



BRIDGWATER WITHOUT PARISH COUNCIL

A meeting of Bridgwater Without Parish Council was held at Morganians RFC on Thursday 25 July 2019

Present Parish Councillors Davies, Kennedy, Lane, Young, District Councillors Perry, Betty and 4 parishioners.

1553. Councillor Davies welcomed members and parishioners to the meeting.
1554. Apologies were received from Councillor Ellicott.
1555. Councillor declared an interest in item 1564.
1556. Co-option of Parish Councillors, Mr Gary Bond and Mr Paul Mason, proposed by Councillor Lane, seconded by Councillor Kennedy, Clerk gave forms, declarations signed.
1557. Mrs Hellier asked for update on footpath, also said that Willowdown Primary School would be applying for funds towards a therapy dog, costs would be in the region of £1200 initially followed by £800 annually.
1558. Minutes of meeting held 27 June 2019 were signed as a correct record.
1559. 1501 fencing at Dunwear Ponds will be completed once delivered.
1514 bollard at Plum Lane – Clerk to contact RK Bell.
1537 hedging in Bower Lane remains an issue – Clerk to contact Highways.
1560. Councillor Perry explained that she could stay for planning but that she would need to declare this at committee. She congratulated the PC for continuing to strive to get footpath issue resolved at Kings Drive adding that SDC are keen to work with the PC and Persimmon to achieve this. She reported that Old Bath Rd (Mole Valley) had been discussed as there is emergency access to the M5.
1561. Councillor Davies updated on the Kings Drive footpath, costs are around £20 to £25k, funding is available via SDC and developers. Adrian Noon advised that lack of footpaths is not a valid planning objection this should be addressed at outline planning stages.
Councillor Kennedy explained that there will be dredging of the river and that this will not prevent flooding.
Councillor Lane reported more fly tipping at Summerway Drove.
Councillor Young reported lighting issues at the hospital roundabout continue.
1562. Clerk reported £57,113.78 in bank which included both un-cleared cheques and monies for KDP.
Requested thought be given to projects for parish monies, electric car charging points have been an idea, agreed that money was being held for community facilities.
Cheques signed for the pavilion music event.
Hall hire of £35.00 and Zurich Insurance £361.05 cheques also signed.
1563. Kingsdown Pavilion – electrics have been fitted for the event. Concerns had been raised regarding the cost of the event, agreed that the event continued and that monies usually spent for the Pavilion Day would be allocated to CHSW, this figure is usually in the region of £2000.00. Councillor Davies said that as so much work and planning had been put into the event cancelling wasn't an option. It was hoped that everyone who could attend would support the event.
1564. Application proposed Councillor Yong, Seconded Councillor Lane, Councillor Davies didn't vote.

Planning Reserved matters	09/19/00011/AN Erection of 148 dwellings with associated	Support application but request support to
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Signed

Date

Land South Of Little Sydenham Farm, Horsey, Bridgwater, Persimmon Homes Severn Valley	landscaping, parking/garages and infrastructure.	complete footpath on Kings Drive.
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1565. Date of next meeting set at 22/08/2019, agreed that this will be a short meeting, Clerk to investigate discussion of the Neighbourhood Plan.
Meeting closed at 9pm