

# Bitton Village Residents Association

## Minutes - Committee meeting 20/1/2010

### 1. Present

Andrew Ward – Chairman, Marlene Gallup – Vice Chairman, Bridget Hetzel – Secretary, Pete Sayers – Treasurer, John Graham, Christopher Gallup, Bob Willis, Mike Thomas, Mike Ashbee, Tony Boulton, Anne Boulton, Nicola Bebb, Becky Feather

### 2. Apologies

John Dugay, Shirley Day, Cheryl Wright

### 3. Guest

Dave Thomas, Regional Manager, Jones Convenience Stores

### 4. Village Shop – Jones Convenience Stores

Dave Thomas presented some thoughts on improvements to the shop and the committee agreed to provide some ideas and suggestions for improvement based on a rapid questionnaire.

Action Bridget

### 5. New committee member

The committee was delighted to welcome Nicola Bebb as a new committee member

### 6. Minutes of previous meeting (AGM)

The minutes were accepted although it emerged that the new constitution was not yet in force as it needed to be ratified at an Emergency General Meeting. This will take place at the beginning of the next committee meeting (21<sup>st</sup> April 2010). A notice to announce this will be posted.

Action Andrew

### 7. Intier site

Nothing to report except that it was likely the houses at the netrabnce wopuld be re-let.

### 8. Brewery Hill site

Removal of glass and some structures now complete

### 9. Parish plan

Progressing slowly. Help may well be required by committee members in due course.

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## 10. Finance report

Nothing specific to report

## 11. Social activities

Flicks in the Sticks continuing to be great success

Garden club proving very popular

Plan to plant more bulbs this year

Open gardens day set for 6<sup>th</sup> June – Tony Boulton seeking more gardens to open

## 12. Campaigns

It was agreed to put more work in to clearing up litter – following the excellent example set by Tony Boulton and others. This will include acquiring litter pickers from the Parish Council.

Action Andrew

## 13. Date of next meeting

21st April 2010.



Andrew Ward

Chairman

2/4/2010