



HALE PARISH COUNCIL

OF THE HALTON BOROUGH IN THE COUNTY OF CHESHIRE



DRAFT MINUTES OF THE EXTRA-ORDINARY MEETING OF HALE PARISH COUNCIL HELD AT HALE VILLAGE HALL ON WEDNESDAY 3rd DECEMBER 2025 AT 8.00pm

Present: Cllr LTrevaskis, Cllr J McNamara, Cllr C Williams, Cllr G Wright Cllr P Lewis and Cllr C Anderson

In attendance: The Clerk and four members of public were present

1. Apologies – Apologies were received from Cllr M Roberts, Cllr A Hutchinson, and Cllr P Healey. No apologies were received from Cllr B Cleary.

In the absence of Cllr M Roberts the vice Chairman Cllr J McNamara chaired the meeting

2. Declarations of Interest – No declarations of interest were registered.

3. Public Participation – The meeting discussed issues related to possible car park usage and to privacy concerns. A local resident highlighted a number of existing noise and safety issues caused by vans parked near their property and his hope that no further or additional disruption would be created. The Council debated the impact on privacy, the need for better fencing, and the potential for public consultation. They also discussed the importance of maintaining good relations with local residents and the potential for community benefits from improved parking facilities.

Exclusion of Press & Public – The meeting was suspended temporarily while the Chair asked for members of the public to remove themselves (as per Standing Order 10:ix) Matters of a confidential nature were about to be discussed and no authority had been received from Savills to discuss their proposal in the public domain.

4. Land at the Rear of Hale Village Hall - The meeting discussed issues related to possible car park usage of land at the rear of the Village Hall, and to the privacy concerns and legal matters highlighted by residents

5. Precept Request – It was proposed that it be noted that the Annual Precept request for FY2627 has been submitted to Halton Borough Council on behalf of Hale Parish Council

Proposed by Cllr G Wright and Seconded by Cllr J McNamara

The motion was approved unanimously