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**MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL
HELD IN THE PAVILION AT 4.30pm ON TUESDAY 27 JANUARY 2026**

1. Record of attendance and apologies

E/25/26 In attendance were Councillors McElvogue (Chair), Evans, Riordan J Garlick, C Garlick, Kress Von Wendland and Higham.

The Clerk: S Turner

There were 6 members of the public present.

Apologies were received from Councillor Hewson.

2. Declaration of interests in items on the agenda

E/26/26 It was explained that Parish Councillors do not have a disclosable pecuniary interest and have a general dispensation in respect of any business of the Council relating to setting council tax or a precept.

Cllr McElvogue declared a personal and pecuniary interest in items relating to the Project Manager.

Cllr J Garlick declared a personal and pecuniary interest and left the meeting.

Cllr C Garlick said she lived with John and left the meeting.

E/27/26 Public Questions

As members of the Public had attended the meeting, the Chairman permitted questions to be asked.

Question – What does the Project Manager do?

Due to Cllr McElvogue's personal and pecuniary interest in this item, he left the building.

The role of the Project Manager was explained, and Cllr McElvogue was asked to come back to the meeting.

3. To approve the budget and set the precept for the financial year 2026/2027

E/28/26 **Resolved:** The budget and precept were approved. The Clerk is to inform Arun District Council of the precept request.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 17.30.

Signed.....

Chair

Date.....