

## WANGFORD WITH HENHAM PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES

Date of Meeting: 13<sup>th</sup> November 2018

Present: Chair Cllr A Smith, Cllrs S Smith, Carter, Ives, Farrands & Jackson

In attendance: Clerk J Brown, C Cllr Goldson & Mr Crossley

**1 Declarations of interest** – Cllrs A & S Smith Item 8A & B

**2 Receipt and Acceptance of Apologies for Absence** Cllr Shepherd – family commitment.

**3 Acceptance of the Minutes of the meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> October 2018**

The minutes have been circulated Cllr Carter proposed acceptance, 2<sup>nd</sup> Cllr S Smith aif, signed by the Chairman.

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

C Cllr Goldson: SCC are planning works to the junction of Norfolk Road and the A12 in a bid to reduce accidents at the site, including removal of the left hand lane going south and reducing the speed limit to 50mph in the area. Cllrs all agreed that the 50 mph limit should run from the kennels to the south at least and to the old school at the southern end. Cllr Goldson will discuss this at his Parishes meeting and put forward Cllrs' views to Highways.

The new merged Council is all set to go and shadow council meetings are being held, residents who will have to use in future different polling stations will be informed by letter.

Mr Crossley asked to be considered as a new Parish Councillor and gave a brief talk on what he could bring to the Council in experience and enthusiasm, he left the room while the Council discussed his application. Cllr Jackson proposed co opting him on, 2<sup>nd</sup> Cllr Farrands aif, he returned to the room, signed the Declaration of Office and was welcomed to the Council.

**4 Matters Arising from the Minutes**

Memorial for Philip Hayes – WCC will discuss what input they would like during their December meeting.

**5 REPORTS ON:-**

a Police Report – There 5 crimes reported in September:

2 x vehicle crime on A12, 1 x burglary, Church Street – all under investigation.

1 x shoplifting, 1 violence on playing field, both awaiting court outcome.

b VAS/APNR – The software has been updated and the sign will be placed in Norfolk Rd shortly.

c Work to allotments – The number posts, new map and resizing still to be done

d Repairs to play equipment – Works to be carried out sometime this month.

e Refurb of noticeboard- C Cameron has the key and will do the work shortly

f New signs re dog fouling – Cllr A Smith passed round a variety of designs and proposed purchasing 6 blue ones, 2<sup>nd</sup> Cllr S Smith 5 in favour 1 abstention.

Cllr Ives has photo evidence of fouling on the playing field – to pass onto the Clerk and will ask for a reminder to Clean Up to go in The Messenger.

g Any other Councillor reports –

Cllr S Smith - the memorial looks in need of some repairs, Cllr A Smith will have a look and perhaps contact Trevor Clarke.

Cllr Jackson has reported the severely corroded direction sign posts in Norfolk Rd to SCC again, as they look to be dangerous.

Cllr Jackson told the meeting that Philip Hayes was speaking on the 'Britain's Poppies' TV programme screened recently.

Cllr Carter asked if Henham Estates should have obtained planning permission to open a new gateway onto a road Cllr Jackson said since it is an unclassified road there is no need.

## 6 Finance

a Accounts for Payment	COST	VAT	TOTAL
J Brown, Clerk's Pay & expenses			259.22
P Smith – Litter picking			50.00
Landplanter Construction – works to garage plots, signs, bins & benches			6,082.80
Total 3			£6,392.02

Cllr Jackson proposed acceptance of these accounts, 2<sup>nd</sup> Cllr Miller aif

b Accounts already paid – None

c Receipts – Allotments & Garages £489.50

d Bank Statement Figures- 26<sup>th</sup> September 2018. C Acc £4,511.74.

BS Acc £15708.12. Latitude Ticket Sales Acc £12,529.60

e Draft Precept budget for discussion. Cllr A Smith proposed keeping the demand at £6,500, 2<sup>nd</sup> Cllr S Smith, aif.

## 7 Correspondence - None

## 8 Planning

a Applications rec'd –

- DC/18/4333/TPO. Mr C Smith, Works to trees 8 Church Street.
- DC/18/4356/TPO Mr S Smith, Works to Trees at 8 Church Street
- DC/18/4583/FUL Mr Scriven Mill House, Blacksmith Close. Remove sunlounge and wall between kitchen and study, add gable extension to front

Items a & b Cllr Farrands looked at the trees in the applications with the Tree Warden and everything will be in accordance with regulations and proposed acceptance, 2<sup>nd</sup> Cllr Ives 4 in favour & 2 abstentions.

Item c Cllr Jackson proposed acceptance, 2<sup>nd</sup> Cllr Ives aif.

b Decisions rec'd – None

**9 Any Other Business**

**Close.** There being no further business the meeting was declared closed at 9.00pm

Signed.....Chairman    Date 11<sup>th</sup> December 2018

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