

**MINUTES OF THE ERLESTOKE EXTRA ORDINARY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**  
**Held in the Parish Church Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2015 at 7.15pm**

**Present:** Councillors, Mr S Jonik (Chairman), Ms F Morgan-Frise, Mr K Lewcock, Cllr Hunt-Davis.

**Open Forum.**

Cllr Jonik said he would take the minutes at tonight's meeting as Anita was not available. This was agreed by all present Councillors.

Richard Gamble suggested we consider asking breweries like Wadworths in Devizes to see if they might be interested in a future involvement.

**54/15 Apologies** – Apologies were received from Cllr Dean Moore, Cllr James Durham.

**55/15 Declaration of Interest** – None received.

**56/15 The George and Dragon Public House and Approval of Asset of Community Value application**

Cllr Ms F Morgan-Frise suggested we form a steering committee to look at the issues around the planning application changing the George & Dragon into a Community Asset.

Cllr Hunt-Davis suggested we contact the Plunket foundation for advice on Community Assets as they are experts in this field.

Cllr Lewcock suggested we also contact the Charwelton Community Pub prospectus as they have a published document on a formal way forward. He said he will send a copy to all councillors to study.

Cllr Jonik suggested that the Parish Council could be treated as a potential bidder as we are a formal structured committee, and applied as a Council to nominate the George and Dragon as a Community Asset.

**57/15 A proposal was made by Cllr Morgan- Frise:**

We form a steering Committee to pursue the process of securing the future of the George and Dragon as a Community Asset for Erlestoke.

**Seconded by Cllr Lewcock**, agreed by Cllr Jonik and Cllr Hunt-Davis. This was a unanimous decision.

**Proposed** Cllr Morgan-Frise, **Seconded** Cllr Lewcock All in favour.

**58/15** After some discussion **Cllr Morgan- Frise proposed:** that if agreed Cllr Lewcock Chair the new formed Steering Committee, this was Seconded by Cllr Jonik and agreed by Cllr Hunt-Davis. Cllr Lewcock agreed and was duly assigned the position.

**Proposed** Cllr Morgan-Frise, **Seconded** Cllr Jonik All in favour.

**59/15 Neighbourhood Plan:**

After some discussion it was decide to send a flier before the next meeting on the 8<sup>th</sup> July asking residents to attend a meeting on the importance of the Neighbourhood Plan and the road map we must follow to complete the project.

**The meeting closed at 8.45pm**

**Next meetings are as follows:**

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2015, 19<sup>th</sup> August 2015**  
**from 7.15pm in the village church.**

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