

The Annual Parish Meeting of Stretton under Fosse

Minutes of Meeting

Held on Monday 4th June 2018 at 7:30pm

In the Stretton under Fosse Village Hall

Present Terry Smith (Chairman); Sue Hartshorn, Mark Daniell and Nigel Jennett (Councillors); Kiley Brown (Clerk); Liz Collins, David Collins, John Dale, Mike Frith, Jane Jennett, Tracy Darke, Paul Morgan, and Chris Smith (members of the public)

Apologies Jenny Ogden (Councillor)

1. Parish Council Chairman's Review of 2016/17

The Chairman presented his yearly report and it was received and accepted.

2. Any Other Matters Raised

Speeding was raised as an issue and the previous minutes of meetings were discussed as evidence that this has been addressed but will be added to the next agenda in order to review previous options and investigate further.

The Fosse Way was also mentioned in addition to the main road through the village as a further speeding issue.

Suggestions for speeding investigation include:

Canvassing the local businesses to see if they can contribute to the costs of investigating speeding in the village to decide what measures can be/need to be taken

Trucks driving through the village from Magna Park and other businesses were raised as a concern regarding the foundations of houses close to the road. This will also be added to the agenda for the next Parish Council meeting and it was suggested that we make contact once again with the businesses to advise their drivers to avoid the village if possible. Another potential solution could be to consider if it is possible to put weight restrictions on the main road in order to protect the housing and the newly laid road.

The woodland (spinney) at the end of the village was raised as a concern regarding the health of the trees. It was reported that this has already been discussed and recorded in the minutes of the previous Parish Council meeting but it is an ongoing issue. The landowner has been contacted and we are in continued communications to check progress.

An update was given regarding the activity of the previous year regarding Ann's Lane and the adjacent field. It was reported that this was discussed and recorded in the minutes of several Parish Council meetings over the past year.

A further concern about another field was raised regarding increased tankers and traffic for the bio digesters. The Parish Councillors confirmed that when these were installed the planning permission was looked through very closely and no issues have been raised in the past four years since installation.

This meeting concluded and was followed by a Neighbourhood Plan meeting.