BOYLESTONE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Meeting held at 7.00pm on 9th May 2016 at Boylestone Village Hall

PRESENT

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

Other Attendees None

1. Apologies

Clr S. Leese

2. Minutes of Previous Meeting

RESOLVED to accept the Minutes dated 14th March 2016 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. Matters Brought Forward

6.1 Roads and drainage

The Clerk reported that he and Clr Watkins had met with John Bourne from the County Highways Dept and inspected the problems with the drainage in the Village.

He proposed to send the jet cleaning machine to the village to clean the drains thoroughly, however having consulted with his Departmental manager he was unable to offer any large scale improvements to the Village drainage system.

Clrs Discussed other options available and the Chair undertook to speak to Paul Harris as to what other options may be available for improving the drainage flow away from the Square.

Action

Chair

Additionally the Clerk was asked to write to the Planning Dept at Derbyshire Dales re the enforcement of planting schemes in new Approvals to prevent soil erosion potentially blocking the drainage.

Action Clerk

Other issues

The meeting discussed the state of the verges and the possibility of stoning badly worn areas to improve passing places.

Action

Clr Moore to ascertain costs of mini digger Clerk to ascertain type and costs of road stone required

6.2 Local Village Plan

A local Village Plan Champion had been appointed. The Clerk was asked to contact him re the possibility of holding a public meeting for him to outline what was needed to develop such a plan

Action Clerk

6.3 Snow Warden

Councillors agreed to speak to Mr Forman re the role.

Action Councillors

7 Financial Matters

7.1 Payments and Receipts

The clerk reported that the total balances available were £3057 (30 day business account £2004 and Treasurers Account £1053)

Councillors ratified the cheque for £62 for DALC

8 Reports of Representatives Attending Meetings of Outside Bodies none

9. Items for Information

9.1 The Clerk updated members with the contents of DALC circulars and stated that these would be circulated to Councillors as recommended by DALC

10 Any Other Items Allowed by the Chair

10.1 The Clerk reported that he had been approached regarding the possibility of the residents using a community speed camera in the Village to monitor speeding. After consideration Councillors did not consider this to be a serious issue

10.2 Heavy Vehicle traffic through Village

The Clerk was asked to write to the County Highways dept re the possibility of weight restrictions or other signage to reduce the number of heavy vehicles passing through.

Action Clerk

10.3 Dates of next meetings

To be confirmed at next meeting

AGM to be held 20th June 2016

There being no further business the Chairman closed the Meeting at 8.10pm