

MINUTES

FLADBURY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of Fladbury Parish Council held on Monday 11th April 2022 at the Pavilion, Fladbury

PRESENT: Chair I Southcott Vice Chair G Mills Cllr D Day Cllr S Insall Cllr N Manser
Cllr A Hughes Cllr P Palmer District Cllr T Rowley

1. **APOLOGIES** - were received from Cllr M Neilan
2. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:** Cllr Mills – SWDP
3. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES.** Minutes from the meeting of 21st March 2022 were approved – proposed Cllr Manser, seconded Cllr Insall – all in favour
4. **AIRBAND** - Communication has been received from Airband to advise that there are no plans (at the moment) for any new poles at Rectory Green / Butt Furlong, however, a Zoom presentation will be hosted by Airband to take questions and answer any concerns raised by residents. Details to be sent as soon as available. Chair Southcott raised the point that there may well be certain restrictions within a conservation area.
5. **COUNTY CLLR’S REPORT** – No report received
6. **DISTRICT CLLR’S REPORT** – Cllr Rowley advised that the next Planning Committee meeting would be held on 28th April, but there was no news on the Broadway Lane development. Cllr Rowley interacted with other agenda items as appropriate.
7. **FINANCE**
 - a) Approval of receipts and payments to 6th April 2022 – proposed acceptance Cllr Insall, seconded Cllr Manser – all in favour

Chair Southcott advised that the high value for the plants / tubs was because no invoice had been received during 2021. In addition, he referred to the invoice for the new play equipment at Pool Garden which is still subject to discussion with the supplier of the equipment.

SO	Clerks Salary	407.76
SO	Clerks Expenses	32.00
2595	Plants / Tubs	1019.50
2598	Pavilion Cleaning	220.00
2599	Lengthsman March	180.00
2600	Expenses	18.76
2601	Lengthsman February	108.00
2602	Pavilion Water	158.66
DD	Pavilion Electric	57.16

Account Balances (after payment of the above:

Current Account: £35,534.38

Deposit Account: £20,277.15

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- b) Year End Accounts had been presented to Cllrs in advance of the meeting, proposed approval Cllr Palmer, seconded Cllr Day – all in favour

8. PARISHIONERS: There were no parishioners in attendance

9. PROGRESS REPORTS

- (a) Lengthsman – Cllr Palmer reported that he continued to liaise with the LM. The clerk would remind the LM of the need to maintain a record / log of a monthly of equipment checks. *Since the meeting the RoSPA safety inspection had been carried out – the clerk to liaise with the LM with regard any immediate actions which were identified*
- (b) Handyman (LM) – Nothing to report
- (c) Defibrillator Scheme – Nothing to report
- (d) Conservation Area – It is hoped that a follow-up meeting can be arranged with the Conservation Officer at WDC after Easter

9. NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANS/ HOUSING SURVEY – Cllr Hughes reported that he would be prepared to look further into the grant application process for funding towards a neighbourhood Plan, with the next stage being the preparation of any application. Chair Southcott reported that he would make contact with WDC

10. POLICING – contacts: PC 21150 Julieanna Barker

PCSO 40223 Andrea Beech / PCSO 40350 India Sessarego

(03003 333000. 999 emergencies and 101 less urgent crimes)

Eveshamtsrw.snt@westmercia.pnn.police.uk

- Further reference was made to the laser light incidents – it as agreed that the parish council should raise this to a higher level and write direct to the police inspector at Evesham

- a) Neighbourhood Watch – Nothing to report
- b) Community Speed Watch – Nothing to report

11. PLANNING:

- 21/02924 – Land at OS9939 4588 Broadway Lane – *awaiting decision by WDC*
- 22/00441 – Weston Farm, Weston Orchard – *awaiting decision by WDC*
- 22/00412 – 15 Broadway Close – erection of porch and 2-storey extension – *awaiting decision by WDC*
- 22/00641 – Anaerobic Digestion Plant and Premises, Springhill Nurseries – Application for Hazardous Substances Consent – Cllr Day reported that there were some uncertainty as to what the application is for. Chair Southcott would liaise direct with EVG for clarification.

Minerals Plan Update - Nothing to report

Planning / Enforcement – Nothing to report

Glasshouse Liaison Group: Nothing to report

Vale Crematorium – Nothing to report, although it was reported that EVG and the Golf Club had assisted with parking facilities at a recent funeral.

SWDP – Nothing further to report

Section 106 monies:

- Pool Garden – the new play equipment is now installed but there is still a query on what was provided and what is being invoiced for – this is being investigated before any payment made.
- Pavilion – Nothing to report

12. FOOTPATHS/TREES

Trees:

- Trees at Wharf – The clerk to chase WDC for a site visit
- WI Tree – It was suggested that this could be located at Pool Garden – variety to be agreed
- Replacement Tree, Rectory Green – Defer to next meeting
- Pavilion Car Park Trees – see ‘trees at wharf’ above.

Footpaths:

- Footpath 517 – Cllr Mills is still investigating this matter

13. RECREATION GROUND/PAVILION:

- Tennis Club Lease – Chair Southcott reported that the increase in rent to the Tennis Club would take effect from August, based on CPI

14. LAND AT THE NAIT – Chair Southcott reported that the Trustees were looking at the parish council ‘identifying charitable purpose’. It was considered that this should be something we take advice from CALC on. It was also considered that we should ask CALC how we set in place any bylaws.

15. COMMUNITY TRANSPORT – Chair Southcott reported on a suggested ‘trial’ community bus service in the village, organised by a village resident with a nominal charge to passengers. Chair Southcott asked Cllrs for approval to support the ‘trial’ with the parish council making a financial contribution for a period of 6 months to give the scheme time to get off the ground with a projected total cost for the 6 months of £240. This was well received by Cllrs, and a proposal made by Cllr Day, seconded Cllr Palmer – all in favour.

16. EVENTS:

- Jubilee – Chair Southcott reported that the Friends of Fladbury are organising a whole village event to be held at the pavilion over the Jubilee weekend. A small grant is available from WDC which the clerk will apply for.
- Fladbury Walkabout – to be held on weekend of 2nd and 3rd of July

17. COUNCILLOR VACANCY – Chair Southcott advised that there were possibly two candidates

18. CORRESPONDENCE: All relevant correspondence had been circulated to Cllrs

19. OTHER MATTERS FOR INFORMATION / DISCUSSION:

- No Parking Signs, Mill Bank Verge – the clerk would ask the LM to install the No parking signs

20. DATE OF NEXT MEETINGS:

- Annual Parish Council Meeting – Monday 16th May 2022 at 7.15pm to be followed straight after by the Annual Parish Council meeting