

PARISH OF FISHBOURNE

MINUTES OF THE CHAIRMAN'S ANNUAL MEETING

Held on Thursday 21st April 2016 starting at 7.30 p.m.

Courtesy of the Chairman, Cllr Malcolm Hector, a reception was held from 7.00 p.m.

Present: Cllr Hector (Chairman) Cllr Abraham, Cllr Flux
Mrs Caws (Clerk)
Members of the public 3.

Apologies: Cllr Cooper, IWC Cllr Warlow, Mrs C Rolf

Guest Speaker – Mr Peter Fellows from the 'Down to the Coast' project

1. **The Chairman** welcomed everyone to the meeting.
2. **The Chairman's** annual report is attached to these Minutes marked 'A'
3. Cllr Flux presented the **Police** annual report – attached marked 'B'
4. In the absence of IWC Cllr Ivor Warlow (**Ward Councillor**), Cllr Hector read out his **annual summary**.
The last year has been quite challenging with local Budget issues and many ward topics to deal with. Residents have raised concerns about continued Flooding, NHS and Social Care, Planning, PFI (roads) and council services. He continues to seek and offer solutions, which are not always practical.
He is pleased to see further LSTF work through Ashlake Copse Lane and east of the Quarr Estate through to Kingarth, Binstead.
He has spent a lot of time over the Wightlink Planning applications, now approved with conditions, and is pursuing road improvements in Fishbourne Lane.
He attends Fishbourne Parish Council meetings and the local weekly surgeries. He is a member of Ryde Town Council, Binstead Community Partnership and the Wightlink Ferry Forum.
He has a good attendance record at IWC Council meetings and seminars, Chairs the Council's Pension Fund Committee and serves on the both the Economy & Tourism and Environment & Transport Select Committees.
He fully appreciates his role in supporting both wards, getting involved in resident concerns and facilitating discussion on local issues. He aims to continue with this work in the coming year.
The Chairman recorded his thanks on behalf of the Council for the assistance Councillor Warlow has given the Parish throughout the year.

5. **Open Session** – No matters were raised
The s.106 agreement was mentioned, especially the wording of the Traffic Management Plan. Cllr Hector proposed to contact to the relevant planning officer. Cllr Flux commented that many of the residents were pleased that the roadworks were finally finished as they had gone on for so long.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.15p.m.