

CLIPSTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 4th March 2020

CLIPSTON VILLAGE HALL, 7.30pm

Minutes taken by Felicity Ryan, Clerk/RFO.

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Present: Councillors. R Burnham (Chairman), H Weston, A Wilford, A Fellowes, A Price, P Hooper

Attendees : Kevin (PCSO)

16/578 Apologies : It was **RESOLVED** to accept apologies from C Kemsley-Pein.

16/579 Declarations of Interests : None declared

16/580 Comments from the Public – The local PCSO spoke in relation to the Police service in relation to the villages and towns in the area. He confirmed they had worked with the school in recent months in relation to online safety. He will contact them about speeding concerns in the village and add Clipston to the village speed watch rota. He confirmed that the best way to report non-urgent crime is online but that more 101 operators are being recruited.

16/581 Updates from County and District Councillor - None received.

16/582 Approval of Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 5th February 2020– It was **RESOLVED** to sign the minutes as a true copy of that meeting.

16/583 Action Points from the last Minutes: -

Fence on Church Lane – Enforcement notice served. **ACTION : Clerk to chase and liaise with Cllr Auger.**

Neighbourhood Plan – The Strategic Environmental Assessment is being carried out and will take approximately 3-4 months. **ACTION : Clerk to complete end of grant form**

Councillor vacancy – The vacancy can be filled by co-option but is not necessary due to the upcoming elections in May. It was **RESOLVED** to wait until the election.

16/584 Finance – to include –

The following payments were approved :

Euromec -	£ 422.55
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CIL allocation to be spent **ACTION : Clerk to investigate costs of a new bench.**

16/585 Planning Applications :-

DA/2019/1074 : Removal of Condition 7 of planning permission DA/2007/0675 (restricting occupation of holiday let for no more than 28 days in one calendar year) Smallthorns Barn, Longhold Road, Clipston, Northamptonshire, LE16 9RF – Application withdrawn

DA/2019/0832 : Listed Building Consent for alterations to existing portico
Clipston Court 2, High Street, Clipston, Northamptonshire, LE16 9RU – Granted with conditions

16/586 Village Maintenance:

Overgrown weeds at Church Close – Ongoing

Streetlight at the top of 13 Bassett Way overgrown hedges – **ACTION : Clerk to chase**

The Jitty – Leaves to be swept – Completed

Wall on Bassett Way in need of repair – Completed

Deed of Covenant on The Green – An application had been received in order to vary/release the covenants. **ACTION : Cllr Price/Clerk to respond**

Junction of A508 clearway sign in need of repair – **ACTION : Clerk to chase and report lack of rumble strips and disappearance of give way sign.**

16/587 Consultations:-

Gliding Centre draft design principles – Noted

Conservation Area consultation – An open afternoon was held at the Village Hall which was well attended. This open day was not specific to Clipston and a further day will be held at which residents will be invited to attend.

Part 2 Local Plan adopted by DDC – Noted

16/588 Correspondence –

Number 59/60 Bus Service contribution – Noted

Northamptonshire Youth Commission – Noted

Police attendance at parish council meetings - Addressed in public participation.

Brampton Valley Way West Northamptonshire Strategic Plan – Any comments to be made by 27th March 2020.

Great British Spring Clean – Noted

DDC one off community event grant for concert in village to support the playing field trust – It was **RESOLVED** to support the event on the basis no contribution was made by the Parish Council.

Election appointments at DDC – All Councillors standing for election must attend and complete forms.

16/589 – Any Other Business (for discussion only, no items can become decisions)

Annual Parish Meeting – Clerk to place on Agenda for next meeting.

Site at land of corner of Gold Street and Naseby Road – work had been undertaken to the site which was noted.

Footpath registration – Clerk to liaise with footpath warden.

Meeting Closed 8.30pm

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