

Wing Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting on Tuesday 26th September 2017.

Present: Councillors Mrs L Stuart, Ms S Roe, Mrs C Hellgren-Derry, Mr John Hughes, Mr John Benson, Mrs Vicky Day, Mr John Lomas, Mr Mark Kelly, Mrs Louise Crush

County & District Councillor: Netta Glover

698. Public Question Time	<p>Mrs Monteath asked for an update on whether the Recreation Ground redevelopment plans had now been submitted. Cllr Stuart confirmed they had not. The Parish Council was waiting on some final details and it was estimated the planning application would be submitted within one month.</p> <p>Mr Green commented that a Hartwell (estate agent) sign had been erected illegally at the entrance to Chesterfield Crescent. Cllr. Lomas confirmed the sign had been taken down.</p>
699. To consider apologies for absence	No apologies; all councillors present.
700. Declaration of interests	None
701. Approval of minutes	The minutes of the August meeting were approved unanimously.
702. To approve monthly accounts for payment	It was agreed the salary and expenses for the new assistant clerk should be added to the September accounts for payment, which were approved unanimously. Bank account balances noted.
702. To receive information items	<p>a. County and District Councillor's Report Cllr Netta Glover gave an extensive report covering: NSPCC Report; water shortages; the need for foster carers; fly-tipping fines; early help scheme; local lottery allocations; and the Transport for Bucks Conference.</p> <p>b. Clerk's Report The Clerk's report and details of correspondence received were noted and accepted.</p> <p>c. Councillor Reports Cllr Lomas reported back to the meeting that he now had four quotes for a replacement Wing sign, ranging in materials and costs. It was agreed that Cllrs Lomas and Hughes should look at the carved oak sign which had already been started, then report back at next meeting. Cllr Lomas also confirmed the MVAS equipment would soon be returning to Wing and would be erected on the High Street. Cllr Stuart gave a report on her recent attendance at the Local Area Forum Traffic Calming sub-group.</p> <p>d. Committee Reports None</p> <p>e. Recreation Ground Project Update See 698. Public Question Time above.</p>
703. Planning	<p>17/03418 22 Stewkley Road, Wing. Removal of hedge to create access and drop kerb. PC supported application but it was noted the MVAS socket outside property would need to be moved. Cllr Lomas to lead on how this should be done.</p> <p>17/03300 Cedar Farm, Cublington Road, Wing. Replacement building for B1 and B8 use. PC had no objections.</p> <p>Following the receipt of correspondence from a Mr Lewis, the Parish Council was asked by the</p>

	Clerk whether it was prepared to reconsider its decision, made at the August PC meeting, to object to the construction of a one bedroom property at 32 High Street, Wing on the grounds that it did not follow the car parking guidance outlined in the Wing Neighbourhood Plan. The Parish Council saw no reason to vary its decision. Clerk to inform Mr Lewis.
704. Recreation Ground Hedge	Cllr Stuart confirmed that Mr Keith Chapman was currently injured and unable to reduce the height of the hedge on the Recreation Ground, bordering the A418. It was agreed that the clerk should ask Mr Ivor Collins instead.
705. Temporary lease of room at Charlotte Cottage	It was agreed that the Parish Council should decline the offer to take out a temporary lease on a room at Charlotte Cottage, that would soon become available. Clerk to write to Mr Freeman to confirm decision.
706. Annual maintenance of Sentinel	It was agreed that Wing Parish Council should contribute to the annual maintenance cost of the (Speedwatch) Sentinel – approximately £15-£20 per year. Cllr Lomas to write to Northall Council to confirm.
707. Environment Group	Cllr Crush suggested that, following research into other councils' environment groups, several of the Parish Councils working groups be subsumed into the Environment Group, to look at the environment holistically. This was agreed. It was also agreed that it should not include Long Spinney as it was too large. It was further agreed that Matt Whincup should be invited to 'walk the village' paying particular attention to the area between Mill Cottages and Cottesloe roundabout.
708. New Parish Website	Mr Clive Parish confirmed the new website was almost ready to go live; there were just a few outstanding items, listed by Mr Parish, that needed to be provided and uploaded. Training requirements were also discussed. Mr Parish to arrange with website developer, Joanna Craig. All Cllrs to review new website and provide outstanding items as appropriate.
709. Heley's Field	It was agreed that Giffen Couch and Archer (solicitor) should act on behalf of the Parish Council to finalise the tenancy agreement for 'Heley's Field'. Clerk to progress.
710. Co-option of new councillor	At the conclusion of the meeting Parish Councillors met in a closed session to elect, by co-option, a new parish councillor. Mrs Helen McGwyre was duly elected. Clerk to inform Mrs McGwyre and AVDC.

Date of Next Meeting: 31st October, 8pm, Village Hall.