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Minutes of Full Council held on **18th November 2025** in Frampton Village Hall.
Meeting commenced at 7.00pm.

Councillors in attendance:

Paul Mutti, Charlie Adler, Brie Purse, Veronica Antram, Patsy Taylor, and David Nutt

Cllr David Taylor (Dorset Council)

There were 2 members of the public in attendance

FULL COUNCIL

1. Apologies for absence

All Councillors were present.

2. Declarations of pecuniary or other interests

No declarations were made.

3. To approve the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 16th September 2025

These were approved as a true and accurate record of the meeting.

To approve the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 07th October 2025

These were approved as a true and accurate record of the meeting.

4. Matters from the previous meeting(s)

Local Plan consultation report sent into Dorset Council.

PCSO noted concerns at Tibbs Hollow and confirmed they were already monitoring.

Dorset Speed Watch confirmed they have added Frampton to the speed van sites but stated that Dorset had over 1000 site and only three vans.

Contractor would complete painting of play equipment upon a couple of rain free days.

External hedging and vegetation cut back at burial ground and allotments.

5. Chair's update

Chair had no matters to update.

6. Public discussion period (agenda items)

A debate ensued as to the next steps on the Dorset Local Plan Consultation.

It was suggested that all three Chairs from the relevant Parish Council's and the two Ward Councillors (along with the Member of Parliament), all sign a letter – vigorously stating opposition to the traveller's site and referring (officers of Dorset Council who were assessing the site), to the legal agreement signed off by a former Secretary of State.

Other members thought it best to let the procedure take its course as the site may not even be included in the draft local plan.

Members agreed that the signed letter could only add weight to the opposition to the site.

Cllr David Taylor (Dorset Council) would take the lead on this.

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In view of correspondence from members of the public as regards the current occupation the same said plot, the Parish Council had informed the Member of Parliament and completed the relevant paperwork to the Planning Enforcements team at Dorset Council.

Although the Parish Council had not heard anything back as yet, Councillors were content that we had done all we could at this stage.

7. To receive a report from the Dorset Council

There were no further matters than mentioned in minute 6.

8. To receive brief holder updates and to agree action(s) in response to proposals and repairs
Allotments

Cllr Taylor had no concerns at the allotments.

Burial Ground

Cllr Adler had no Burial Ground issues.

Play Park

Cllr Purse confirmed the Play Park was in good order.

Tibbs Hollow

Cllr Mutti had viewed Tibbs Hollow and there were no problems.

Planning

P/LBC/2025/06532

22 Dorchester Road Frampton DT2 9ND

Replace front door and sidelights with painted timber ledge & brace door and clear double-glazed sidelights

Members agreed that as this was a listed building application – there were no objections subject to the listed buildings officer's review.

9. To receive and approve the financial reports and payments for authorisation

a. Payments

There were **6** payments (**PV's 24-29**) totalling **£ 1772.48**, that were approved and authorised for payment,

b. Half year budget

It was confirmed that the percentage budget spends as of 30th September 25 was **43.55%**.

The Clerk confirmed that Professional Fees went overspent due to the external audit.

c. Bank Reconciliation

The balanced accounts as of 30th September 25 was **£ 15388.09**

10. Half year projects report and initial project ideas for 2026

Cllr Purse confirmed she would start phase 2 of the children's play park regeneration in the spring, with emphasis being placed on the multi-play.

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11. Devolution of assets and services from Dorset Council

The Clerk briefed on a potential devolution of assets and services which was being discussed by Dorset Council.

This may include the financial costs of certain services such as verge cutting and gully emptying falling on Parish Councils.

Members agreed not to start making any provisions until such a decision is formally made by Dorset Council.

12. Initial Precept discussion for 2026/27

The Clerk recommended a current Precept of £13000, which remained the same for the past three years,

13. Other Parish matters (not for resolution)

Cllr Antram would collate the information on the various Community Transport Schemes.

14. Items and date for the next meeting

Setting of the Precept

Full Council 20th January 2026
Frampton Village Hall 7pm

There being no further business the meeting closed at **2010 hours**.

Paul Mutti _____ Chair of Frampton Parish Council

Dated _____