



DILHORNE PARISH COUNCIL

The Gables, 504 Weston Road,
Stoke-on-Trent, ST3 6QD
Telephone: 07811 879627
Email: clerk@dilhorne.staffslc.gov.uk
Website: www.dilhorneparishcouncil.co.uk

MINUTES OF VIRTUAL MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 7th SEPTEMBER 2020 at 7.00pm

Present: Cllrs. Bateman, Horvath, Wildman D. Cllr Roberts

Members of the Public: None

Apologies: Cllr Challinor and Carnall

| Subject | Description | Action |
|-------------------------------------|---|--------|
| APOLOGIES | Cllr Carnall C Cllr Ward – as was unable to join meeting due to technical difficulty | |
| PUBLIC QUESTION TIME | None | |
| MINUTES | It was resolved that the minutes of the previous month's meeting were to be signed as a true and correct record. | |
| DECLARATION OF INTEREST | None | |
| REPORTS FROM COUNCILLORS ETC | <p>County Councillor – had trouble with connection to meeting but reported via Clerk as follows :- Full Council meeting in two weeks. A White Paper on Local Government published which is proposing to get rid of District Councils and put more emphasis on Parish Councils. Might mean that SMDC will be consumed into Stoke-on-Trent as one Unitary but hopes this does not happen. With all the volunteers coming forward over last few months SCC are going to be launching a new scheme "Do It" aimed at getting these volunteers involved in continual help.</p> <p>District Councillor – Full Council meeting on Wednesday to deal with Local Plan but will just be a Yes or NO vote. SMDC not happy with the White Paper proposals re District Councils. Will put too much pressure on PCs and doubts there will be any funding to cover this. Simon Baker has retired and the new Chief Executive Andrew Stokes appointment to be ratified on Wednesday at Full Council meeting (he was Deputy CE) Received email from Mr Brassington of Stansmore Hall on Tickhill there has been a lot of fly tipping they have reported it and so has D. Cllr Roberts.</p> <p>Rec Centre – Chair has resigned now only 6 on management committee. Taming of the Shrew was attended by about 100 people but bar didn't do well as most took their own drinks.</p> | |
| LENGTHSMAN | No report | |
| PLANNING MATTERS | <p>Applications: SMD/2020/0448 – Walk Ministries – Field House Farm – Change of use from C4 to Sui Generis to provide 20 person HMO – no comments</p> <p>Decisions: none</p> | |

Minutes are draft until agreed at the next meeting

Signed

Date 20th October 2020

| Subject | Description | Action |
|---|--|---------------|
| | Enforcement: none Appeals: none | |
| MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS | HIGHWAYS ISSUES: General Highways Update – Trimpos – no report Grids/drains/potholes – no new reports Tickhill – fly tipping – see D Cllr report Footpaths – Footpath 8 – dumping – no update from RoW Bench on School Close – Cllr Wildman had been asked by Trevor Brassington if he could now remove the existing bench to be relocated at bowling green – all agreed to this. Clerk now to order new bench. UNRESOLVED ITEMS: none | Clerk |
| NEW BUSINESS | None | |
| FINANCE AND AUDIT 2019/20 | Payments: The following June payments were approved for payment : - AED Donate – new Cabinet at Red Lion £175.00 (being split 3 ways DPC/ Forsbrook PC/Red Lion) Clerks Salary & Expenses – August/ September £455.29 Total Payments - £630.29 Receipts: Interest on Deposit Account – Aug/Sept - £1.58 Total Receipts - £1.58 Screenshot of the bank account after September payments made to be provided by Clerk to all Councillors BANK ACCOUNTS: Current Account – £141.03 after payments made Deposit Savings Account - £10,635.81 CLERKS SALARY New NJC Pay Scale Agreement for 2020 reached. Clerk is currently on the new SCP14 – the SCP ranges were amended in 2019 – it was SPC 23. The increase equates to 32pence per hour and is backdated to 1st April. All Councillors agreed to the increase in the Clerks hourly rate and to be back dated to April. | Clerk |
| CORRESPONDENCE | None | |
| DATE OF NEXT MEETING | Tuesday 20 th October 2020 at 7pm PLEASE NOTE : Unless Government Guidelines change this will be a Zoom remote meeting | |
| MEETING CLOSED | 19.28 pm | |

Minutes are draft until agreed at the next meeting

Signed

Date 20th October 2020