

WHITE NOTLEY AND FAULKBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF A COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 23 MARCH 2010 AT WHITE NOTLEY VILLAGE HALL AT 7.30 PM.

Present: Cllrs: Beal, Bright, Daniels, Desmond, Galione, Hood,

McKoy, and Wagstaff.

In the Chair: Cllr Bright.

Clerk: Angela Balcombe.

Also present: Sally Austin (Village Agent) and Nikki Doubleday (PCSO).

10/68. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

Apologies were received from Cllr Roberts.

10/69. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING.

The minutes of 23 February 2010 were approved as a correct record of events. **Proposed: Clir McKoy. Seconded: Clir Wagstaff. All agreed.**

10/70. PROGRESS CHECK.

ECC Highways has been out to look at the parking outside the school and will be making some recommendations in the near future.

10/71. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS.

To receive any 'personal' or 'personal and prejudicial' interests relating to items on the agenda. No interests were declared.

10/72. PUBLIC FORUM.

The launch of the Monday Bus is on 31 March at Causeway House. Details of the bus including the timetable have been published in the newsletter – it was agreed to add a sentence asking if there was a need for it to stop in Pole Lane.

EX-AGENDA.

- Police Report / PCSO / Community Warden Report. A report was received from PCSO Doubleday – residents are advised to be aware of the theft of catalytic converters mainly from 4 x 4's and to park their vehicles in such a way as to make it difficult for the thieves. Paul Logan is the new Neighbourhood Support Officer for the area.
- **District Councillors Report** water for allotments should go ahead in the coming financial year.

10/73. PLANNING.

Application No: 10/00258/FUL. Erection of extension to front porch and utility room.

Location: Stanstead Cottage, The Green, White Notley. No objections. **Application No: 09/01638/FUL.** Erection of detached dwelling house and garage.

Location: Land between Westbourne Cottage and Webbs Cottage, The Green, White Notley.

Refused by Braintree District Council and has now gone to appeal.

10/74. FINANCE.

The following cheques were approved for payment and signed:

101398 £350.65 A Balcombe (Salary £287.50, Office Expenses £23.16, Norton anti-virus renewal £39.99)

101399 £49.59 A & J Lighting Solutions (Lighting Maintenance)

101400 £8.75 White Notley Village Hall (Hire)

D/D £44.04 E-on (Street-lighting – supply February)

10/75. BDC STREET SCENE PARTNERSHIP 2010-2011.

Agreed to renew the partnership for a further 12 months.

10/76. EALC TRAINING COURSE.

Law and Procedures Course – 23 April, 9.30 – 3.30pm, cost £57.00.

10/77. STREET-LIGHT STATION ROAD.

Two quotes have been asked for but haven't yet been received.

10/78. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE TO NOTE.

ECC – invitation to attend the Annual Civic Service on 28 April, 7.30pm at Brentwood Cathedral.

RCCE – My Village, My Home – affordable housing event on 16 April.

Black Notley Parish Council – employment of Community Warden – next agenda.

10/79. REPRESENTATIVES COMMENTS / REPORTS.

Health – An Open Day for the new Community Hospital is to be held on the 10 April.

Tree Warden – dead larch tree by the school is in need of attention as it could become dangerous.

10/80. INFORMATION EXCHANGE / NEXT AGENDA ITEMS ONLY.

- Broken stiles Cllr Wagstaff to repair.
- Low flying helicopters causing a nuisance and frightening animals.
- Village Agent a number of successful appointments in White Notley.
- Request for Parish Council report for the Parish Magazine.
- Salt bin for Faulkbourne.
- Pot holes opposite Football Pitch.

10/81. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING.

The next meeting is on Tuesday 27 April 2010, 8pm at Faulkbourne Village Hall. The Annual Assembly will be held at 7.30pm prior to the Council meeting. Cllrs Galione and Hood gave their apologies for this meeting.

THE MEETING CLOSED AT 8.58 PM

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