

Minutes



of PC Meeting 21st June 2016

Present: Sandra Camwell (Vice Chair), Tracy Gudgeon , Dorothy Hall, Malcolm Jackson, Walter W Milner (Chair), and Jim Passmore

2016.11 Apologies

None

2016.12. Minutes of the last meeting

Acceptance of Minutes for the Annual Parish Council Meeting 2016 proposed by Cllr Hall and seconded by Cllr Camwell. Minutes accepted nem con.

2016.13. Declarations of interest

Cllr Milner declared an interest in item 6 (the clerk's salary) as the clerk is his wife.

2016.14. Items for discussion from the floor

The problem with the rubbish and the overgrown poplars was mentioned again. The Council (clerk) will contact David Wilson Homes regarding the trees, but there is a problem with the rubbish as the way is not adopted. It should be emphasised that there is a danger of the trees (or branches from them) falling on someone and injuring them.

David Wilson Homes landscaped the land so we should send them a letter to them (including the report from Treewise) and copy it to Geoff Robinson, the Tree Officers in Coventry City Council and Nuneaton and Bedworth Borough Council (Craig Tracy).

Regarding the fly tipping around Fivefield Road, Cllr Innes of Coventry City Council will try to do something about it. As a side note Allesley Parish Council have also reported flytipping in their area. It's a nationwide problem.

Whitefriars need to be told about the long grass in Keresley Brook Road.

We are informed that Keresley Rugby Club's 3rd Family Fun Day is on Saturday 16th July 2016, "...great entertainment throughout the day, live music in the evening and some fabulous raffle prizes on offer!!!"

2016.15 Finance

The bank statement has not arrived yet so the reconcilliation cannot be done.

2016.16 The clerk's salary

It was decided that the clerk should be paid from April - March
Which gives 4 months at the 'old' rate and from April at the new rate of £8.613 an hour, 96 x

£8.613 = £826.85 > 1 @ £413.42 (October) & 1 in (April). Next wages 4/12 x £734 = £244.67

2016.17 Planning

The Parish Council had requested a pre-examination meeting with the Inspector, to discuss the housing numbers, locations and the influence of the LEPS. The Inspector would not accept the need for such a meeting.

Keresley Parish Council will speak at the hearing, challenging i) the proposed number of dwellings needed, and ii) questioning the Greenbelt Review, as the Joint Greenbelt study in 2009 showed that the Greenbelt land in Keresley and Eastern Green had a good score.

2016.18. Her Majesty's Commemorative oak and plaque

It was decided to 'go ahead' with this with this project, but using a smaller plaque. An official will be invited to unveil it.

2016.19. Other items to be considered at later Parish Council Meetings

It was decided to print a newsletter bringing people up to date with what is happening with the Local Plan in August.

Future Ward Forums will be discussed in the next meeting, as they are due to re start after the summer. The Parish Council should ask for party representatives to attend the Parish Council Meeting to inform us about them. As far as Coventry City Councillors Birdi and Williams know the Ward Forums are to continue.

It was also suggested that the Parish Council invites one or more of the local PCSOs to attend the next Parish Council Meeting to discuss policing.

2016.20 Date of next meeting 23rd August 2016

Carol Milner Parish Clerk