

Leicester Forest East Parish Council
The 37th Annual Parish Meeting
Minutes

The Annual Parish Meeting was held in the Parish Hall, Kings Drive,
Leicester Forest East on Wednesday 17th May 2023.

The Annual Parish Meeting took place at 6.45pm, prior to the
Commencement of the Annual Parish Council Meeting.

The Annual Parish Meeting will be under the Chairmanship of Councillor
Paul Linnett and, by law, may discuss all parish affairs and pass
resolutions about them.

Attended by Cllrs Linnett, Kitchen, Darlison, Di Palma plus the Parish
Clerk.

1. Welcome from the Chair of the Meeting

During the past year, Councillors Dracup, Lawrence and Cleaver have
left the Parish Council. Councillor Wells has just joined following the
May 2023 election.

The Parish Council has organised several well-attended events during
the last 12 months, these include: two litter-picks, Picnic in the Park,
The Daniel Smith Blues Band, a quiz night.

Achievements earlier in the year included the adoption, after
referendum, of the Neighbourhood Development Plan, bigger and
brighter Christmas lights, taking over the finances of the Film Evening
and successful audits.

Later successes have included improving the verges either side of the
Parish Hall car park gates, gaining a Local Council Award Scheme
Foundation Award and near-completion of the Wildflower Garden.

Additionally, the Clerk achieved the CiLCA qualification.

The chair went on to thank all Councillors for their support of him as chair, specifically the Chair of planning for his recent speech at BDCs Planning Committee meeting and work on the new Christmas lights, the Chair of Parks for his work on bulb planting and tree work, the previous chair of the Finance Committee for all of her work on the finances over the years. Additionally, the Chair thanked all members who had attended Parish Council events.

Lastly, the Chair thanked all three member of Council staff for their work supporting the Council over the last 12 months.

2. Apologies

Councillors Dawes and Wells sent their apologies for the meeting.

3. Confirmation of the minutes of the 36th Annual Parish Meeting

Resolution: The Council resolved to accept the minutes of the 36th Annual Parish Meeting as a true and accurate record.

4. Matters Arising

One Councillor remarked that the car park entrance looks much better now works have been completed.

5. Questions from any electors of the parish of Leicester Forest East

None.

Meeting closed at 6.53pm.