noted to be from SP34-37, at 20 hours per week and that the Locum Clerk had been in touch with the SLCC and HALC for advertisement. The recruitment window was set to close on 30th November 2026 at which point the Staffing Committee would meet to discuss applications received, and take appropriate action.

26/91 Date of next meeting:
- 13th October 2026, 7.30pm Planning Committee Meeting – Selborne Recreation Pavillion
- 21st October 2026, 7.30pm – Oakhanger Village Hall

MEETING CLOSED: 10.31PM

Signed …… Date ……
Chairman