

ROUNDWAY PARISH COUNCIL

Parish Clerk-Stan Johnston. 306 Marsh Road, Hilperton. BA14 7PL 01225401359

MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES

Date: Monday 15th June 2015

Place Nursteed School, Brickley Lane, Devizes.

Time 7.00 pm

PRESENT

Councillors: Callow Collis Corbett* Geddes*
 Parsons Stevens Valentine Wooldridge*
 Steel

* Also Devizes Town Councillor

17 APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from Cllr. Rowland (ill health), Cllr. Batchelor, (ill health), Cllr. Rugg (injury), Cllr. Mayes (holiday) and Cllr. Jacobs (conflicting commitment). These were accepted by the meeting.

18 DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

Cllr. Wooldridge declared an interest in the planning application for the shipping container. The members unanimously declared that they saw no reason that he should not vote as he was acting as an agent and there was no monetary involvement.

19 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

Resolved: that the Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 18th May 2015, which had been circulated, are approved as being a correct record and signed as such by the chairman.

20 UNITARY COUNCILLOR`S ITEMS

Neither Cllrs Mayes nor Jacobs were in attendance.

21. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

No members of the public were present. Members were given an opportunity to raise matters for information.

Cllr. Valentine mentioned that no one has been appointed to represent the council on CATG. Consequently Cllr. Valentine was re-appointed to this position.

22. REPORT FOR INFORMATION AND DECISION REGARDING PLANNING MATTERS.

1. Application ref. 15/04826/FUL - Removal of diseased hedging and replacement with 1.8m feather board fencing at 4 Chivers Road, Devizes, Wiltshire, SN10 3FD

Resolved: That the council make no comment.

2. Application 15/05147/TCA - Fell and remove Rowan tree at 8 Cedar House, Byron Road. Devizes. SN10 5FA.

Cllr. Geddes advised that this file could not be located on the Wiltshire website. No paper copy has been received.

3. Cllr. Geddes also referred to application 15/04696/FUL, which arrived too late to be included on the agenda.

Resolved: That the council make no comment.

4. 15/04933/FUL - Green Lane Allotments, Devizes - installation of shipping container for storage. This matter was discussed.

Resolved: That the council make no comment.

23. FINANCIAL REPORT

Resolved – To accept the financial report, previously circulated.

Resolved – To approve items of expenditure totalling £4230.05, as detailed, plus a cheque for £36 to Community First. (the renewal notice for which arrived after the report had been printed)

24. ANNUAL RETURN

The chairman read out the questions on part 2 of the annual return, each of which were answered 'Yes' by the members. He also read out the balances shown on part 1 of the report.

It was proposed by Cllr. Wooldridge, seconded by Cllr. Valentine and approved unanimously that the chairman and clerk approve and sign the Annual Return.

25. GRANT APPLICATIONS

1. First Stages – It was proposed by Cllr. Stevens, seconded by Cllr. Wooldridge and approved unanimously that the council donate £250.

26. QUAKERS WALK – CURRENT STATUS AND WAY FORWARD

Cllr. Valentine provided an update regarding relevant meetings and explained the various options for consideration. After discussion it was decided that the history of this path would be researched.

27. NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Cllr. Callow provided an update on behalf of Cllr. Rowland. It was proposed by Cllr. Geddes, seconded by Cllr. Steel and approved unanimously that the council endorse the Neighbourhood Plan as amended by the comments made by the independent inspector.

28. ALLOTMENTS.

Cllr. Wooldridge provided an update and reported on progress in the purchase of the shipping container.

29. DATE OF NEXT MEETING – 20th July 2015

30. CLOSE – The meeting closed at 20:35 hrs.