

WARBLETON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Warbleton Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday 19 September 2019 in the Village Hall , Bodle Street Green.

Present: Councillors – B. Whitton , A Long, Mrs C Davies, Mrs P Velten, M Smythe, R Iremonger, R Reading,

Wealden District Councillor – Councillor Bowdler
East Sussex County Councillor – Councillor Bentley

Clerk – Mrs M Smith

Members of the Public - Two members of the public present.

19/072 Apologies for Absence - Councillor C Wells, S Williamson, D Powell

19/073 Declarations of interest – None

19/074 Minutes -

That the Minutes of the Meeting held on 18 July 2019 having been previously circulated be amended at 19/067 (b) with Cllr Reading details and at 19/067 (a) to state that Broad Oak School is out to public consultation . These will then be agreed and signed at the next meeting. .

19/075 Matters Arising – None

19/076 Public Adjournment – Monica Adams Acton as representative of Warbleton Flower Show highlighted the problem with parking restrictions on the Green at short notice for the Flower Show this year. The society had been informed only in July by Cllr Long of requirements. It was agreed another letter be sent to the Chairman of Warbleton Horticultural Society as concerns were raised that the response sent by the Parish had not been received. The terms and conditions for use of the green are being updated for any future bookings. Monica also commented on the Parish Council website not being up to date and good practice for this to be done. This was noted to be addressed. Revd Manning reported on over grown hedge in Back Lane. Councillor Smythe to speak to landowner in first instance. The Parish Council had given date of 15 October for the next SLR _ Strengthening Local Relations – meeting this is to be confirmed by ESCC and agenda items from Parish Council will be required.

19/077 Reports –

(a) East Sussex County Council – Councillor Bentley gave an update on funding from central government. 29 miles of roads resurfaced over summer, surfacing dressing not pothole repairs.

Although music service has been lost a contractual conclusion for a professional team at Brighton Dome are being used to expand opportunities for students.

Exam results A level and GCSE all improved this year.

The crossing patrol post at Punnetts Town School is still vacant.

Concerns were raised regarding speed thru Punnetts Town , this is still to be addressed.

(b) Wealden District Council – Councillor Bowdler advised that £500 is required for Traffic analysis at Punnetts Town School not just school but the medical centre. It is a dangerous

area to cross with the speeding cars. Parents are trying to raise awareness for traffic calming.

(c) The Dunn Village Hall – Councillor Davies reported meeting last week , quiz night booked for next week , looking into wine glass hire 1200.00 in deposit account. Health and Safety issue are being looked into.

(d) Bodle Street Green Village Hall - Councillor Mrs Velten reported Murder mystery evening to be held this Saturday. Sunday is harvest festival bring and share lunch in the hall. Panto later in the year.

(e) Rights of Way - Councillor Reading no report.

f) Planning and General Purpose Committee - None

.g) Hedgerow Committee – None

h) Wealden District Association of Local Councils – None

(i) Emergency Planning – None

(j) Community Infrastructure Fund Committee - Councillor Davies reported that a Meeting of the CIL will be held at 6.30 prior to 17 October Parish Council meeting.

19/078 Clerks report and Correspondence

Correspondence received had been previously circulated to all Councillors.

19/079 Finance

In the absence of Councillor Williamson, the Finance Statement payment details dated 19 September were outlined by the Clerk.

The following payments were proposed by Councillor Velten and seconded by Councillor Davies, agreed and carried unanimously.

Approved Payments for 19 September 2019

Clerks Salary and Expenses –	486.08	WDC Dog Bin RLG	75.00
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The Chairman Councillor Whitton outlined the proposed agreement with the first responders regarding a grant of £400 a year in respect of cost incurred of AED equipment management and maintenance. This grant will be paid in November annually.

Councillor Long proposed to accept and sign this agreement Councillor Smythe seconded the proposal and this was carried unanimously.

19/080 Items Considered Urgent by the Chairman –

Councillor Reading requested that the First Responders attend a Parish Council Meeting to keep the parish up to date with details.

19/081 Date of Next Meeting

The next Meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Thursday 19 September 2019 at 7pm in The Village Hall, Bodle Street Green

The Meeting Closed at 9.00pm

Signed ...B WHITTON..... Chairman

Date 17 OCTOBER 2019.....