



Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of Haddiscoe Parish Council
held at Haddiscoe Village Hall
on Monday 4th March 2024 at 7:00pm

1. PRESENT
Cllr Chidgey, Cllr Kelsey, Cllr Johnson, Cllr Robinson, Cllr Riley
Apologies from Cllr Fulcher were accepted.
Cllr Beevor arrived at 7:10pm
2 members of the public
Cllr Johnson was welcomed to the Council
2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISPENSATIONS
Cllr Kelsey is a member of the Stopit2 committee.
3. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING
Ordinary Meeting 8th January 2024. These had been circulated prior to the meeting.
Accuracy proposed by Cllr Chidgey and seconded by Cllr Kelsey
4. MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS NOT ON THE AGENDA
None
5. TO RECEIVE REPORTS FROM THE DISTRICT AND COUNTY COUNCILLORS
No Councillors present and no reports sent prior to meeting
6. PLANNING APPLICATIONS FOR DISCUSSION AND COMMENT

Nothing has been heard from Norfolk CC regarding Crab Apple Lane Quarry, a date is yet to be set for the planning committee.

There has been a response by Breedon on the planning portal to our last response. The felt that most of the Parish Council's comments were based on our opinion and the opinion of the community and we strongly reject this. The Council found this rude and offensive and felt it was negating peoples concerns. Parishioners are feeling exhausted by this process and it was mentally damaging and draining to peoples well being.

Cllr Chidgey proposed that we respond to this accusation from Breedons so we can clarify the position of the Council. Councillors voted to agree that Cllr Chidgey and the Clerk will formulate a response.

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Pampas Lodge – the Council’s objections were sent to Planning Inspectorate, we are still waiting for appeal result to come through.

Wiggs Road - Cllr Chidgey read an email from the agent for a proposed resubmission of the Wiggs Road quarry infill application. The agent proposes to resubmit the application for Wiggs Road and would like know in advance of any additional issues the PC have concerns about. They also stated if permission is granted a local liaison group will be set up.

Cllr Chidgey proposed that as we do not know the content of the application we are unable to comment as it is a democratic process and there is no planning application and we are unable to contact at this time. All Councillors agreed.

The Council all continue to remain concerned about the cumulative impact of these actions in the village.

7. CHURCH LANE

The Clerk provided an update on proposed name change for one side of Church Lane. A letter was sent to all residences on the church side of lane. One parishioner does not want the name changed and she has not received a response from two households. The Council cannot go ahead without full agreement.

The Clerk has still not received news on the Parish Partnership application for the church signs. When she does hear she will contact the parishioner who has offered to pay for the Council’s cost and arrange for the payment to be made before the order is finalised. This was agreed by the council.

8. CORRESPONDENCE

Receive and discuss correspondence

- 8.1 Request to change of position of dog waste bin on Church Lane – Will look to see if there is any suitable area, however with budget limitations it is not a priority at the moment.
- 8.2 Concern from parishioner re Pampas Lodge - they raised the following points:
 - The site does not have, nor has ever had an Environment Agency Discharge Permit for water from either surface or treatment plants.
 - The site layout and area of hardstanding differs from that shown on the planning consent.
 - Is the surface drainage going into the Low Road ditch? The verge appears to be slipping into the ditch along this stretch of road and filling with debris and silt. It is not being properly maintained by the site owners.
 - The Clerk has written to the Broads Authority, ahead of the appeal to raise this concern.
- 8.3 Concerned Parishioner regarding low road ditch, Cllr Fulcher visited site, spoke to parishioner and has emailed the highways department.
- 8.4 Village Hall committee have been in contact, can we smarten up the parish council notice board, needs sanding down and re staining. They also have a AGM on 28th March, all welcome.

Cllr Chidgey volunteered to attend and Cllr Johnson offered to re stain the notice board.

9. FINANCE

The Clerk circulated the current budget control report prior to the meeting. This was agreed by the council. There is currently £3894.41 in the community account and £53.18 in the Business Premium Account.

The Clerk managed to lower the insurance renewal premium prior to paying in February.

The cost was £967.49

The following payments were agreed:

Clerks Biannual Salary Payment

Payment to HMRC

Lawn in Order, cutting down and removing fallen tree in playground £35

Website domain renewal, £20.39

Tots Nursery will be clearing the playground area and pressure washing equipment in March, the cost of £1000 was agreed and the Clerk will pay this invoice when received.

ID Verde are no longer continuing in this area and we have had to find another contractor to maintain the play area. Lee kindly asked companies to quote for the play area too.

Lawn in Order & GDC both quoted, both charging £65, however Lawn in Order included the hedges. The Clerk will contact Lawn in Order and arrange for the maintenance to be carried out as and when required.

10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Cllr Riley informed the Council that she would be abroad for 6 months from September 2024 and would be unable to attend meetings. The Clerk reminded the Council that Councillors would be disqualified if they could not attend a meeting for 6 months.

Next meeting Annual Parish Meeting and Annual Parish Council Meeting, Monday 13th May, 7pm. The Clerk will invite the Police and other local groups to attend and will provide refreshments.

Meeting closed at 8.02pm

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Signed.....Date.....
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