

Minutes of the Annual Heskin Parish Council Meeting held on 14th May 2026.

Present Cllr Mrs Bamber, Councillors Elphick, Forshaw. Lloyd , Singh.

1 Appointment of Chair and Vice Chair for the forthcoming year.

Cllr Mrs Bamber was appointed as Chair, Cllr Lloyd was appointed as Vice Chair.

2 Minutes of the Annual Parish Council Meeting held on 15th May 2025

The Minutes were accepted as a true record and agreed

3 Chair's Annual Report

Cllr Bamber's Annual Report was noted.

4 Election of representatives for Outside Bodies

Cllrs Singh and Woodroffe were elected.

5 Annual Audit and Electors Rights.

The Clerk reported that the Annual Audit had been approved at the April meeting. It was agreed that it should be published and forwarded to PKF Littlejohn the official auditors.

6 Payment of Accounts

Two cheques were signed

Hiscox Insurance £438.30 Council Insurance

LALC £192.06 Annual membership

7 Town Lane Field.

Reference was made to a "social media" comment that the area of the field near the brook was untidy. It was pointed out that this was part of a "rewilding" initiative.

8 Tree severely cut on The Meadows.

Cllr Elphick reported that a tree on Council owned land had been severely cut back. The Clerk reported that he had written to the person responsible and a response was awaited.

9 Resignation of Councillor.

Cllr Ed Forshaw announced that he was resigning as a member of the Parish Council and that this was his final meeting. The Council noted this and thanked Cllr Forshaw for his many years valuable service.

The Clerk was asked to advertise the vacancy.

10 Date of next meeting 18th June 2026.