

ADSTOCK PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON Tuesday 6 February 2018 IN THE VILLAGE HALL AT 8.00 pm

Present: Cllr Simon Walker (Chairman), Cllr Chris Dawe (vice-chairman),
Cllrs Doug Randall, Cllrs Sue Braithwaite, Marianne Murphy, Neil Fraser Smith
District Cllrs Sue Renshall, Llew Monger

Clerk: **Public;**

- 01/18 Apologies;** To receive apologies from Cllr Paul Salver, Ruth Millard, Cllr John Chilvers
- 02/18 Public Open Forum (under adjournment);** for residents to bring items to the Council's attention.
- 03/18 Members Interests;** Members are invited to declare disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests in items on the agenda as required by the Adstock Parish Council Code of Conduct for Members and by the Localism Act 2011. None declared
- 04/18 Approval of Minutes;** To agree the minutes from the Parish Council Meetings held in the Village Hall, Adstock on 5 December 2017. Minutes were unavailable therefore members **RESOLVED** to defer this item to the March meeting.
- 05/18 Finance & Accounts.**
- a To agree financial statements of accounts and bank reconciliations for the end December 2018 **RESOLVED**
 - b To draw cheques and ratify cheques drawn since the last meeting. **RESOLVED**

Account Balance

....0909	26 December 2017	19561.92
	Including Ring fenced Play equipment	9495.15
	1 December 2017 - interest	1.95
....0895	31 December 2017	3554.44

January 2018 Payments

Payee	POWER	Cheque	Amount
ER Millard, Oct, Nov & Dec 2017 Remuneration	LGA 1972, s112	100795	344.90
HMRC, 3rd Quarter 2017/18	LGA 1972, s112	100796	86.20
Bigtrees, Tree work various locations in village	LGA 1972, s111 & LG(Misc Prov)A 1976, s19	100797	1000.00
AVDC, Dog Waste Service. Chq Cancelled	Litter Order 1991	100798	487.27
Citizens Advice Aylesbury Vale	LGA 1972, s142	100799	50.00

February 2018 Payments

Payee	POWER	Cheque	Amount
AVDC, Dog Waste Service.	Litter Order 1991	100800	288.24
E.on Street Lighting, 02 January 2018	LGA 1972, Sched.14 para 34		119.67
Neil Fraser-Smith.			150.22

- 06/18 Environment**
- a. **Grass Cutting;** members **RESOLVED** to contract GM Outdoor Services for 2018/19
 - b. **Highways and footpaths;** SW reported that there was flooding at A413 junction and generally more water laying there. The BT hole cover often bubbles up with water. **Action;** SW to email TFB and copy John Chilver.
 - c. **Play area;** SW reported that Easter is Early, end of March. The Play equipment area needs a top up bark and tidy up. **Action;** RM to obtain Quotes.
- 07/18 Planning;**
- a. **17/04854/ALB** | Internal alterations and addition of windows and sliding door. | Wisteria Main Street Adstock Buckinghamshire MK18 2JN. AVDC - still waiting a decision
 - b. **17/04021/APP** – 5 Greenfields Adstock Buckinghamshire MK18 2JA. Erection of single storey rear extension with first floor extension on existing ground floor. AVDC - has approved

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c. LM updated on VALP – It has been submitted and likely to be adopted autumn 2019. There could be a VALP 2 in response to the government suggestion of 1 million homes in the Oxford to Cambridge link. Also it is expected that an announcement re the express way will be made late summer.

d. **Neighbourhood Working Group**; no update

08/18 Correspondence and communications including reports on Local Area Forum and training courses;

a. Website: <http://www.adstockvillage.info> NFS suggested that the Parish Council website links to Facebook as Facebook does seem to be used for communication within Adstock. LM suggested caution if a PC face book page then the PC would need to add all correspondence can't be a village free for all.

SW suggested once the broad band is up and running we looked for a volunteer to help us with this form of social media and general communication

b. Newsletter:

c. Broadband; SW updated. Some villagers have fast broadband!!! Still many are struggling to place orders. SW will communicate to the village how best to place orders when we have total green light from open reach.

January Emails

09.01.2018 Planning Liaison Conference at The Gateway 22.02.2018
10.01.2018 FW: TTRO Various roads Aylesbury Vale (All)
15.01.2018 B&MKALC Weekly Update 15 Jan 2018(All)
16.01.2018 revised minutes relating to NBPPC meeting held on 10 January 2018 (A)
25.01.2018 Aylesbury Garden Town Members Engagement Session 8 Feb 2018

09/18 Councillors Forum (under adjournment); for Councillors to bring any concerns to the table to be added to the next agenda for discussion.

- SW informed that he had received 2 names re vacancy for position in the PC.
- CD will attend the to next meeting, SW suggested we went to the Thatch after to buy him a pint
- MM and SW raised the issue of the sewerage problem at the end of Scotts Lane. SW offered to write to Anglian Water after MM asks one of the villagers to update him.

10/18 Date and time and venue of the next meeting; The next meeting will be held in the Village Hall, Adstock on 06 March 2018 at 8 pm. TBC

Meeting finished at 8.50 pm

Signed Chairman Date