

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF BISHOP'S SUTTON PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY 13th SEPTEMBER 2016

PRESENT

Chairman Cllr. Miller (AM)
Cllrs. Nankivell (PN), and Rutherford (PR)
Cllr. Ernie Jeffs – Winchester City Council
Cllr. Lisa Griffiths – Winchester City Council
Cllr. Roger Huxstep – Hampshire County Council
Mr K. Fell (KF) – Clerk

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

There were apologies for absence from City Councillor Cllr. Gottlieb, Cllr. Tait and Cllr. Budd.

2. AGREE MINUTES OF MEETING 26th JULY 2016.

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

3. MATTERS ARISING.

Complaints had been received about Boomtown regarding traffic delays. The Clerk had written to the organisers who apologised but said that on this occasion there were accidents on both the A34 and M3 which coincided with the closure of Boomtown. Cllr. Griffiths stated that the Council had not had their de-briefing yet on the event.

Parking on the layby – The PC had received a reply from the Head of Highways, HCC. The letter had been passed on and would be answered within 20 days. The Clerk said that should be this week. The Chairman stated that if HCC declined to act this time then the PC would accept the ruling but would continue to monitor the site for violations.

4. DECLARATION OF INTEREST.

Nil.

5. HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT – CLLR. R. HUXSTEP.

Cllr. Huxstep mentioned the Recycling Centre Consultation as it had been agreed to charge for soil and rubble even at Alresford. A full report is available on the website.

On Devolution the County was consulting the public under Serving Hampshire – Options for future local government in Hampshire.

NB. Bishop's Sutton had not received the papers. However residents can complete the Response Form online at www3.hants.gov.uk/servinghampshire

To obtain a paper copy the company carrying out the consultation has to be emailed or phoned. If phoning a recorded message is heard which states that your call will be returned within 2 days. The closing date is 20th September 2016.

The Chairman mentioned the Gypsies and Travellers. The Clerk had liaised with Nicholas Waite, Gypsy Liaison Officer and they had now left the area.

The Chairman thanked Cllr. Huxstep for his report.

6. WINCHESTER CITY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT – JOINT REPORT.
Winchester Councillors had submitted a report and below is a precis of the report.

The Chief Executive of WCC Simon Eden retired on 1st September 2016, hopefully his successor will be in post in early 2017.

WCC are awaiting a final report from the Gov't Inspector on the Local Plan, but it is expected the Sun Lane site will be the preferred location along with redevelopment of The Dean.

WCC are looking at their stock of council housing and carrying out a survey amongst residents. They are looking for possible additional locations for council housing.

A "Household Enquiry Form" is being sent out to all residents to update the Election Register. The completion of this form is a legal requirement. New designs are being sought for the Station Approach redevelopment and the Friarsgate car park will be partially demolished to allow at least 31 car parking spaces to be re-opened.

A Commercial Premises Survey is being carried out as it is suggested there is a shortage of small commercial premises.

A new group to consider transport issues across the district is being set up by WCC named the Winchester District Transport Board and this will focus on how to deliver the aims and objectives set out in the Council's Community Strategy.

Works to enhance the frontage of the Casson Block on St. George's Street in Winchester will commence to improve the area and make it more inviting to pedestrians. This was requested by tenants of the business premises along the location.

Natwest will have a mobile bank in Alresford on Wednesdays.

The Chairman thanked Cllrs. Griffiths and Jeffs for their report,.

7. CORRESPONDENCE. NB 2 months

SENT

Email to BISMONROPTIS re website

Emails to Gypsy Liaison Officer

Email to Boomtown re last event traffic problems.

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Household Waste Recycling Centres

The charges for soil, rubble, plasterboard and cement bonded asbestos will start on the 1st October 2016. Soil and rubble £2.50 per 30 litre bag, plasterboard £10 per sheet or 30 litre bag, asbestos £12 per sheet or 30 litre bag (only available at certain centres). Householders can pay by cash or card, there is no limit on the amount and commercial vehicles and trailers require a free permit.

Rural England newsletter Aug & Sept.

CPRE Sept.

New Alresford Town Trust –minibus

Southern Water – Water Efficiency Project

Countryside Access – grants

WCC Member Training – Code of conduct, Parish Connect Aug & Sept.,

Winchester Parking Strategy Review 2016, Update to Election Register.

Local Gov't Boundary Commission – Recommendations

PSE Gov't abandons Land Registry Privatisation

Came & Co. Insurers – Move to Guildford

LCR Autumn 2016

Clerk & Councils Direct Sept. 2016

Action Hampshire – Devolution

HALC Annual Review 2015-16

CPRE Field Work & Countryside Voice Summer , 50 Years

Age Concern – Befriending Service

HCC Update July

8. Finance.

The Clerk produced a financial statement.

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Nil

TO PAY
Clerk's Exps.

£96.30

Proposed AM

Seconded PR

9. WEBSITE.

Clerk meeting Mark to proceed with website.

KF

10. INDUSTRIAL PLANNING AND LENGTHSMEN.

The Chairman said that there was nothing further to report.

Lengthsman

Visiting Bishop's Sutton this week but only for one day. The Schedule had been re-done and the Chairman had spoken to Shedfield PC.

11. RESIDENTIAL PLANNING.

16/01739/FUL Mr Ward 3 Hobbs Close

Two storey rear and side extension

PC No objection

WCC Permitted

16/01939/LDP Mr Gregory Thistledown, Appledown Lane

Proposed conservatory to side of property

PC No objection

WCC Permitted

16/01642/FUL Mr Mark Arscott Pembroke Cottage

Retrospective application for installation of 14 solar panels

PC No comment

WCC Refused

12. SLR.

Nil.

13. HIGHWAYS.

In the absence of Cllr. Budd the Chairman stated that some of the potholes had been marked, Whitehill Lane was particularly bad. There had been an accident in Scrubbs Lane.

14. FOOTPATHS & ROW.

PN said there was nothing of note to report.

15. WDALC.

Nil.

16. NEW ALRESFORD DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY.

AM said there was nothing further to report following the Inspector's meeting.

17. OTHER MEETINGS.

Southern Water meeting at Bramdean Village Hall 6pm 10th October 2016.

WCC Planning District Coach Tour 7th October 2016.

18. COMMENTS FROM THE FLOOR.

Lisa Griffiths stated that there was to be an additional bus stop near Long Barn.

19. DATE OF NEXT MEETING – TUESDAY 11th OCTOBER 2016.

The Chairman thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting at 8.37 p.m.

