

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF BISHOP'S SUTTON PARISH COUNCIL
HELD ON TUESDAY 13th NOVEMBER 2018**

PRESENT

Chairman Cllr. Budd (RB)

Cllrs. Rutherford (PR), Nankivell (PN), and Jay (MJ)

1 Resident.

Mr K. Fell (KF) – Clerk

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

There were apologies for absence from Cllr. Margot Power, Cllr. Jackie Sumner and Cllr. Humby.

2. AGREE MINUTES OF MEETING 9th OCTOBER 2018.

The Minutes were agreed by Members and signed by the Chairman.

3. MATTERS ARISING.

Request bus stops – a resident had complained about the siting of the post outside the Village Hall and therefore Members discussed the results of the dialogue with residents. A democratic decision was taken to stick with the original locations and MJ will speak to the resident.
Church yard overhanging tree – PN had cut it back.

MJ

4. DECLARATION OF INTEREST.

Nil.

5. HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT.

Nil.

6. WINCHESTER CITY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT.

Cllr. Griffiths had submitted a report which had been distributed.

7. CORRESPONDENCE.

RECEIVED

WCC New handyperson service, Sports & Leisure Park Update, Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places, Pecuniary Interest update, Update of Register of Electors.

Clerks & Councils Direct Nov.'18

CPRE Rural Affordable Housing Conference, Newsletter

HCC Admissions to School September 2019

CAB Request for increased donation

WCC Disability Facilities Grants – MJ to contact WCC for further information. **MJ**

8. FINANCE.

The Clerk produced a financial statement. The CAB had requested an increased donation based on the level of activity and their increase costs. The number of residents from Bishop's Sutton who had used CAB services in the year was listed. The normal contribution was £100 but this year £150 was agreed. The Chairman of the Village Hall committee stated that he would also like to donate £150 if his committee agreed.

TO PAY

CAB Donation	£150.00
Clerk's Exps.	£115.96
WIX Facebook address	£40.83

Proposed PR

Seconded PN

9. INDUSTRIAL PLANNING AND LENGTHSMEN.

MJ stated that the Lengthsmen were expected next Monday.

10. RESIDENTIAL PLANNING.

Ref. 18/01932/HOU Mr Alan Ratner. West Barn, Water Lane.

Partial demolition of existing stable block & replacement with guest annexe.

WCC Application permitted. Discussion took place on this application as the date valid was 13th August 2018 and the Clerk had no knowledge of the application. Clerk to follow up with WCC.

KF

11. TREES – Lest we forget Appeal – Cllr. Rutherford.

Cllr. Rutherford reported on the tree planting that took place in the village on 10th November to commemorate the young men of Bishop's Sutton who fell in the Great War. This was followed by a ceremony on 13th November 2018 which was very well attended. The British Legion were present plus the recipient's sister and school friends and wreaths were laid. Donations were still being received and this money will be used to purchase and plant bulbs around the base of the trees. The Parish Council thanked Cllr. Rutherford and Melissa Simm for all their hard work on the project.

12. WEBSITE.

A new email address has been set up

theclerk@bishopssuttonhampshire.org.uk

The Clerk had given the Minutes of the meetings in 2016 and 2017 to Mark and he had included them on the website.

PN will investigate how Facebook will operate.

PN

13. SLR.

RB reported that the equipment had been sited at the Four Marks end of the village on 7th September and the reading was 18,483.

The Chairman closed the meeting to allow the resident to speak. The lady was concerned at speeding in the village, often vans and buses were the culprits and perhaps it was time for the police to carry out further checks. Clerk to look up the previous statistics.

Then Chairman re-opened the meeting.

KF

14. HIGHWAYS.

Cllr. Sumner had given her apologies.

The highways problems that had been forwarded to HCC had now either been repaired or were in hand to be carried out. The details had been forwarded to JS.

Flooding at the farm in Old Park Road was reported, possible drainage problem.

15. FOOTPATHS & ROW.

PN said that there were low tree branches overhanging the churchyard. PN had cut them back. The footpath to the roundabout needs the weeds cutting back.

Members discussed the footpath to Alresford, and questioned how many residents or walkers actually used the footpath.

16. WDALC.

Meeting planned on 21st November 2018. RB to attend.

RB

17. OTHER MEETINGS.

Nil.

18. SUN LANE DEVELOPMENT – A31 JUNCTION.

No further news.

19. COMMENTS FROM THE FLOOR.

Nil.

20. DATE OF NEXT MEETING – TUESDAY 11th DECEMBER 2018.

The Chairman thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting at 8.25pm.