MINUTES of the GREAT BUDWORTH PARISH COUNCIL FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

held at the Parish Hall at 6.45pm on MONDAY 6th JANUARY 2020

Meeting opened at 6.45pm

1. ATTENDANCE ACTION

Chairman: R. Collier

Council Members: A. Lee (AL); M. Torrance (MT); J. Bowman (JB); R. Wilkinson (RW);

D. Hammond (DH); J. Robins (JR).

Also present: G. Ayres (Parish Clerk); 1 member of the public.

2. APOLOGIES - Cllr. S Coppell

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST - Cllrs. Bowman and Lee declared interests in tree works and Farthing Lane respectively.

4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

It was agreed that the minutes of the Finance Committee Meeting held on 4th November 2019 were a correct record and they were approved.

5. BUDGET 2019/20

a) Review of the budget for 2019/20

The budget for 2019/20 was reviewed against actual spend and approved.

b) Payments

The following payments were reviewed and approved:

- Clerk Expenses £193.03 (including mileage £14.85; printer ink £29.99; website domain renewal £19.99 and new printer £129.00)
- Clerk's salary £294.12 and NEST pension £27.09 for January and February 2020.

6. BUDGET 2020/21

The budget for 2020/21, as amended following the last Committee meeting to retain a reserve for future works to the Parish Field, was approved.

7. PRECEPT

It was agreed that the precept request for 2020/21 should be £9760. This means no change to the Band D precept charge for 2019/20 which was £46.17.

8. FUTURE MEETINGS

Future meetings will commence at 7.00pm instead of 6.45pm

Meeting closed at 7.05pm