Minutes of Rural West NAG held at Hanslope Village Hall on 13th January 2011

Item 1 Those Present

D Courtman (Chair), T Mobley (Dep. Chair), P Ayles, J Earp, J Sweetland, C Hayward, G Lancaster, PC Andy Perry (TVP), Diane Evans (MKC), R Ward (MKC).

Item 2 Apologies

D Hinds & S Mobley.

Item 3 Minutes

Minutes of previous meeting accepted as a true record of the meeting.

Item 4 Finance

The committee agreed to go ahead with the purchase of another three second hand dog bins. Each parish will decide upon the location and liaise with the contractors.

The remaining $\pounds 157.14$ to be transferred to Hanslope Parish Council to prevent the money returning to MKC.

Item 5 Police Report

A Perry gave details of :-

- a) Proposed meeting at Doctors' Surgery re: Murder in The Globe.
- b) Foster child in Hanslope running away.
- c) Eviction Notice served on troublesome Hanslope resident.
- d) Offender from Williams Close having been given a 5 month custodial sentence. He will not be returning to live in Hanslope.

G Lancaster expressed his concerns about "unsavoury" tenants being allocated housing in the village. This is not appropriate for a village location. The Housing Association seems to disregard concerns expressed by the HPC.

A P to look into Licencing Laws after complaint raised by residents.

AP said anti-social behaviour must be reported in order for an investigation to be carried out.

DC brought bogus telephone call to the attention of everyone. Caller claiming to be a member of the Police Association.

Item 6 CSW

Not much activity expected during dark winter months. Although we could concentrate on daytime sessions. Mr Bill O'Reilly (Hanslope) expressed an interest in training. C Davies (MKC) already trained and available to help if needed.

Item 7

Rob Ward MKC Neighbourhood Manager introduced himself and gave a short resume about his role. DC thanked him for attending the meeting.

Item 8 A.O.B.

Diane Evans brought along plans of the proposed equipment installation in the Play Area of Hanslope Recreation Ground. Plans handed to DC and GL. GL to forward plans to Clerk of HPC and inform.

Next Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled for 7.30pm Monday 28th March 2011 at Castlethorpe Village Hall.