

WANGFORD WITH HENHAM PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES

Date of Meeting: 14th August 2018

Present: Chair Cllr A Smith, Cllrs Carter, Farrands, Ives, Hayes, Miller, Shepherd & Jackson

In attendance: Mrs S Smith (taking minutes), & C Cllr Goldson

1 Declarations of interest – none

2 Receipt and Acceptance of Apologies for Absence Cllr Smith – holiday, Mrs J Brown – Holiday.

3 Acceptance of the Minutes of the meeting held on 10th July 2018

The minutes have been circulated Cllr Hayes proposed acceptance, 2nd Cllr Farrands aif, signed by the Chairman.

PUBLIC FORUM: To include reports from County/District Councillors.

Cllr Tony Goldson reports the two District Councils are still going ahead with merging, there is a planning meeting in September to discuss an approach to joint planning. There is a council budget gap in adult care. 32.4% of the population in the Halesworth district are aged 65 or over, there is a need for funding and facilities to cope with the need.

4 Matters Arising from the Minutes

The Angel Inn, nothing to report at the moment. Jess from Enterprise is on holiday until 10th August and will look into having the area surrounding the pub tidied once she returns.

Personal email addresses - Cllr A Smith to speak to an IT specialist.

Street signs for Henham – have been put in place.

5 REPORTS ON:-

a Police Report – 1 incident of shoplifting

b VAS/APNR – placed in Norfolk Road facing west. 19,400 vehicles passing with 17,000 at or below speed limit.

c Work to allotments – 4 bases for garages due to be completed this week

d Checks on play equipment has been completed: Wicksteed to provide a report for the next meeting. It was proposed by Cllr A Smith to remove the self closing gate from the list of jobs still to be done as the playground inspector says that it is not a mandatory requirement. AIF

e Any other Councillor reports – none.

6 Finance

a Accounts for Payment	COST	VAT	TOTAL
J Brown, Clerk's pay and expenses			259.93
P Smith – Litter picking			50.00
Total 2			£309.93

Cllr Hayes proposed acceptance of these accounts. 2nd Cllr Shepherd aif

b Accounts already paid – none

c Receipts – none

d Bank Statement figures – 26th July 2018 CA £5357.93 BSA £24,226.19

(including £12,529.60 Latitude ticket money)

7 Correspondance

Letter re dogs on playing field on allotments, one incident of faeces found on an allotment plot and concern about lack of signs saying dogs must be kept on leads. It was agreed to monitor the situation when A. Smith and P. Smith were grass cutting and litter picking.

Letter received on the day of the meeting about chestnut tree overhanging at the back of 18 High Street, it was agreed to visit the site prior to the next meeting to understand the scope of the issue.

8 Planning

a Applications rec'd – none

b Decisions rec'd – none

9 Any Other Business

Elms Lane sign is missing at the top end. Clerk to contact Suffolk County Council.

Close. There being no further business the meeting was declared closed at 20.38pm.

Signed.....Chairman Date 11th September 2018

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