

**Minutes of the Annual Parish meeting of Minterne Magna Parish Council  
held on Wednesday May 14<sup>th</sup> 2025 at Minterne House at 7.30pm.**

**Present:** Lord Digby, Chairman, Mr. P. Goodfellow, Mr. C. Saunders, Mr. Paul Stanzl, Mrs. J. Haynes, Dorset Councillor, PCSO Sarah Pilcher & PCSO Charlotte Alcock and the Clerk, Mr. P. Horsington.  
One member of the public attended.

**1. Apologies**

Apologies were received from Mrs. R. Cassidy, Mr. G. Stevenson & Mr. S. Tite.

**2. Minutes**

The minutes of the Annual Parish meeting held on Wednesday May 15<sup>h</sup> 2024, having been circulated, were signed as correct.

**3. Chairman's & Councillors' reports**

Lord Digby reported that the SID, managed by Mr. Stanzl, provides valuable data. Mr. Stanzl was thanked for all his work during the year.

The precept has remained at £3,400 for the coming year.

No other reports were made.

**4. Police & Community Matters**

Lord Digby welcomed PCSO Pilcher & PCSO C. Alcock to the meeting.

PCSO Pilcher reported that a car had been stolen in Cerne Abbas. Mr. Stanzl informed the meeting that the SID has been vandalised recently and Highways has been informed. PCSO Pilcher advised that this ought to be reported to the Police. Lord Digby thanked the Officers for their regular reports, which are circulated.

**5. Dorset Councillor's report**

Mrs. Haynes was welcomed to the meeting and highlighted a temporary issues with Travellers. Piddlehinton Camp is to become a permanent site, having Security based on site.  
Lord Digby thanked her for her monthly reports, which are circulated to members.

**6. Village Organisations – Church**

Lord Digby reported that arising from the Quinquennial report, the Church needs lead work carried out on the Tower, this raising concerns over possible theft.

**7. To note any other issues raised**

As there were no other issues raised, the meeting was closed at 7.43pm.

Signed.

Date.

