



RAGLAN COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of the Finance Meeting of the Council held on Wednesday 11 January 2006 at 7.30 pm at Raglan Junior School

Present: Councillor Mrs. H. Williams (Chair),

Councillors Mrs. M. Chilcott, T. Phillips, R. Moorby, D. Watkins,

Mrs. J. Harry, R. Watkins, D. Brown, A. Crump.

In Attendance: The Clerk and 3 members of the public.

1. Apologies for Absence were received from Councillors N. Porter and R. Parry.
2. Members considered a list of organisation seeking financial support and decided to support the following list of organisations in 2006:

Monmouth CAB 50

Raglan in Bloom 750

Llandenny PCC 100

Penyclawdd PCC 100

Llangovan PCC 100

Raglan PCC 100

Kingcoed Baptist 100

Raglan Youth Club 150

Raglan Festival 300

Monmouthshire Crossroads 50

Macmillan Nursing 50

Bobath Cymru 50

St David's Foundation 50

Total 2050



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3. Clerk's Salary (The Clerk and Members of the public left the room during discussion of this item.)

Resolved to increase the Clerk's salary to £3,000.00 per annum with effect from 1 April 2006. The Clerk and members of the public rejoined the meeting. The Clerk thanked members for their decision.

4. Clerk's Report and Budget for 2006/7

Members noted that the estimated spend for the current year was quite close to target apart from the sum added last year for the Village hall development which remained unspent. This means that balances for the end of 2005/06 would be quite significant.

The budget estimate for 2006/07 was agreed as follows:

£

Clerks salary 3000

Office expenses 2600

Insurance/Affiliation 500

Donations 2050

Allotments 100

Raglan Village 4000

Total 12750



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This would represent a Band D Council Tax of £12.93 which is £1.07 less than last year.

5. Agreed to seek a precept of £12750 for 2006/07.

6. Any Other Business

It was agreed to consider the following Planning Application to ensure it is dealt with within the time limit:

M12373 - Increase the height of the stone/brick replacement wall to the original 1.8M and increase the height of the remaining adjoining wall to 1.8M - Ty Hir, Monmouth Road, Raglan - Agreed.

The Meeting ended at 8.00 pm