

ADSTOCK PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON Tuesday 4 July 2017 IN THE VILLAGE HALL AT 8.00 pm

Present: Cllr Simon Walker (Chairman), Cllr Chris Dawe (vice-chairman)
Cllrs Sue Braithwaite, Paul Salver, Marianne Murphy
District Cllrs Llew Monger & Sue Renshell

Clerk: Ruth Millard

Public Open Forum (under adjournment); for residents to bring items to the Council's attention.

70/17 Apologies for Absence;

Cllr Neil Frasier-Smith (NF-S),
Cllr Doug Randall (DR),
County Cllr John Chilvers

71/17 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

72/17 Approval of Minutes; Members **RESOLVED** the Minutes from the Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 6th June 2017 and they were signed by the Chairman.

73/17 Finance;

- a Members **RESOLVED** the payments and receipt for July 2017
- b Members **RESOLVED** the bank reconciliation up to June

Account Balance

....0909	26 June 2017	19388.02
	Including Ring fenced Play equipment	9325.15
....0895	30 June 2017	4436.18

Receipts

....0909	Adstock Park Fund	3542.00
	Interest	1.64

July 2017 Payments

Payee	POWER	Cheque	Amount
Came & Company , Insurance	LGA 1972, s111	100772	745.95
Bucks CC , Charge for land at Old School site	LG(Misc Prov)A 1976, s19	100773	400.00
GM Outdoor Services , inv. 1003, 1629 & 1628	LGA 1972, s 101	100774	295.00
ER Millard , April, May & June remunerations	LGA 1972, s112	100775	344.90
HMRC 1st Quarter	LGA 1972, s112	100776	86.20
GJ Millard , Playground maintenance	LG(Misc Prov)A 1976, s19	100777	90.00
Mrs MR Rose , internal auditor	LGA 1972, s111	100778	24.35
Fenland Leisure Products Ltd ,	LG(Misc Prov)A 1976, s19	100779	68.94

74/17 Environment

- a. **Grass Cutting;** The Clerk reported that Garden Master has changed their name to GM Outdoor Services. CD reported that they are doing a good job, when an area had been forgotten they came back the next day. The village has been sprayed to kill the weeds at curb edges.
- b. **Highways and footpaths;** SB reported that the Rose in East Street was getting out of hand. **RESOLVED** to write to the occupier and request that is cut within a week or the Parish Council will get its contractor the cut the Rose back and send them the invoice. **Action:** SW. Members of the Public had mentioned that as Bucks CC was only doing one cut this year, the grass at the side of the cycle way was getting extremely long and falling into and laying on the cycle way. **Action:** SW will write to Matt Wincup at TfB, cc County Cllr John Chilvers
- c. **Play area;** The Parish Council thanked Mr Millard for help in refurbishing the netting on the climbing frame. SW said that he would purchase the 5 aside football goals from Cosco. **Action:** SW. There is to be a play area event on Sunday 23 July 2017 between 2 & 5pm. The fundraising group is looking to talk to the young people regarding what they would like to see in the playground

75/17 Planning;

- a. **17/00797/APP** | Orchard Bungalows, The gardens, Adstock. CD had attended & spoke at the Committee meeting in Aylesbury, he reported that the Committee had agreed to allow the

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development,

- b. **17/02324/APP** Adstock House East Street MK18 2HZ / Demolition of existing commercial building and construction of two storey dwelling. The members **RESOLVED** No Objections for this application.

- c. **Neighbourhood Working Group**; defer to next meeting

76/17 Correspondence and communications including reports on Local Area Forum and training courses;

- a. Website: <http://www.adstockvillage.info>
- b. Newsletter: The Clarion has requested that articles are delivered earlier this month. SW asked the clerk to send him the planning application list and he would add to it. **Action**; SW & RM
- c. Broadband; SW highlighted that the Parish Council had received an email regarding a public meeting to meet with BT. He couldn't attend and would ask around to see if any one else could.

05.06.2017 B&MK Association of Local Councils - Weekly Update
07.06.2017 Looking for help with your grant applications?
12.06.2017 Bucks and Milton Keynes Association of Local Councils Weekly Update 12 June 2017
12.06.2017 Update on Parish Liaison Meeting Venue - 14 June 2017
15.06.2017 LCPLG (Local Council Planning Liaison Group) Meeting
20.06.2017 Freight strategy - public survey
20.06.2017 Supplement: Traffic Calming - Brackley Road, Buckingham to the agenda for Buckingham Local Area Forum, Wednesday 21st June 2017.
20.06.2017 Connected Counties - Update on Broadband
20.06.2017 VALP timetable revised – Seminar for parishes cancelled
21.06.2017 BCC News: Help us plan for tomorrow's lorry traffic
22.06.2017 Road Works plan
22.06.2017 Parish Liaison notes and Presentations
23.06.2017 2017/18 Strategic Highway Maintenance and Footway Structural Repair Program : week commencing 26th June 2017

77/17 Councillors Forum (under adjournment); for Councillors to bring any concerns to the table to be added to the next agenda for discussion.

- o Discussion of a drone that was seen in Adstock over the weekend – decided to keep monitoring it
- o Tree in a hedge, self set, not in the conservation area, needs pruning. SW will consult with the neighbours

78/17 Date and time and venue of the next meeting; The next meeting will be held in the Village Hall, Adstock on 5th September 2017 at 8 pm. TBC

Signed Chairman Date