

CARDINHAM PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING

Held at Cardinham Parish Hall on Tuesday 21st June 2016

Present: Councillors G Tucker, P Tucker, T Irwin, Dr P Claridge. There were 7 members of the public present.

The Chair had given her apologies as she is in hospital. The Vice Chairman, Cllr G Tucker, kindly chaired this evening's meeting.

County Councillors

Councillor Batters had given his apologies. His report was read out by Cllr G Tucker. There were three issues as follows:

- Visibility when exiting the Lidcutt junction onto the A30. Cllr Batters had reported this and confirmed this would be actioned. Mr M Martin also took note of this and said that he would be able to get the signage moved back to help with visibility.
- Fly tipping reported by a parishioner – reported by Cllr Batters to the relevant department.
- For information only – Cory have been taken over by Biffa. Apart from the name there will be no change to the waste and recycling contract with Cornwall Council which runs until 2020.
- Mr Martin also asked about the £700 paperless planning grant and mentioned how other parish councils have used this for the purchase of an A3 copier to assist them in their decision making re planning applications. Suggested adding this as an item for the agenda next month.
- Report from Keir is that there will be 2 lanes running for both East and Westbound traffic as from 22nd July in time for the summer season.

Public Session

Mr Bonker gave Mrs Bonker's apologies.

Two parishioners were in attendance regarding planning application PA16/04581 and spoke briefly to explain what the application entailed. Mr Martin also spoke to mention that there has previously been flooding in the area and that surface water was a concern, given the arrangement and tarmacing of the driveway.

Roads at Peaches Hill and outside the school were again mentioned as needing repairs. Cornwall Council to be informed.

118/16 Apologies

Cllrs J Best, T Keat, G Rogers, S Smart. County Cllr C Batters. Mrs P Bonker.

119/16 Declaration of Interest

Cllr G Tucker declared an interest in the Finance section, having submitted two bills.

120/16 Minutes of the Previous Meetings of 17th and 24th May 2016

The minutes of the previous meetings held on 17th May 2016 and 24th May 2016 had been circulated. These were approved by the Councillors and then signed by the Vice-chairman as a true record of the meeting.

121/16 Matters Arising

Cllrs P Tucker and P Claridge will complete the mandates for signing of cheques.

Gypsy Lane is reported as being much easier to walk along after the heavy rain as the flow of water along it has evened out the surface somewhat.

The road by Cardinham school is still bad.

The phone box has now been painted and Cllr T Irwin has offered to clean the inside.

122/16 Correspondence

1. Correspondence from Mr Mansell
2. HAGS – Play equipment booklet
3. Thank you letter from the Churchwarden
4. Email from parishioner RE the Annual Parish meeting and the item regarding the lorries using the Cardinham route rather than A30.
5. Bodmin Moor Parishes Network request for support for a letter asking for a 40mph limit on the unfenced roads on Bodmin Moor.

123/16 Review Declaration of Interest Forms

The 4 Councillors who were present agreed to take their forms to review and return at the next meeting in July. The remainder will be actioned as the Councillors attend the monthly meetings.

124/16 Payments re s137 Donations

There have been 4 requests for contributions during the year:

- Request for a contribution towards the equipment at the Parish Hall
- Request from Victim Support
- Request from Cornwall Air Ambulance
- Request from Cruse Bereavement

It was agreed to postpone consideration of these items until next month due to there being only 4 Councillors present.

125/16 Finance Report and Payment of Accounts

The income and expenditure report for May and the monthly budget comparison had been prepared but there was only one signatory present, Cllr G Tucker, who had declared his interest. The Council was therefore unable to action or pay any items.

The items for payment will be carried forward to the July meeting.

126/16 Planning Applications

PA16/04581 Land East of Trenance, Millpool Hill, Millpool, Bodmin. Erection of a new dwelling, a detached garage and the provision of a new vehicular access.

Cllr P Tucker proposed support, Cllr P Claridge seconded, with the following to be added:

a) concerns re drainage and surface water run off due to area already suffering from flooding plus concerns re the type of material/surface to be used on the driveway,.

b) concerns re access as this is access onto a busy road and there is not a lot of room .

PA16/05117 Land East of Callybarrett Farm, Callybarrett Road, Cardinham. Non material amendment for amendments to access track in respect of decision notice PA15/02966 – A single 500kW wind turbine, 40m to hub, 67m t blade tip, along with associated infrastructure including an access track and electrical housing. As this is a non material amendment comments this is for information only. However the Councillors mentioned that this amendment should not adversely affect any footpaths or bridle ways.

127/16 Planning Decisions

None

Planning Approvals

None

Planning Refusals

None

Planning Appeals

None.

128/16 Neighbourhood Survey/ Emergency Plan

The training session on CPR and use of the defibrillator was well attended. ICE bottles should be available at the next session, to be held on the first Monday ie 4th of July.

Fleet have now got the 10 emergency contact numbers. The next stage is to encourage a Buddy system throughout the Parish so everyone has someone they can contact in the event of an emergency, as well as always contacting 999 in an emergency.

129/16 Website

The website is working well with 30-50 people a week visiting it.

130/16 Footpaths

Cllr G Tucker will be checking the footpaths next week. Knotweed has been reported by the deer farm. Cllr G Tucker will investigate this.

131/16 Highway matters

The following areas are to be reported:

- the stretch of road from the crossroads extending past the school is in a bad state of disrepair.
- Bridge at bottom of Peaches Hill
- Bunny's Hill – vegetation has grown out. Cllr G Tucker will find out who the owner is so we can pass the information on to Cllr Batters for him to contact them. Clerk to write to them as well.

132/16 Dualling the A30 update

Mr M Martin provided the current list of updates. Overnight closures have been extended for an extra week and are as follows:

5 x nights 8pm to 6pm Sunday through Thursday for the weeks beginning 26th June, 3rd July, 10th July and 17th July.

From Friday 22nd July to Sunday 4th September there will be 2 lanes running Eastbound on the A30.

133/16 Defibrillator and associated issues and Millpool Kiosk

No further updates.

134/16 Parish Matters

Mrs R Rowe queried the maintenance of the top of the graves and whether this is done by individuals or the Parish Council. This item to be added to the July agenda.

The request for support for a letter requesting 40mph speed limit on unfenced roads on Bodmin Moor was discussed and the Councillors agreed that this should be supported in principle although it was questioned how this could be enforced. The cost was raised of the signage and it was agreed that it would be preferred if the speed limits were painted on the roads, rather than having more signage along the roads.

135/16 Items for the next agenda

1. Donations re s137
2. Paperless planning grant of £700 and could it be used to purchase an A3 photocopier?
3. Declaration of interest forms
4. Finance and payments from June.

There being no further business the meeting was closed at 8.40pm

Chairman:

Date: 19th July 2016.