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MINUTES of the council meeting held remotely at 7.30 pm on Wednesday 7 October 2020

PRESENT:

Parish Councillors, G Pearce (Chairman), R Crowe (Vice Chair), S Eaton, E Schofield

District Councillors, Neil Cutler, Angela Clear, Therese Evans

Clerk/RFO Y Wheadon

Members of public: none

20/35 Apologies for absence

RESOLVED to accept the following apologies due to work commitments, D Pynigar

20/36 Dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests under Section 33 of the Localism Act 2011

The Clerk advised none for this meeting

20/37 Declarations of Disclosable pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests on the Agenda

None declared.

20/38 Casual Vacancy – 1 Application received – item for next agenda

20/39 Public Participation – No member present

20/40 Reports from County and District Councillors

- (i) District Cllr Neil Cutler spoke about the City Council's financial loss from parking fees and that there will be some government intervention to assist with the deficit caused by Covid. There is a need to rejig Capital Expenditure to enable business continuity. The concern is a further spike in the next six months and looking ahead, it is intended to keep the services that are doing well and a plan to introduce Covid Marshalls. Cllr Cutler confirmed having reported the missing Way marker, 023/1/2 at Trampers Lane.
- (ii) District Cllr Therese Evans said that City staff are working hard in a difficult situation and was saddened that some staff at the Guildhall were let go. Cllr Evans said that Wickham continues to experience flooding.
- (iii) District Cllr Angela Clear remarked on the recent briefing of 'Planning for the Future' White Paper, stating WCC were expected to provide many more homes than anticipated changing the local plan significantly. WCC prepared a response, available online which may help the Parish Council should it wish to comment.

Meeting Resumed

20/41 Minutes of the Council meeting held remotely on 9 September 2020

Circulated and agreed as a true and accurate record

20/42 Planning Applications - no applications received



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20/43 Planning Decision – 20/01510/FUL 6A The Old Piggery, Firgrove Lane

Erection of replacement three-bedroom bungalow with adjustment to its curtilage

Application Permitted

20/44 Highways

- (i) **Village Gates** - Councillors were disappointed to learn of the considerable damage to the Village Gates caused by a vehicle collision. An insurance claim is pending.
- (ii) **Speed Device** - Traffic Technology provided a quotation for the purchase of a radar device specially developed for use by Community Speed Watch teams at £1,995.00. Council agreed that revising the current budget would enable the council to purchase but further information on training and reporting will be necessary before making a final decision. Include on next agenda.
- (iii) **Muck on roads** – letter sent to local farmer requesting adequate warning signs are displayed to make driver's aware of slippery roads.
- (iv) **Parish Lengthsman** – It was agreed to continue the current routine for works and councillors will advise clerk of any additional tasks.

20/45 Finance

- (i) Payments for September 2020
Resolved: to endorse payments made totalling £2,581.46
- (ii) Annual External Audit report to End of March 2020 - received and noted - Clerk has displayed on notice boards and website
- (iii) Financial Statement of Accounts - to end of September, 2020 - received and noted

Agenda items, 11 (iv), (v), 12, 13, 14 to be carried over to the next meeting of council on 4 November 2020 due to reconnection problems.

The meeting closed at 8.40 pm

Signed
Chairman

Date