Burford Parish Council

Minutes of meeting on Monday 21st January 2019 at 7.30pm at Burford Village Hall

Public Participation: - One local resident attended the meeting.

The resident wanted to know why Shropshire Council had approved the Caravan Park. The Chairman explained that both Councillor Earp and he had attended a site meeting also Councillor Huffer. They had met the owners of the site who had explained that the 40 Caravans would be sold to a 3rd party who if they wished could let the Caravans out for holidays. The site café would be for residents only. Councillors did make it very clear that they were not happy with regard to linking the site up with the footpath that goes over Farmland. The resident thought it was very sad that Shropshire Council do not listen to residents or councillors, also that is was not acceptable to spend money on consultants with regard to the traffic calming then not proceed. Councillor Thomas did explain that Councillor Nutting had been to a Parish Council Meeting where Councillors did put all these arguments forward. The clerk gave the resident Councillor Nuttings email.

77/19 Present: Councillors. Mr. A Thomas (Chairman), Mr. K. Griffiths

Mr. T. Earp, Mr. R. Morris,

Mrs. A. Yarnold – Clerk

78/19 Apologies: Mrs. S. Webb, Mr. R. Thomas, Mrs. L. Thomas & Mr. R. Huffer - Illness

79/19 Declaration of Interest: None received

80/19 Minutes of the last Meeting:

Approval of 3rd December 2018 minutes

Proposed by Mr. K. Griffiths Seconded by Mr. R. Morris

All in agreement.

81/19 Matter Arising from the minutes: The Clerk reported that an email had been sent to the Cricket Club regarding the fence and hedge. They had replied that it would be discussed at the next meeting. The School had also been sent an email with regard to the trees. Mr. T. Earp was still trying to get a new gate to replace the yellow one he asked if the Clerk could ask ROSPA if a gate the same as the others ones into the play area would be acceptable. Action – Clerk to contact ROSPA

82/19 U.S.C. – Councillor Mr. R. Huffer. Mr. Huffer did not attend

83/19 Finance: The Clerk presented the latest financial information

Income – Nov interest £13.39 December interest £34.42

Balances Treasures Acct: £2353.27

Bus instant Access £39,703.38

D/D Robin Hood Energy Nov £396.82
D/D Robin Hood energy Dec £423.95
D/D Robin Hood Energy Nov & Dec £ 35.86

Chq no 704 Mrs. A. Yarnold - Clerk £520.00 Chq no 705 RPS Grounds Dec £200.00

Payment was approved for all proposed by Mr.T. Earp Seconded by Mr. R. Morris

All in agreement,

84/19 Village Hall: Mr. R. Morris had been to the last meeting and they had agreed that the quote from Sentinel was acceptable for the CCTV.

It was proposed by Mr. T. Earp that the Parish Council accept this Seconded by Mr. R. Morris

85/19 Neighbourhood Plan: The two councillors on this committee were unable to attend

86/19 Planning – 18/05734/FUL – Extension to Brookend, Worcester Road 19/00185/COU – Change of use Aspire unit to Gym

No objections were raised.

The Clerk asked that Councillors look at a planning application just in 50 Boraston Drive, Burford – Alterations to boundry fence.

87/19 Correspondence: Emails sent to all Councillors

Nov 30th - Shropshire Local Plan Review

Dec 4th - Rural Bulletin, Information Bulletin

Dec 5th - RSN Rural Funding

Dec 17th - Dec Bulletin, Worcs Minerals Local Plan

Dec 18th - Community Infrastructure Levy

Dec 19th - Local Plan Review Jan 1st 2019 - January Bulletins

Jan 4th - Area Committees, Planning Burford Nurseries

Jan 8th - Rural Bulletin Jan 14th - Training Courses

Everyone had read the correspondence

88/19 Clerk - The Clerk had given the Chairman her notice. Shropshire Council had been informed and an advert had been sent around councils, also on notice boards and the Parish Council website. An advert would be put in the local paper as soon as possible.

Items for the next Agenda - None

Next Meeting on Monday 4th March 2019 at 7.30pm at Burford Village Hall

Meeting closed at 8.25pm