

Minutes of a meeting of Barlborough Parish Council held on Monday 8th March. 2021, at 7pm via ZOOM

PRESENT

Councillor J Haywood Chair,

Councillor H Gilmour, Councillor B Watson, Councillor M Dixon

Councillor D Dixon, 0Councillor V Wapplington

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

A member of the public raised the possibility of grants for voluntary organisations. There is a National Grant Scheme, Councillor D Dixon has checked with Bolsover District Council and there is no eligibility to apply for grants. The Action Grant Scheme administered by Derbyshire County Council has now ended.

TO RECEIVE REPORT FROM DERBYSHIRE POLICE

Crime figures are available on the police website

TO RECEIVE REPORT FROM BOLSOVER DISTRICT COUNCIL

Items covered by the agenda

TO RECEIVE REPORT FROM DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Councillor A Western sent her apologies

DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

Declarations of interest were received from -

Councillor H Gilmour

Agenda item 11 Level 2

Councillor B Watson – Agenda item 11 Level 1, Agenda item 13 Level 2, Agenda item 3 Level 1 Cheque No. 4969

Councillor M Dixon- Agenda item 3 Level 2 Cheques – 4946, 4949

Councillor D Dixon- Agenda item 3 Level 2 Cheques – 4946, 4949

TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES

Councillor J Shaw, Councillor J Hardie

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20/21 TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 8th FEBRUARY, 2021

Proposed Councillor H Gilmour Seconded Councillor D Dixon

Agreed

RESOLVED to approve the minutes of the meeting held 8th February, 2021 as a true record.

TO CONSIDER PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Noted

21/21 TO APPROVE FEBRUARY 2021 ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

Proposed Councillor B Watson Seconded Councillor H Gilmour

RESOLVED to approve the accounts for payment.

TO CONSIDER WAYSTONES DEVELOPMENT

Councillor D Dixon reported that Bolsover District Council and Derbyshire County Council had met to discuss the issues regarding the development but a meeting between all parties involved has not taken place as yet.

Councillor D Dixon will speak again with Bolsover District Council

The Chair to the Parish Council will write again to Bolsover District Council and Derbyshire County council requesting the evidence for the actions taken.

TO CONSIDER ISSUES ON AND AROUND CHESTERFIELD ROAD, BARLBOROUGH

Councillor D Dixon has been in contact with Bolsover District Council to discuss the enforcement issues on the housing development Chesterfield Road, Barlborough.

An update will be given to the April 2021 meeting.

22/21 TO APPROVE THE CLEANSING COSTS OF THE ADDITIONAL LITTER BINS ON HIGH HAZELS ROAD, BARLBOROUGH (FURTHER TO MINUTE NO. 15/21)

Proposed Councillor B Watson Seconded Councillor H Gilmour

Agreed

RESOLVED to approve the cleansing costs for the additional litter bins on High Hazels Road, Barlborough.

23/21 TO APPROVE THE PURCHASE OF NO LITTERINGS SIGNS FOR HIGH HAZELS ROAD, BARLBOROUGH (FURTHER TO MINUTE NO. 15/21)

Proposed Councillor B Watson Seconded Councillor M Dixon

Agreed

RESOLVED to purchase no littering signs for High Hazels Road, Barlborough

TO CONSIDER MOVING FORWARD ON THE ECOLOGICAL REPORT FOR THE POND AND RESPOND TO INSURANCE ISSUES

The Clerk to follow up on the recommendations of the ecological report for the pond and obtain prices for two noticeboards at the pond to display safety and public information notices.

The Clerk to obtain prices for a future meeting.

24/21 TO CONSIDER CLEARING THE SCRUB AOUND THE TREES PLANTED AT THE POND

A quote was received from Pavilion Maintenance for maintaining this area, the Council agreed to accept the quote.

Proposed Councillor H Gilmour Seconded Councillor D Dixon

RESOLVED to accept the quote from Pavilion Maintenance to clear the scrub land around the newly planted trees.

TO APPROVE SAFETY AND DISCLAIMER SIGNS FOR THE POND

Moved to the item containing the ecological report at the pond

APPROVE AMOUNTS PAYABLE FOR THE LOSS OF INCOME GRANT (FURTHER TO MINUTE 17/21)

Councillor H Gilmour & Councillor B Watson left the meeting

No further action, grants will be paid in April.

TO CONSIDER THE USE OF THE RED PHONE BOX ON THE HIGH STREET, BARLBOROUGH

Clerk to ask for suggestions from the residents and report back to a future meeting.

25/21 TO CONSIDER PAYMENT OF A WINDFARM GRANT TO BARLBOROUGH COUNTRY PARK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Councillor B Watson left the meeting

Agreed to pay the windfarm grant to the Barlborough Country Park Management Committee in principal on receipt of a copy of the public liability insurance certificate from the Country Park Management committee covering volunteers with powered equipment.

Proposed Councillor D Dixon Seconded Councillor M Dixon

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26/21 TO APPROVE THE MEETINGS SCHEDULE 2021/22

Proposed Councillor H Gilmour Seconded Councillor D Dixon

RESOLVED to approve the meetings schedule 2021/22

27/21 TO APPROVE THE COST OF SERVICING DOG\LITTER BINS 2021/22 by BOLSOVER DISTRICT COUNCIL

Proposed Councillor H Gilmour Seconded Councillor V Wapplington

RESOLVED to approve the cost of servicing dog\litter bins 2021/22 by Bolsover District Council.

28/21 TO CONSIDER A BLOSSOM GARDEN IN REMEMBRANCE OF COVID VICTIMS AND A SERVICE BY BARLBOROUGH RESIDENTS

The Council decided that a row of cherry blossom trees be planted together with spring flowering bulbs along Ward Lane on the Village Green, along with a remembrance plaque for the Covid victims of Barlborough

Proposed Councillor V Wapplington Seconded Councillor B Watson

RESOLVED to approve the planting of a row of cherry blossom trees and spring flowering bulbs along Ward Lane on the Village Green, along with a remembrance plaque for the Covid victims of Barlborough. The Clerk to obtain the necessary permissions from Bolsover District Council.

TO CONSIDER A SUGGESTION FOR WILDFLOWER PLANTING

The suggested areas are Oxcroft Way, Midland Way and High Hazels Road.

Councillor M Dixon to contact from Bolsover District Council and Derbyshire County Council for permission and to report back to a future meeting.

29/21 TO CONSIDER AN EASTER EGG HUNT AND COLOURING COMPETITION

A golden egg will be hidden in the village over the days of Easter and clues posted on the noticeboards. Any child who finds the egg will be rewarded with a chocolate egg, purchased by the Parish Council.

Decision made **not** to have a colouring competition

Proposed Councillor M Dixon Seconded Councillor H Gilmour

RESOLVED to approve the Easter egg competition and reward each successful child will be rewarded with a chocolate egg, purchased by the Parish Council.

Decision made **not** to have a colouring competition

CORRESPONDENCE

None

The meeting moved to exempt items, the Clerk left the meeting