



Stratfield Mortimer Parish Council Minutes

Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on Thursday 2 April 2026

at Mortimer Methodist Church Hall, West End Road, Mortimer, RG7 3TB

These draft minutes are subject to approval.

Present

Members

Cllrs G Bridgman (Chairman), N Carter, S Child, M Dennett, H Geary, D Kilshaw, M Lock, D Morsley and J Todd.

Officers of the Council

Miss S Taylor

Public/Press

There were no members of the public or press in attendance.

Commencement

The meeting commenced at 19:20

Part I

25/128 To receive any apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Cllrs D Backhouse, S Hill and K Strong. No apologies were received from J Allen, R Saunders and N Williams.

25/129 To receive any declarations of interest

To receive from Members at this point, or at any point during the meeting, in respect of any items included on the agenda, disclosure of any interests, and/or gifts and hospitality, in line with the Parish Council's Code of Conduct

None were received.

25/130 Items for consideration

- 1 **Englefield Cycleway Lease Chairman In accordance with the Council's Standing Orders, to Resolve to authorise the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of Council to sign, as a deed, a lease between the Englefield Estate Trust Corporation Limited and the Council relating to the Mortimer to Burghfield Footpath and Cycleway.**

Cllr Bridgman proposed that, subject to the final lease terms being agreed in accordance with the Scheme of Delegation (and he asked for any comments on the draft to be sent to the Steering Group), the item be resolved. Cllr Kilshaw seconded.

Resolved unanimously.

Close

The meeting closed at 19:29

Date of next meeting: **14 May 2026.**

Miss Danielle Davis

02/04/2026