

**Minutes of the Meeting of Doddinghurst Parish Council General Purpose Committee
held at 20.00 on the 23rd November 2011, Parish Room (adjacent the Village Hall),
Doddinghurst Road, Doddinghurst.**

Present: Cllrs: Alan Farrow (Chairman), Clr. Mrs A Richards, Graham W Bateson, Mrs Diane Rogers-Harrison, Gerry Smith, Mrs Julia Le Page.

1. **Apologies for absence.** Full attendance.
2. **Declaration of Interests relating to items on the agenda.** None declared.
3. **👏 Resolved:** Approved, the minutes of the GP meeting held on the 19th October 2011.
4. **Information:** Consequential action following update on items from previous meeting:
 - Skate Park letters - no response from parents, invites to Christmas buffet sent
 - Footpath 10 repairs - footpath re-closed by ECC for up to 6 months
 - Teen Village Repairs - Broken handrail and support post replaced by Clr K Parker
 - Peartree Access Bollards - Communication seeking villagers views in December Newsletter
 - Highway repairs - reply from ECC received. The Clerk to log interactions with ECC on highways matters.
 - Salt Bags - some remaining for collection.
5. **Information:** Noted, the burial plots in breach of lawn cemetery regulations had been rectified.
6. **👏 Resolved:** Agree policy for the provision and maintenance of (new) memorial benches.
7. **👏 Resolved:** Agreed to replace, in Spring 2012, Eileen Ehren's memorial bench.
8. **👏 Resolved:** Approved, the installation of Notice Board support posts and the re-installation of ex Post Office Notice Board alongside pavement on the Doddinghurst Road 20m to the North of Bus Shelter near the Post Office.
9. **Any Other Urgent Business** strictly for information only. No items raised

The meeting closed at 21.40

Signed:

Dated: 15th Feb 2012