Minutes of a meeting of Letwell Parish Council held at the Village Hall on January 14th 2019 at 7.30 pm.

Present: Alan Nettleship, chairman, Duncan Biggins, Jenny Straw, Matthew Bell and Martyn Sharpe.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Matters Arising: 649/19 The clerk reported that a grant of £600 had been obtained from the Dinnington ward budget to offset the cost of the interpretive panel. Members agreed that the scheme would have to wait till the next precept payment was received in April.

650/19 The council was still waiting for Nat West to authorise an online banking facility.

651/19 The police had made attempts to trace the couple responsible for damaging the bench and trees with graffiti, but had reported no progress.

Accounts: 652/19 DS Creative, £39.59p, email hosting fee, proposed J Straw, seconded D Biggins;

653/19 Louise Addy, £17.20p, duck feed, proposed M Sharpe, seconded A Nettleship.

654/19 The council reviewed the financial position at some length and decided to increase the precept for 2019/20 by £200 raising a total of £2200. This was to allow the siting of the interpretive panel, and would also cover the continuing annual costs.

Any other business: 655/19 The chairman reported that two signs, one a street sign and the other a finger post sign, had been demolished at the junction of Lamb lane and Ivy Lodge Lane. It appeared they had been hit by a vehicle. The clerk was instructed to raise the matter with Streetpride.

656/19 The council agreed to hold the next meeting on March 18th 2019.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9 pm.