

## **Minutes of the extra meeting of Templeton Community Council**

**Held on 14<sup>th</sup> November 2025**

Present: Cllrs Jane Ashbridge, Kathrin Williams, Liz Burns, Elwyn Morse, Mark Simpkins. Start time – 7.00pm.

- 1) To accept apologies for absence. There were apologies received from Cllrs Barbara Priest, Jason Jennings and Peter Morgan.
- 2) **To disclose personal and prejudicial interests in the items listed below.** No interests were declared.
- 3) **Questions from members of the public** regarding items on the agenda not otherwise being covered. There were no questions received in this category.
- 4) **Council's bonfire and firework event.** It was noted that the event had again of necessity postponed by the weather – health and safety.

It was agreed to ask the provider whether the fireworks could be returned for a refund. It was recognised there may be carriage costs and a restocking charge. This was the preferred option. Alternatively (if there were sufficient volunteers and subject to weather conditions) a firework display could be put on for New Year's Eve, with no food provided. Donating to another event, or storing for next year were also considered but had little support.

- 5) The bonfire would be considered in the next meeting. Vandalism in the meantime was considered as low risk and accidental ignition unlikely because the wood was saturated.
- 6) **Next meeting.**  
The next normal meeting would take place on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2025 starting at 7.30pm.

Cllr Ashbridge then thanked everyone for attending the meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 7.25pm.