

BICKERTON & EGERTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held

At Bickerton Scout Hut

15th January 2026 at 7.30 p.m.

Apologies	Cllrs S Davies, Bourne and Goodwin
In attendance	Present were Cllrs Tom Mills (Chairman), Mark Burrows, Clare Davies, Anna Davies, Christine Latham, Dan Proctor.
Minutes of the last meeting	Minutes of the last meeting held on 16th October were approved and signed by the Chairman
Cllr Pearson	<p>The Chairman welcomed Ward Cllr James Pearson to the meeting.</p> <p>The following items were discussed:</p> <p>Instead of using Fix my street to report, the new link is TRACE on the Cheshire East website – when reporting it is a good idea to include the what3words location.</p> <p>Overgrowing hedge surrounding derelict bungalow on Goldford Lane, as this has been assessed by the council, the next action should be for the Parish Council to contact the owner – Clerk to investigate who this is.</p> <p>Areas of concern in the parish were mentioned, chevron sign missing on Shay Lane; Tree by the bus shelter needs attention – telephone line is buried in the tree; drain by Egerton House, last had attention July 2024, needs looking at again as flooding started again; surface water on A534 by Briar Cottage.</p> <p>Clerk to summarise all points in an email to Cllr Pearson and also report issues on TRACE and encourage other councillors to do so also.</p>
Accounts	Bank balance £2039.17. Payment to be made £15 for room hire. The annual precept was discussed, it was proposed by Cllr Mills and seconded by Cllr Latham to precept for £2500.00.
Any other business	Clerk mentioned that we are no longer receiving notification of planning applications in our parish and concluded to contact planning to resolve the issue.
Date and time of next meeting	At the Scout Hut in 16 th April 2026 at 7.30pm