

BOYLESTONE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Meeting held at 7.00pm on 11th December 2017 at Boylestone Village Hall

PRESENT

Councillors P. Wilkins, M Moore, D Watkins, S Lees, J Paton
G Upson (Parish Clerk)

Other Attendees
District Cllr Tony Morley

1. Apologies

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Cnty Cllr Steve Bull

2. Minutes of Previous Meeting

RESOLVED to accept the Minutes dated 2nd October 2017 as a true record of the meeting

3. Declaration of Members Interests

None.

4. Policing Issues

None to report

5. Items Taken In Exclusion

There were no items to be taken in exclusion

6. County Council Issues

None to Report

7. Matters Brought Forward

7.1 Litter Pick

Cllr Paton following information received from the District Council re a National Litter pick effort agreed to change the date of the Litter Pick to the

7.2 Verge Works

Paul Harris had offered to provide a digger and driver at a favourable rate to assist in the repairs to the verges

Additionally he had also offered to provide the appropriate hardcore

The offer was subject to a flexible date when staff were available

7.3 Village Plan

After Discussion Councillors agreed to begin progressing a village plan. The Chair and Cllr Morley agreed to meet over Christmas to identify the steps needed to proceed based on his experience in this area.

Action Chair

7.4 Village Lights

The Clerk reported that the lights had been delivered and put up

The Chair proposed a vote of thanks to Cllrs Moore, and Watkins and volunteers from the Village for their efforts

Additionally he thanked Cllr Leese for the research undertaken to identify suppliers

Carried unanimously

7.5 Phone Box

Nothing further to report until renovation work commences in Spring

Action Clerk

7.6 Heavy traffic using Audishaw Lane

Councillors reported that there were still some issues with Heavy Traffic in the Village

7.7 Exit onto A515 from New Road

The Clerk reported that the 50 mph sign had been moved out of the line of vision for traffic exiting New Road

This had help to improve visibility of traffic coming north from Sudbury

7.8 The Drains around the Square

The Clerk reported these had been cleared by the Council

The Chair asked That Councillor Bull be thanked for his efforts in getting these actioned

8 Financial Matters

8.1 Payments and Receipts

The clerk reported that the total balances available were £4228 (30 day business account £2006 and Treasurers Account £2222)

Items agreed for payment

Ratified Payment of £392.53 for Christmas Lights to the Clerk

Councillors agree to pay £118.50 for Village Christmas Tree and Lights Mrs P Upson

review.

Precept 2018-2019

Councillors agreed to submit an unchanged precept subject to an inflationary increase of £703

Action Clerk to submit

9 Reports of Representatives Attending Meetings of Outside Bodies

none

10. Items for Information

10.1

11 Any Other Items Allowed by the Chair

None

Date of next Meeting

5th February 2018

There being no further business the Chairman closed the Meeting at 8:00 pm