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Minutes of the meeting of the Finance Committee, Aldingbourne Parish Council, held on 21st November 2017 at the Aldingbourne Community Sports Centre

Present: Councillors, Turner (Chairman) Beaton, Harbord, and Kahn

Apologies: None

In attendance: Joanne Brown, Clerk

Also present: None

Declarations of interest- None

- 40. Urgent Items None
- 41. **Confirmation of Minutes of meeting held on 13**th **June 2017** On a proposal by Cllr Turner, seconded by Cllr Khan the minutes were approved.
- 42. Declarations under the Code of Conduct None
- 43. **Business plan, Budget and Precept 2018/19** Members discussed the 5 year Business Plan and the constraints on year 2 because of the decision to mount a legal challenge to the NDP. Members discussed the costs involved with these cases, and the lack of progress on other issues because of financial constraints. Members considered the priorities for next 3 years and agreed that the Council needed a better financial base so as to be able to continue with its plans as well as being able to defend any further planning applications which were contrary to the NP policies.

On a proposal by Cllr Turner seconded by Cllr Beaton Members agreed to recommend a precept of £97k for 2018/19

44. Date of next meeting –TBA -March 2018

There being no further busi	ness for discussion the m	ieeting closed at 7.50p	m
Signed	Chairman	Date	

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