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Minutes of the Extraordinary Full Meeting of the Parish Council held at **Benians Pavillion** on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2026 at 6.00pm

**Members Present:** Cllr Briggs, Cllr Smith Cllr Gebbett, Cllr Thomson, Cllr M Pullen, Cllr R Pullen, Cllr McAllister

**In attendance:** Mrs Debbie Batley (Locum Clerk)

**26.115 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:** were received from Cllr Medhurst, with Cllr Coulson apologising for late attendance.

**26.116 OPEN SESSION – PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:** No public present

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**26.117 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS**

Councillors are reminded of their responsibility to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest which they may have in any item of business on the agenda no later than when that item is reached. Unless dispensation has been granted, you may not participate in any discussion of, or vote on, any matter in which you have a pecuniary interest. You must withdraw when the meeting discusses and votes on the matter. **None declared**

**26.118 Four Marks Neighbourhood Plan – Policies**

Approval in principle of the draft policies and procedures for the Neighbourhood Plan.

**Proposed by Cllr Gebbett and seconded by Cllr M Pullen.**

**Agreed unanimously by the Parish Council**

**26.119 Tennis Courts**

Proposal to reduce the cost of hiring the tennis courts, to encourage use of the tennis courts, to assist with increasing the usage.

It is suggested that the cost should be reduced to £3.00 per session from Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2026.

**Proposed by Cllr M Pullen and seconded by Cllr Smith – Agreed by all.**

**Cllr Coulson arrived and gave her apologies**

**26.120 NEXT MEETING Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2026**

**EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

In accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the Council have the right to exclude the public and press from a meeting in respect of confidential or sensitive information which is prejudicial to the public interest and may pass a resolution, without notice, to do so.

**Signature:**

**Date:**