

MINUTES of the MEETING of MISSON PARISH COUNCIL
Held on Wednesday 5th July 2017.

Public: 7 Members of the public attended the meeting and made the following comments:

- There are issues with tankers and tractors speeding through the village to the dairy. Council resolved to contact the dairy farm owners.
- Misson Community Association now meet at 7pm; could the meeting details be amended on the website. The Clerk agreed to update the website.
- The road sweeper from NCC has left oil on the road.
- Will the Parish Council be arranging a Christmas lunch for the pensioners? Cllr Wilcox advised that the event had not yet been discussed but it will be added to the agenda for the September meeting.
- What involvement have the Council had in the village conservation project? Cllr Watkins advised that all residents had been invited to attend a presentation on the project and that the consultation had been held last week.
- Will the comments made towards conversions make any difference? Cllr Edwards advised that if the conservation status was granted then any future projects involving old buildings would be developed in keeping with the village. Cllr Watkins advised that only listed buildings could be forced to change retrospectively.
- The conservation consultant recommended restoring the Pinfold; Cllr Woolliams advised that the purchase of the Pinfold was ongoing.
- The village feast had been held in the 1960's however a recent advert had suggested that it had not been held since 1927. Cllr Watkins advised that the last programme found was from 1927; but this did not mean that the feast event had not taken place since then.
- MCA are considering removing the changing table in the disabled toilet; the changing table was installed by NCC to enable a disabled child to attend pre-school. If the table was removed then several residents would be unable to attend events at the community centre. A representative from MCA advised that the request to remove the table had been made to enable wheelchair user's access to the toilet; however the matter requires reviewing to ensure everyone's needs are met.
- The verges on Top Street require maintenance as there are lots of nettles. Council resolved to report the issue to North Notts Landscapes.
- Would it be possible to advertise the dates of the surgery meetings held by John Mann; Council resolved to contact Cllr Mann and advertise the dates.
- Frack Free Notts are holding an event at the community centre on 17th July at 7.30pm.
- An application has been made to register The Angel Inn as a community asset; is there a reason why The White Horse was not chosen? Cllr Edwards advised that as The Angel Inn is a managed house there are concerns with the brewery closing the pub. The community asset scheme gives the public six months to find funds to purchase the pub; if this happens.

Update from Foresight Group (Solar Farm): James from Foresight group attended the meeting to provide an update on the developments of the solar farm. James advised that visits are not currently available to members of the public due to health and safety issues. The planning requirements have been met. The Foresight Group have a large amount of solar farms with different scheme lengths and an application is being made to run the site for 40 years. Cllr Edwards advised that it is a shame that the site was reduced in size when the feeding tariff was reduced. Cllr Wilcox advised that it would be helpful to receive regular updates from Foresight. James advised that he would try to attend Parish Council meetings when he is carrying out inspections. Cllr Woolliams thanked James for attending the meeting and providing the update.

Councillors Present: A Woolliams (Chairman), J Watkins, A Wilcox and P Edwards.

