



Minutes of the **MEETING of CHALE PARISH COUNCIL FINANCE COMMITTEE** held on **Thursday 12th June 2025**, commencing at 2.30pm. The Meeting was recorded for the purposes of accuracy.

Present

Councillors: Cllrs: Chris Parker, Dave Stewart & Dr Jeremy Lockwood
IW Councillor: Not Present
Clerk: Mrs Michala Bailey
Public: 0

1/25 APOLOGIES

To receive and approve any apologies for absence.

RESOLVED: None

2/25 DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY AND NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS

To receive any declarations of pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests and written requests for dispensations on items forming the agenda.

RESOLVED: None

3/25 NEW FINANCE REGULATIONS

A copy of the new regulations was circulated prior to the meeting as per NALC guidelines of 2025. The regulations were discussed in detail and agreed with one exception.

RESOLVED: Clerk to think about banking continuity and access in Clerks' absence.

4/25 .GOV.UK EMAIL ADDRESSES

Clerk explained that without the current website being accessible (currently being worked on by website host) then email addresses could not be obtained. However, an additional problem of whether the Clerk has access to the site and input permissions is a problem as current website is written in code and not WordPress which the Clerk could learn. Therefore, the whole site may have to be changed as this is a requirement under the regulations. Due to the ongoing cost implications of this, further work is required.

RESOLVED: Clerk to speak with other clerks and ascertain how they are moving forward with this issue and consider a multi-parish website?

Meeting concluded at 4.30pm