

MINUTES OF MEETING OF OAKAMOOD PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON 5TH. OCTOBER 2015

- Present:** Cllr. Fallows (Vice-Chairman acting as Chairman).
Cllrs. Beard, Edwards and Mabey, SMDC Ward Cllrs. Fallows and Lucas.
- Apologies:** Cllrs. Charles, Loynes and Meadows. SCC Cllr. Worthington (Local Member).
- Attending:** One member of the public, Mr. J. Redfearn, (Lengthsman), Mr. J. Wood (Clerk).

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15.95 **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

No members of the public wished to participate.

15.96 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

SMDC Ward Cllr. Fallows declared a non-pecuniary interest in any items concerning Moneystone Quarry..

15.97 **MINUTES OF LAST MEETING (Resolved)**

Resolved that the minutes of the meeting held on Monday, 7th. September 2015 be signed by the Chairman as a true and correct record with minor amendments to the list of apologies.

15.98 **MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES**

- A. Minute 15.88.A – **Bus times** - nothing further to report at present.
B. **Relocation of post-box** (Min. ref: 15.88.C). Karen Bradley MP has referred matter to Moya Green, CEO, Post Office Ltd. In hand.

15.99 **PLANNING MATTERS**

A. Applications

- A. SMD/2015/0601 – Proposed two storey front extension – Bramble Barn, Mill Road, Oakamood. Supported by Council.

B. Decisions

- A. SMD/2015/0465 – Two storey side extension – 2 School Drive, Oakamood (Min. Ref: 15.89.A.A) Granted.

C. Other Planning Matters

- A. Weekly lists – as circulated to Cllrs.
B. SMD/2015/0161 – (15.89.B.A) – Clerk had written to S. Baker, CEO, SMDC, regarding shortcomings of planning determination process. CEO had passed letter on to R. Weaver, Head of Planning.

15.100 **ON GOING PARISH AFFAIRS**

A HIGHWAYS ISSUES: (Ref: 15.90.A)

Issues reported to SCC via Cllr. Worthington, Cllr. Deaville, Mr. Steele and others.

- I. **Speeding** – “In hand” via Cty. Cllr. Deaville.
- II. **Water issue in Farley Road** – On going work undertaken by SCC.
- III. **Cats’ eyes missing on Star Bank**. Road designated for re surfacing in near future
- IV. Hedge cutting contractors have **damaged two road signs on Star Bank**. Reported that hedges have been cut again.
- V. **Pavement (kerb) adjacent to westbound bus shelter** – Job number issued. Action awaited.
- VI. **Stoneydale** – Potholes reported.

- vii. B5417 Crossing Point designation – *suitable signs erected.*
- viii. Sign for Memorial Free Church *Action awaited.*
- ix. Wall near decorative arch – Proposed Cllr. Beard seconded Cllr. Mabey that Lengthsman be tasked to repair. Carried..

B Duties of Lengthsman & Litter Picker (Ref: 15.90.B)

Worksheets and invoices submitted by Mr. Price and Mr. Redfearn. Further work designated.

C. Village Plan (15.90.C).

On-going review of requirements

D.Posts on War memorial / Cleaning (ref: 15.90.D). *Ongoing.*

Invoice received for posts. Cleaning - On going via Cllr. Meadows.

D. Grit Bins (Min. Ref: 15.90.E) *Ongoing.* Mr. Steele to be reminded.

F. Site Options and Development Boundaries – SMDC Consultation.

On going.

15.101 CORRESPONDENCE

Incoming: SMDC – Various items of routine correspondence as emailed to Cllrs;

- *Weekly Planning Applications submitted, and decisions*
- *SMDC Health Overview & Scrutiny Panel (SMDC Cllr. Fallows had attended)*
- *SMPA – Notice of meeting 22.10.15.*
- *SCC – Bus timetable changes.*
- *SMDC – Community Overview & Scrutiny Panel 05.10.15.*
- *Cotton PC – Invitation to BKV Presentation at Cauldon Lowe VH, 31.10.15, 1.30 p.m.*

Outgoing: -

- *SMDC Planning – observations on SMD/2015/0465 and 0511/0512.*
- *A.C. Loynes – ratified minutes of September meeting.*

15.102 ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT (RESOLVED)

A. M.S. Price,	Litter Picking	£42.00	
	Expenses	£1.96	£43.96
B. J. Redfearn, Lengthsman			
	- Labour		£84.00
C. J.W. Wood, Clerk	Salary	£260.00	
	Expenses	£90.00	£350.00
D. HMRC	PAYE Clerk		£97.50
E. Kelcoat Engineering Plastics Ltd.			
	War Memorial Posts		£520.18
F.D. Bailey, Lengthsman	Repair of bus shelter		
	Labour	£75.00	
	Materials	£23.00	£98.00

15.103 REPORTS BACK

No meetings of outside agencies had taken place since last meeting of Council.



15.104 **ITEMS OF AN URGENT NATURE**

Acting Chairman reported that Cllr. Loynes had sent an email regarding Transport Sustainability. Acting Chairman read this out and invited comments from Cllrs. at November meeting.

Clerk reminded Cllrs. of invitation to attend BKV presentation at Cauldon Lowe, 31.10.2015, 1.30 p.m. with refreshments afterwards at The Cross Inn.

Meeting rose at 7.50 p.m.

Date, time and location of next meeting:

Date: Monday, 2nd. November, 2015

Time: 7.00pm

Location: Oakamoor Village Hall