1. **Apologies for Absence:** Cllr's Shilling; Sutherton and Watson.
2. **To receive any Declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary & Non Pecuniary Interests.** None.
3. **To Approve the Minutes of the Council Meeting 14th June 2017:** Cllr Edwards advised that item 7 (iGAS Liaison Group) required amending; the outline plans had been requested from iGAS not BDC. The minutes were then approved and signed as a true record.
4. **To note Matters Arising from Minutes of the last Meeting not on the Agenda:** Cllr Woolliams reported that the conifers on Middle Street had been cut back.
5. **Report from District and County Councillors:** Cllr Taylor attended the meeting to advised that Ian Parker is leaving the highways department; the new contact details for Viaem had been given to the Clerk; Cllr Taylor advised that the Council should continue to report issues as normal and if no response is received then she would assist. Cllr Taylor advised that she had attended the post S106 agreement meeting and planned to attend the CLG meetings and it may be useful to invite the Health and Safety Executive to the next meeting.
6. **Planning:**
 - To Note Planning Decisions:**
 - **Wardens Cottage; Slaynes Lane:** Replace front door with door of traditional construction: Granted.
 - To consider Planning Applications:**
 - **2 Mulberry Court:** Variation of Condition 5 on P/A 32/03/00013 - (Erect Four New Dwellings and Alter Existing Access) To Allow Continued Use of the Garage Conversion as a Home Business Providing Hairdressing Services at 2 Mulberry Court. No objections.
 - **Gibdyke Farm, Gibdyke:** Erect 15m Monopole with Three Antennas, Two 300mm Diameter Transmission Link Dishes, One Electrical Meter Cabinet, Two Equipment Cabinets and Ancillary Development. No objections.
 - **To consider any other Planning Matters Inc. Neighbourhood Plan progress (10 mins):** Update received from David Hobson: Activities achieved in the last period include: We have a new contact – Luke Brown who has being very helpful in the past month. BDC has approved the Neighbourhood Plan to progress to referendum. The referendum will be held on Thursday 7th September. It will be identical to a normal election with the polling station opening at 7am and closing at 10pm. There will be a count of the votes when the polling station has closed with the votes cast recorded. Should the votes be in favour of the plan this will be the conclusion, nearly three years after the first meeting asking for volunteers. Activities planned for the next period include: BDC will take the Independent Examiners recommendations and update the Neighbourhood Plan; Misson PC need to update budget and identify surplus/deficit against original budget and grant awards – expenditure will still be required for possible printing and costs associated with the referendum. Other tasks to complete: Public Meeting to answer any questions prior to the Referendum to be held 4th or 5th September
7. **Neighbourhood Issues Including:**
 - **iGAS Liaison Group:** No updates.
 - **Pinfold:** Deferred.
 - **Church Wall:** No updates
 - **Robin Hood Airport: Noise Monitoring and Environmental Sub Committee:** Cllr Wilcox advised that she attended the meeting where the charts to monitor flight routes were reviewed. Cllr Edwards advised that he would be raising the issue of the flights turning and climbing over Misson Mill. Cllr Wilcox advised that there is an increase in evening cargo flights. Cllr Watkins reported a noise issue with the Antinov at 7am on 22nd June; Cllr Edwards advised that he would raise the issue at the next meeting.

- **Tunnel tech: To review odour monitoring:** No updates.
- **Public Rights of Way:** Cllr Edwards reported with an issue with accessing the gates on Brickyard Lane as they are tied up with string. Council resolved for the Clerk to contact Notts CC.
- **Village Noticeboard:** No updates.
- **Highways and Footpaths:** Notice received to advise that Park Drain level crossing will be closed from 23:00 on 5th July until 05:00 am on 6th July for level crossing maintenance.
- **Policing:** No updates.
- **Plunkett Foundation: More Than a Pub Programme:** Cllr Edwards advised that the application had been submitted to BDC.

8. Finance: To receive and approve:

- **Financial Statements:** Council reviewed and approved the bank statements.
- **Cheques for Payment:** The Clerk requested permission for MPC to pay the invoices from SLCC for membership and course fees amounting to £226.80 including VAT Austerfield PC and Stainton PC would make contributions of £69.00 each to MPC. Council agreed to the request.

Cheque 1010	Zurich Insurance	£362.77
Cheque 1011	North Notts Landscapes	£480.00
Cheque 1012	S Youngman	£434.82
Cheque 1013	HMRC	£245.96
Cheque 1014	Peter Edwards	£31.19
Cheque 1015	Cancelled	
Cheque 1016	Cancelled	
Cheque 1017	SLCC	£226.80
Cheque 1018	HMRC	£13.80

- **To review the internal auditors report:** Deferred.
- **To review and approve the Clerk contract and job descriptions:** Deferred.

9. To Receive Correspondence:

- **Notts ALC:** Request to complete a questionnaire to establish evidence of issues relating to local government finance and devolution issues and raise awareness of the current financial issues within the sector.
- **Dogs Trust:** Advising of a new school which is open and will be providing classes to Nottinghamshire residents.
- **Plant life:** Newsletter and results from 2016 survey.

10. To approve the date of the next meeting: Wednesday 6th September.

Meeting closed 20:35.