



# Maresfield Parish Council

REPRESENTING THE VILLAGES OF MARESFIELD, NUTLEY & FAIRWARP

## DRAFT Minutes of the Maresfield Parish Council Environment Committee meeting held remotely via Zoom on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2021 at 7.30pm

**Present:** Cllr Dr P Handley (Chair), Cllr Mrs S Cumming, Cllr Dr B Smith,  
Cllr Mrs L Stevens-Smith, Cllr A Strevens, Mrs N O'Hanlon (Asst Clerk).

1. **Public session.** None.
2. **Apologies for absence.** Cllr T Lewin, Cllr D Watson.
3. **Declarations of interest.** Cllr Mrs S Cumming – Maresfield Conservation Group.
4. **Minutes of previous meeting held via Zoom on 1<sup>st</sup> December 2020: -**
  - 4.1 Adoption. The minutes as previously circulated were **Adopted**.
  - 4.2 Matters arising from these Minutes not elsewhere on the Agenda.  
**ACTION** - Cllr Dr P Handley will supply Richard Thorn's address.
5. **To Note: Action Points update.** Noted.
6. **Play Areas – inspections, maintenance & development: -**
  - 6.1 **Fords Green Play Area.** None.
  - 6.2 **Fairwarp Play Area.** None.
  - 6.3 **Maresfield Recreation Ground.** None.
  - 6.4 **Parklands, Maresfield.** None.
7. **Footpaths. Lost right of way within the Parish.**  
It was **AGREED** unanimously that as per John Smith's conclusion, the identified former paths are no longer desirable and therefore no further action needs to be taken.
8. **Roads and Pavements: -**  
The request for a further dog waste bin to be installed in Wellington Gate, Maresfield was discussed. As the proposed siting of this is not somewhere where WDC would provide a bin emptying service it is suggested that the Dog Waste Warden visits the site to see if signs can be put up. **ACTION:** Assistant Clerk to contact Warden.
9. **Trees and Hedges:-** It was noted that the large sycamore tree in Maresfield, near to the Gymnastics centre drive, is still growing amongst the overhead cables and is in need of trimming. **ACTION:** Assistant Clerk to find original notification to WDC and follow up.
10. **Climate Emergency:-** None.
11. **Road Safety:-** None.
12. **Date of next meeting:-** 4<sup>th</sup> May 2021 (TBC)

*There being no further business the meeting closed at 20.23*