MIDDLETON CUM FORDLEY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING AS SOLE TRUSTEE OF THE MIDDLETON RECREATION GROUND TRUST

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 11 JUNE 2024 AT 8pm AT THE VILLAGE HALL

1 Attendance and Apologies Attendees:

Cllr Lesley Taylor – Vice Chair Cllr Graham Lacey Cllr Charles Macdowell Cllr Giles Piercy Cllr Katheryn Rowe Cllr Chris Reynolds

Apologies:

Cllr Julian Cusack Cllr Steve Thorpe Cllr Michelle Kendall

In attendance

Rachael Salcombe - Clerk

2 To receive declarations of interest and to consider requests for dispensations. None.

3 Minutes

- a) Minutes approved of Trustee Meeting held on 14 May 2024.
- b) <u>Matters arising</u>. The booking form for the pavilion has been revamped to include no bouncy castles.
- 4 To review Safety Inspection Report. May report approved.
- **5 Correspondence.** No correspondence.

6 Matters for discussion

<u>Survey</u>. Forty replies have been received out of the 120 issued. Cllr Rowe has collated paper surveys for door-to-door delivery. Cllr Taylor will distribute in the Moor area, Cllr Thorpe to distribute along Reckford Road, Cllrs Rowe and Kendall to deliver along Mill Street, through the village to Rectory Road and Cllr Piercy to delivery along the Causeway.

Software will be used to coordinate the responses, and thus inform the way forward. It is hoped that this information will be ready for July's meeting. Cllr Rowe reiterated the commitment to keep residents informed of ideas and proposals extracted from the surveys, creating a short list of ideas to present for further comment.

<u>Signs (recreation ground rules/guidelines).</u> It was agreed to put this on hold until the collation of the surveys have been considered and final choices made for the recreation ground.

Dog fouling along the path that runs around the perimeter of the recreation ground was raised, with the suggestion that signs are put in place. It was decided, in the first instance, to contact a resident on Back Road to seek agreement for the erection of appropriate signs. Action: Clerk to contact resident seeking agreement to put up signs to use the dog bin situated at the entrance of the recreation ground.

Picnic Benches. The Summer Winers are in the process of constructing the benches.

7 Items for the next Agenda. No items.

8 Next Meeting

Date of next meeting Tuesday 9 July 2024, to follow Parish Council meeting.

Meeting closed at 8.30pm.