

MINUTES OF NORMANTON ON SOAR PARISH PARISH COUNCIL MEETING, THURSDAY 2nd FEBRUARY 2023 IN THE VILAGE HALL AT 7.30PM

Present: Cllrs Dave Smith (Chairman), Sam Kearn, Glenn Martin, Sue Ponting, Patrick Burge, Paul Waterfall

The Clerk Sue Lewis and Cllrs Kevin Shaw, Lesley Way and Matt Barney were also present.

22/PC/87 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:** Cllrs Stuart Sleight & Carys Thomas reasons given and approved.

22/PC/88 **DECLARATION OF INTEREST IN ITEMS ON THE AGENDA**

None

22/PC/89 **TO APPROVE AS A TRUE RECORD THE MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING 1st DECEMBER 2022 – PAGES 19-21**

Proposed Cllr Dave Smith Seconded Cllr Sam Kearn
Agreed Unanimously

22/PC/90 **CLERKS REPORT**

- Speeding Survey is being carried out in the village.
- Reply received from the school re complaint about parking – note went out in newsletter to parents.
- First Aid Training – The Clerk has found someone who is willing to take on basic first aid training – more information needed.
- Elections briefing – 1st March for those wishing to stand again as a Parish Councillor

22/PC/91 **TO RECEIVE REPORTS FROM BOROUGH AND COUNTY COUNCILLORS**

Cllr Matt Barney

Review underway on the cancellation of the bus – there is a petition in circulation and it was requested to go on the website/face book – Clerk to action.

Voluntary car scheme - a group of residents are looking at setting up one following the closure of the dispensary in Sutton Bonington, they are trying to replicate the East Leake Community Car Scheme, NCC have said there may be a grant available to replicate this service in this area to take residents to doctors/hospital appointments etc. It was agreed that Normanton would support this new initiative in principle. Anyone wishing to volunteer to contact Cllr Matt Barney.

The bid for the Levelling up Fund by Leicestershire County Council was not successful for the repairs to Zouch Bridge – regular checks are being undertaken on the safety of the bridge.

Cllr Kevin Shaw

Re-development of the Power Station ongoing and many comments have been made to the consultation.

If you wish to vote in person at the elections in May you will need ID, if you do not have one you can get one from Rushcliffe Borough Council Customer Services.

22/PC/92 TO RECEIVE REPORTS ON POLICING, HIGHWAYS & TRAFFIC MATTERS

Flooding - A reply has been received from Mather Jamie suggesting we have a meeting with Andrew Arnett to directly discuss the flooding issues with him, therefore they will seek his permission.

ST were having a meeting with Via in January to discuss an update on Main Street. Trent River Trust are finalising their National Flood Risk Management Scoping report for Far Lane. Ditch in front of Boar Club is to be cleared out.

Christmas Tree lights There were periods of time when lights were not working which was due to power loss, these will be looked at October. A meter reading was taken, and it was agreed to pay the resident £40 and send a thank you card.

Village Road - The new owner has left ivy at the bottom of the road, which he will remove in due course.

22/PC/93 TO CONSIDER RESPONSE TO THE CONSULTATION: LOW CARBON ENERGY AND SUSTAINABLE DESIGN SUPPLEMENTARY PLANNING DOCUMENT

Following a discussion it was agreed to support the above Consultation.

22/PC/94 TO CONSIDER RESPONSE TO GREATER NOTTINGHAM STRATEGIC PLAN – PREFERRED APPROACH CONSULTATION

Following a discussion, it was agreed that there were no plans for housing in Normanton to support the consultation.

22/PC/95 TO CONSIDER EMAIL ON TAKING PART IN THE COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH SCHEME

Following a discussion, it was agreed to publicise the scheme in the Village News, Facebook and the Website to gauge public interest, and to appeal for volunteers.

22/PC/96 TO DISCUSS PARKING ON MOOR LANE ON SUNDAYS WHEN THERE IS A FOOTBALL MATCH ON

The Chairman reported that following a complaint from residents about parking on Moor Lane on a Sunday he had spoken to Martin Hawksworth who has agreed to limit the number of games, provide parking marshals at the gates and make enquiries to local farmers to rent nearby fields and speaking to parents of the away teams to try and alleviate the problem.

22/PC/97 TO RECEIVE REPORTS AND UPDATES ON:

FERRY – Rails have been repaired.

JUBILEE FIELD – To Consider Request from Kegworth Imps To Use Field for A Small Football Pitch – It was agreed to invite Martin Hawksworth of the Imps to a meeting to discuss the issues it will raise of changing rooms, marking out of pitches etc.

VILLAGE NEWS ITEMS – Item on Community Speed Watch to be included in the next issue.

CONSERVATION AREAS – No further information at present.

22/PC/98**TO APPROVE CHEQUES, DIRECT DEBITS, & BILL PAYMENTS FOR
DECEMBER 2022 AND JANUARY 23**Proposed Cllr D Smith
Agreed Unanimously

Seconded Cllr G Martin

December

Cheque No	Payee	Details	Amount
2255	S Lewis	Salary	280.14
2256	HMRC	PAYE	70.00
2257	Ladybug Garden Services	Cutting of Allotment hedges	560.00
2258	Ladybug Garden Services	Repairs to Fencing Ferry Field	460.00
2259	Glen Martin	Xmas Lights Refreshments	21.58
2260	NALC	Cllr Training - D Smith	45.00
2261	Notts County Council	Landscaping Contract	428.44

Receipts

		Details	Amount
16/12/22	J Farmery	Allotment Rent 3	50.00
19/12/22	J McGoldrick	Allotment Rent 5	50.00
23/12/22	NCC	Refund for overpayment	510.44

January

Cheque No	Payee	Details	Amount
2262	S Lewis	Salary	280.14
2263	HMRC	PAYE	70.00
2264	Ladybug Garden Services	Village Hall Gate Post	160.00
2265	AA Locksmiths	Noticeboard Key	57.60
2266	R Atkin	Xmas Lights	40.00

22/PC/99**TO REPORT CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED SINCE THE LAST MEETING –
INFORMATION ONLY**

All previously circulated.

22/PC/100**ANY OTHER MATTERS ON WHICH THE CLERK OR MEMBERS WISH TO
REPORT. INFORMATION ONLY**

Kings Coronation – Agenda Item for next meeting

Meeting closed at 8.10pm.

Next meeting Thursday 2nd March 2023