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At a Meeting of the **FINANCE & GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE** of COLEHILL PARISH COUNCIL held at Colehill Memorial Hall on **17 MAY 2011**.

PRESENT

Cllr Susan Davies, Chairman

- Cllr Jeff Morland, Vice-Chairman
- Cllrs Susan Cowsill, KD Johnson, Graeme Smith, Don Wallace, John Warren and David Barnes.

APOLOGIES

Cllrs Dave Mitchell.

IN ATTENDANCE

Cllr Maggie Lawson.

47.11 CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE

RESOLVED that Cllr Davies be appointed Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

48.11 VICE-CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE

RESOLVED that Cllr Morland be appointed Vice-Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

49.11 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

50.11 ACCESS LICENCES

The owner of 9 Kyrchil Way had paid the access licence fee of £210. The owners of 7 and 11 Kyrchil Way had opted to pay the fee in quarterly instalments and had paid the first instalment.

NOTED.

51.11 VAT REPAYMENT

HM Revenue and Customs had paid the VAT repayment of £1261.49 for the period 1 October 2010 to 31 March 2011.

NOTED.

52.11 COUNCIL TAX PRECEPT

East Dorset District Council had forwarded the first instalment of the precept (£35191.25).

NOTED.

53.11 OLIVER'S PARK

- (a) One of the handrails on the small climbing frame had been damaged. The Council's inspector from SAS Playgrounds Ltd had visited the site and made the equipment safe. A replacement handle was being sought.
- (b) A letter of apology had been received from the second young person who was responsible for the graffiti on the play equipment.
- (c) EDDC had advised that they were applying for QE II status on the field at Oliver's Park.

NOTED.

54.11 SIGNATORY FOR THE NATIONAL SAVINGS AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNT (NS&I)

RESOLVED that Cllr Davies be the signatory on the Council's National Savings and Investment Account together with Cllrs Johnson and Mitchell, and the Clerk.

55.11 LITTER PICKING EQUIPMENT

RESOLVED that more litter picking equipment be purchased to the value of approximately £120.

56.11 ITEMS FOR REPORT OR FUTURE AGENDA

Cllr Smith advised that community groups could get renewable energy for their buildings and he would contact David Torring at the Reef to inform him of how the Management Committee could apply.

The Meeting ended at 20.45hrs.

<u>CHAIRMAN</u>