

ARTHINGWORTH PARISH COUNCIL
Minutes of the Meeting held on Tuesday 1st March 2022

Present:- Councillors Sue Handy, Lesley Sanderson, John Harris, Bernadette Kennedy, Michael Kennedy Kate Morse, Keith Ross

Apologies:- None

Attendees:- None

Previous Minutes:- It was proposed and seconded that the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 4th January 2022 and the salary amendment calculation be approved and signed.

- Matters Arising:-**
- 1) Daffodils Nursery – Would it be possible to request:-
 - a) 30 restriction sign further along the road
 - b) 'Slow Children' sign by the nurseryThe matter was discussed and it was resolved that the PC should request these signs from WNC and that the Nursery should also make their own application. The clerk to establish who to contact.
 - 2) Solar Speed sign – no further news
 - 3) Transfer to Internet Banking -
 - a) Signatories available at present:- Lynne Partridge, Lesley Sanderson. Discuss whether more signatories are necessary and submit a new mandate if necessary.
It was resolved that all councillors should be added to the mandate, the clerk to advise Councillors and to obtain a new mandate form.
 - b) To do – The clerk and Cllr. Handy (as the sole signatories) to visit Nationwide BS and close the account and transfer the funds to Barclays.
 - 4) Defibrillator electrodes – Still not available

Declarations of Interest:-

None

Finance:-

- a) The meeting proposed and seconded (KM and JH) that the following invoices be approved for payment:-

Eon (Light Maint O/N/D)	T2	£37.64
Lynne Partridge (Clerk's Salary)	T3	£431.95
Lynne Partridge (Clerk's Expenses)	T4	£74.64
Leics. Gardens (Dec. Mowing)	T5	£120
Your Locale (007 N/Plan)	T6	£3000
Your Locale (N/Plan 008)	T7	£3600
A/Worth PCC (P/corn Rent)	T8	£5
A/Worth Village Hall (Room Hire)	T9	£70

- b) Paid by BACS prior to meeting:-

7/2/22 Npower T1 £127.94

- c) Receipts:- 18/2/22 WNC (Mowing Grant) £131.94
02/02/22 Overmans (Mowing Contribution) £240

Power for 2 signatories to pay Npower

between meetings:- It was agreed that the clerk should have the power to make monthly internet payments to Npower.

Insurance Review:-

- a) Check insured items – confirm that all are still to be insured
Insured at present:-
10 Pole Lamps
2 Bracket Lamps
1 Notice Board
3 Benches
1 Defibrillator

Identified during Parish Mapping – not yet insured

2 Grit Bins

2 Dog Waste Bins

This was discussed and subject to the increase in premium should be added.

b) Burial Ground risk assessment – Circulate for May Annual meeting

This was discussed and if the grave stones need checking could this be done in conjunction with the church if they are doing theirs at any time.

Planning

Applications:-

New Applications:- None

Decisions from West Northants Council:-

WND/2021/0533

Gatesend 29, Oxendon Road, Arthingworth

Variation of Condition 2 of planning permission DA/2020/0981 - Two storey front and rear extension and single storey side extension. Construction of rear balcony and internal alterations (revised scheme)

Permission has been granted with the following conditions:-

- 1) Work to begin within 3 years
- 2) Work to be strictly in accordance with the submitted plans
- 3) External materials to match those in the existing building

WND/2021/0835

Windmill Close, Braybrooke Road, Great Oxendon

Construction of dwelling (Plot 3)

Permission has been refused for the following reasons:-

- 1) The proposal for a new dwelling, in this isolated location in the open countryside and well outside the village confines, is an unsustainable form of development that is contrary to, and would undermine, the spatial strategy set out in the adopted development plan, specifically policies S1 and R1 of the West Northamptonshire Joint Core Strategy and policy RA6 of the Settlements and Countryside Part 2 Local Plan.
- 2) The siting and scale of the proposed dwelling itself, and its cumulative impact when considered alongside the adjacent new dwellings, would be detrimental to the rural character of the wider rural landscape and would fail to protect the special qualities of the Special Landscape Area, contrary to policy ENV2 of the Settlements and Countryside Part 2 Local Plan.

Other Planning

Matters:-

None

Village

Maintenance:-

- 1) Footpath Maintenance - Pathways need sweeping – Reported 12/7/21 (253759) – still open. From the CLO - We have no footway sweeping programme. I would suggest that if you have a specific area of concern you report this through to Street Doctor which will generate an inspection. The clerk to advise the CLO that this was reported in July 2021. No reply received to date. Clerk to advise Ward Cllr. Harris
- 2) Drains & Gullies – From Ward Cllr. Harris - The drains and gullies in Arthingworth are due to be cleaned in February 2022 as part of the routine cleaning cycle. No specific date available. Clerk to Contact Cllr Harris for an update as not done.
- 3) Oxendon Road – water bubbling up through the tarmac - the clerk to report for the 3rd time. The report is still open – possibly to be repaired during the routine maintenance in February. This is now marked as fixed.
- 4) Anglian Water – a site visit to be arranged regarding possible burst pipes.- position to be confirmed.

Neighbourhood

Plan Update:-

Funding:-

Brought Forward

£2500

Applied For	£3000
Inv. 007 (net)	(£2500)
Inv. 008 (net)	<u>(£3000)</u>
Carry Forward	Nil

Parish Mapping

Update:-

Assets and services are being logged on to Parish Online as per the circulated list.

Correspondence:- Circulated by email:-

- 1) NCALC mini updates - Note the item on Rights of Way
S137 now £8.82 per elector
WNC – Big Conversation- information on n/board
- 2) Highways weekly Works Schedule
- 3) Parish and Town Council Forum minutes
- 4) Braybrooke H/Plan consultation
- 5) West Northamptonshire Enhanced Partnership under the Bus Services Act

At Meeting:-

None

Any Other

Business:-

- 1) Moss on footpaths was discussed
- 2) Plans for the Jubilee were mentioned – Chair to make enquiries.

Date of next

meeting:-

Tuesday 3rd May 2022 at 8pm in the village hall. Annual Parish Meeting – Tuesday 26th April 2022.

Meeting closed at 8.52pm