

## CUDDESDON AND DENTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

3rd October 2017 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Present:	Chris Luke (Chairman)	CL
	David Keene	DK
	Ken Meek	KM
	Richard Palmer	RP
	Paul Sellar	PS
	Arthur Smith-Fitchett	ASF
	Kirsten Johnson (OCC)	KJ
	Mike Mount (Clerk)	MM
Apologies:	Michael Raynor	MR
	Elizabeth Gillespie (SODC)	EG

### **77 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

CL declared an interest in the planning application at Oak Tree Cottage.

### **78 PUBLIC COMMENTS**

ASF took over as chairman while Therese Luke explained the planning application at Oak Tree Cottage.

### **79 OXFORD-CAMBRIDGE EXPRESSWAY**

- Peter Rutt had given a short presentation at the recent Growth Board meeting.
- There was going to be a policy forum to discuss the expressway on 7th December. The Parish Council agreed they would contribute up to £50 so that Peter Rutt could attend. Other action group parish councils would be asked to contribute.
- Peter Rutt was due to meet Ian Hudspeth of OCC in a few days, and had requested a meeting with John Cotton of SODC.
- John Howell MP had visited the village and seemed supportive of the expressway not being routed nearby. He was going to discuss this with Chris Grayling, the Transport Minister.
- The boundary defining the neighbourhood plan had been registered with SODC, and there was going to be a meeting to discuss the plan's scope, terms of reference and tender brief for consultants.

### **80 APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

### **81 MATTERS ARISING**

#### **81.1 Road Repairs**

- OCC were not responding to requests about repair of the roads. MM would supply a list of requested repairs to KJ.
- RP asked that the road in Denton Lane at Upperfield Farm was reinstated where services had been run to the barn development.



## 82 COUNTY COUNCIL (KJ)

- OCC was pressing for more money from central government for road repairs, and KJ had suggested more permanent repairs should be made, rather than just patching.
- Changes were going to be made to the first chicane in Horspath to make it less hazardous for cyclists.
- A trial bus service was due to be run in Horspath.

## 83 PLANNING

- The Parish Council recommended approval of the extension to link the garage to the house at Oak Tree Cottage (P17/S3269/HH). ASF was chairman for this discussion.
- The planning application at 8 Bishops' Wood (P17/S2164/HH) had been amended. It was agreed to repeat to SODC the Parish Council's view that this application should be refused.

## 84 FINANCE

### 84.1 Payments

Berinsfield	Grass cutting June	£166.56
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M Mount	Salary July - September	£414.65
BDO	External audit	£156.00
M Mount	Paint for roundabout	£30.98

### 84.2 Receipt

HMRC	VAT refund	£116.58
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### 84.3 External Audit

The external audit had been completed. The annual return, including the auditor's certificate was approved and accepted.

## 85 BONFIRE NIGHT

The plan for bonfire night was agreed.

## 86 CLERK'S BUSINESS

Ellie Hollindale had written about an event which was taking place at the Bat and Ball shortly. She asked that it finished promptly at 1.00am, that external doors were kept closed to reduce the noise, and that neighbours were told in advance in future when such events were taking place. PS agreed to convey these views to the pub on behalf of the Parish Council.

Chairman:



Clerk:



Date:



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