HORLEY PARISH COUNCIL – MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING HELD ON 2 JULY 2015

PRESENT: Chairman Simon Attfield, Cllrs Bob Barnwell, Graham Curd, Duncan Raper, John Tite, Clerk to the Council David Marriott.

Item		Action
1	Apologies for absence Martin Hamer	
2	Declarations of interests None	
3	Appointment of a new Member of the Council Jennifer Cross expressed her interest in joining the Council, and it was agreed that she be co-opted as a Member, proposed by Cllr Barnwell and seconded by Cllr Attfield.	Clerk
4	Amendment to the Council's Standing Orders Proposed amendments to the Council's Standing Orders to permit members of the public to address the Council were discussed. An amendment which would permit people to speak for up to five minutes on a subject of their own choosing were tabled. It was agreed that people wishing to address the Council should be required to notify the Clerk at least seven days before the meeting with details of the subject on which they wish to speak, and that it should remain at the Chairman's discretion as to whether they are permitted to do so. Amendments to reflect these provisions to be submitted to the next meeting for approval.	Clerk
5	Date of next meeting 13 August 2015	All
	The Chairman recorded the Council's thanks to the cricket club for permitting the meeting to be held in their pavilion.	

MEETING CLOSED AT 7.45PM