

**MINUTES** of the GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE held 5 December 2005 at 7.15 pm at Euxton PC Community Centre, Euxton.

**Present** Cllrs W Ashton, J Miles, E Sutton.

1. **Apologies** Cllr M Mercer
2. **Minutes of last Meeting**

**Resolved:** Minutes of the General Purpose Committee held 31 August 2005 were agreed to be accurate record of the meeting, signed by the Chairman.

3. **Grants**

Euxton Playgroup £75  
Careline (Churches Together) £100  
Primrose Hill School £200  
Air Ambulance £50  
The Laurels Playgroup

**Resolved:** Proposed Cllr Ashton, seconded Cllr Miles and agreed the above amounts be granted to the organisations. The Clerk was requested to write to The Laurels Playgroup and request information on its project, £100 was allocated when in receipt of further information.

4. **Wayside Seats**

The Committee considered two positions for seats, Highways Avenue and Runshaw Lane near the shops. The Committee discussed these positions at length and the advice offered by the MAPS team in regards to the position at Highways Avenue and decided the positions were not suitable. The Committee requests alternative positions for seats from Councillors and information of seats in need of repair. An article will be put in the newsletter.

5. **Precept**

Gardens and planting £2,000  
Grants £1,500  
General Purposes budget (for signs) £1,500  
Pavement Sweeper machine/upkeep (to be finalised at the precept meeting)  
Christmas £1,000

**Resolved:** Proposed Cllr Ashton, and agreed the above amounts be requested at the Precept meeting.

6. **Any other business**

There being no further general business the Chairman declared the meeting closed.

