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**FERRING PARISH COUNCIL
FINANCE & GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE
(Advisory Powers Only)**

**Minutes of the Finance & General Purposes Committee meeting held at 7.30pm
on Monday 21st February 2022 at the Village Hall**

Present	Councillors	Lesley Young (Chairman)
		Roger Elkins
		Clare Royal
		Peter Coe

1	Apologies for absence There were apologies from Councillor Terry Jackson & Stephen Abbott (illness) The apologies were accepted.	
2	Declarations of interest There were no Declarations of Interest.	
3	Public Question Time There were no questions.	
4	To confirm the Minutes of the last meeting held 17th January 2022 The Minutes of the Finance & General Purposes Committee Meeting held on 17 th January 2022 were approved by the Committee as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.	
5	Matters arising from the report of the last meeting held on 17th January 2022. There were no matters arising.	
6	Accounts and Finance The income and expenditure schedule for January 2022 were reviewed and will be recommended for Full Council approval. The above is recommended for Full Council approval.	
7	Parish Clerk Report including Financial Matters a. FPC Banking The Clerk advised that she is in the process of opening a new bank account with Unity Trust bank. The Clerk went on to advise that issues with two other bank accounts	

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	<p>(Barclays & Santander) have been resolved.</p> <p>Councillor Lesley Young advised that when viewing her personal online bank account, that she can see the business account. The Clerk will investigate further and it was suggested that the Clerk write to Santander.</p>	
8	<p>All about Ferring Magazine There is nothing to mention.</p>	
9	<p>Urgent matters arising, since the preparation of this Agenda & Items to be referred to next Agenda Councillor Lesley Young advised that the Project Group met on 17th February and an update will be provided at Full Council 7th March.</p> <p>Councillor Peter Coe referred to the enhancement and improvements project to the Pill Box and mentioned that the Environment Committee some years ago discussed the option of installing a telescope at the location and that the Rampion Project could fund such a project. Councillor Peter Coe will look at the application for funding and report back to Full Council on 7th March.</p> <p>It was advised that progress is being made in relation to seeking a Maintenance/Handyman. This will be an item for information at Full Council 7th March.</p> <p>Councillor Care Royal referred to the West Sussex Youth Offending Service by supporting young people to give back to local communities.</p>	
10	<p>The next meeting is scheduled for 4th April 2022</p> <p>Councillor Lesley Young advised that she will be unable to attend this meeting due to being on holiday and it was agreed that a Committee Chairman will be elected for this date at the start of the meeting on 4th April 2022.</p>	
	<p>The meeting closed at 7.50pm.</p>	
	<p>Minutes approved</p> <p>Chairman Date</p>	