MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

HELD ON TUESDAY 1st MAY 2012 AT 7.30PM AT THE CADMORE END VILLAGE HALL.

ATTENDANCE: Cllrs Mr G Coulter, Mr M Detsiny, Mr I Harris, Mr N King, Mrs J Osborn, Ms L Smith, Mr C Stewart, Mr K Wright.

Clerk, H Glasgow.

APOLOGISES: Cllrs Mr A Simmons, Mrs M Dunning.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC 13

Members of the public were invited the enjoy refreshments and mingle with Councillors before the meeting.

NAG Update

PC Penny Ling and PC Danny O'Driscoll gave a NAG update (Neighbourhood Action Group). Information was provided on recent activities and crime levels.

Chairman's Annual Report

Councillor Coulter gave a PowerPoint presentation, he began with a vote of thanks to all Members of Council and the Clerk for their contribution and commitment to the work of the Council. He then went on to thank all Parishioners who have engaged and assisted in the Councils activities and Katy Dunn for her efforts as the Moorend Common Warden. Cllr Coulter welcomed the two new Councillors and paid tribute to Councillor Doug Pullen who sadly passed away. He also thanked Councillor John Nicolson who has recently left Council for all his efforts. Councillor Coulter thanked Carlos and Joy from the Grouse and Ale for providing the refreshments. He then went on to give an overview of 2011/12. A hard copy of this report was available to all present.

Finance Report

Councillor Detsiny gave a PowerPoint presentation on the Councils financial status.

Ditchfield Common

Councillor Jane Osborn gave a presentation about the purchase of Ditchfield Common and writing a management plan for the Common. Councillor Osborn invited any interested Parishioners to contact the Clerk for more information on assisting Council in the writing of the management plan.

Lane End Playing Fields

Councillor Harris and Councillor Stewart gave a PowerPoint presentation on the Lane End Playing Fields.

Councillor Harris described the Playing Fields history and works which have taken place recently. Councillor Stewart reported on future plans and possible funding avenues.

Councillors Harris and Stewart invited Parishioners to become involved in the Playing Fields working party and would like to engage with the community to take the project forward.

Members of the audience were invited to raise questions and a number of questions and comments were raised. Overall the general feeling from the audience was that the APM was organised well and had enjoyed the presentations. Members of the public were invited to carry on enjoying the refreshments provided.