

**Minutes of the Meeting of Milton Parish Council held on
Monday 14 October 2019 at 7.30pm in the Bowls Pavilion**

Present: D Wildman (DW) (Chair), J E Coston (JEC), R Farrington (RF), D Owen (DO), A Markham (AM), A Horne (AH), H Smith (HMS), A Bradnam (AB)

In Attendance: S Corder (SC) (Clerk)

1 Apologies for absence

None received – Full Council in attendance

2 Declarations of interest and dispensation

- a) To receive declarations of interest from councillors for items on agenda: None
- b) To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests (if any); None
- c) To grant any requests for dispensation as appropriate; None

3 Public Participation – members of the public are invited to speak

No public in attendance.

4 26 Old School Lane

To **CONSIDER** response to Solicitor’s update in regard to sale of the land.

Motion to exclude public and press

It is hereby resolved in accordance with Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to meeting) Act 1960 that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the sensitive nature of the business to be transacted at Agenda Item 4 namely: 26 Old School Lane

The public and press will be temporarily excluded from the meeting at this point and any present are herewith to withdraw.

DW Proposed to Close the meeting – HMS Seconded ALL AGREED. Meeting closed 7:45pm

A further email update from the Solicitor was received with a counteroffer from the seller of 26 Old School Lane.

HMS Proposed that we accept a lower price in view of the risk of adverse possession being granted, with the spending of money on advice and the council getting nothing in the end. DW Seconded – 4 In Favor, 2 Against (JEC), 2 Abstain. AGREED

(Meeting opened 9:12pm)

Meeting closed at 9:15pm Signed:

Date: