

# POSTLING PARISH COUNCIL

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## **Minutes of Postling Parish Council meeting at Postling Village Hall, Tuesday 01 August 2023, 6.30pm**

Attending: Chairman Frank Hobbs, Cllrs Helen Calderbank, Christine Hobbs, Daniel Shaddick, Charlie Wilkins, Parish Clerk Clare Hamilton.

Apologies: John Patrick.

### **1. Co-option of a Parish Councillor**

Following the retirement of Yvonne Mumford at the local elections in May 2023, FHDC informed the parish council that a councillor may be appointed by co-option. The position was advertised and three applications were received by the deadline of 5pm on 17 July.

By the time of this meeting, two applicants had withdrawn their applications and the remaining applicant was invited to address the council.

After discussion, the Chairman put forward the motion to co-opt Robert Lye as Councillor. This was Proposed by Cllr Christine Hobbs, seconded by Cllr Charlie Wilkins, all in favour.

Declaration of Office and Disclosure of Pecuniary Interests forms were completed and signed.

Meeting closed at 7pm.

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