

West Winch Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Finance Committee

Date: Wednesday the 5th of November 2025

Time and Place: 11am at 5 Birch Close – West Winch

Notice of Meeting and summons to attend.

Cllr G Ball, Cllr F Dutton and Cllr A Johnson – R Shaw -Clerk & RFO to the council.

Members of the public and press are welcome to attend this Parish Council meeting.

R Shaw, Parish Clerk & RFO

1. Welcome from the Chair and to receive Apologies for Absence.
None Received

2. Declarations of interest and dispensations.
None Recorded

3. Budget discussions and Precept setting.

- i) Discuss parish requirements and future projects -
It was discussed that there may be need for the Village Hall Roof to be funded by the Parish council in conjunction with the Village Hall Committee
- ii) Expected Parish Council expenditure for 2026/2027 -
The draft budget was presented to the members of the Finance Committee by the RFO based on 2024/25 to 2025-26 Receipts and Expenditure. The projected Receipts and Expenditure are to be based on these figures factoring in the potential inflationary rises and costs incurred. Along with any potential new projects.
- iii) Set precept amount –
It was agreed by the Finance Committee to raise the precept amount to £68,000 for the years 2026-27 – This is an increase of 5.3% on the year 2025-26.

The Budget will be presented to the Full Parish Council at the next meeting on the 18th of November for scrutiny and approval.

4.Close of meeting :- 12.25pm