

Stanton Lacy Parish Council Minutes

Draft minutes of the extraordinary meeting held virtually on Thursday 1st April, 2021 at 7.30pm.

Present: Chairman: Cllr Finch, Councillors: E Gatehouse, R Gatehouse, P Jones, P Parker, C Radnor and J Whitaker.

In Attendance: H Coonick (Clerk/RFO)

1. **Apologies Received And Accepted:** P Williams (No internet Access), Cllr C Motley (Shropshire Council)
2. **Declarations of Interest:** Item 4. Cllr R Gatehouse
3. **Public Forum:** Three members of the public attended the meeting. Mr G Hutchins was unable to attend but asked the Clerk to read out a statement on his behalf. He wished to 'learn what their (PC) views are on a development likely to affect the local community, and to establish whether and how this development should be monitored on behalf of local residents' and 'to ask the PC to discuss ways in which all residents of the parish, whom they should at all times represent, can be kept informed of such developments, and given the opportunity to make their views known'. The Clerk responded that parishioners are able to request that items are included on Parish Council meeting agendas and can attend and speak at the Public Involvement Session at the beginning of every Parish Council meeting. The Parish Council publish the required documentation, including minutes and agenda, on the Parish Council Website and 5 notice boards around the Parish. The Parish website also contains information on planning applications, road closures and other local information. A public forum on the website is not considered appropriate as it is not possible for the volunteer and Clerk to mediate it. A local Facebook page (not managed by the Parish Council) is available as a public forum.
4. **To Discuss and Provide Information on the Siting of Landpods at Haytons Bent, SY8 2AT:** Cllr R Gatehouse left the meeting for this item. Planning Permission is not required for the site thus Shropshire Council Planning are not required to inform the Parish Council. The Clerk presented a document on the legal situation and some information about what Landpods intend to do with the site. This will be made available on the Parish Council website. If visitors to the site breach the Code of Conduct parishioners can inform Landpods or Natural England who are the certificate issuing body. If the landowner decides to apply for planning permission in the future the Parish Council will be asked to make comment.
5. **To Support or Object to Planning Applications: 21/01376/TCA To fell 1No Cherry Tree (T1), 1No Silver Birch Tree (T2), 6No Conifer Trees (T3 T4 T5 T6 T8 T9) and pollard 1No Maple Tree within Stanton Lacy Conservation Area St Peters Church Stanton Lacy Shropshire:** Resolved. (MF, PJ) The Parish Council supports this application.
6. **Finance:** Resolved. (MF, JW) Agree payment to 123Reg Domain Name of £19.19 or up to £150 for 10-year agreement whichever is better value.

7. **The Annual Parish Council Meeting and the Annual Parish Meeting will be held on the 20th May 2021 at 7.30pm**

Signed: (Cllr Martin Finch, Chairman) Date:.....