

# STONEY MIDDLETON PARISH COUNCIL.

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Unadopted MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 2<sup>ND</sup>  
NOVEMBER 2009.

MINUTE

NO

11/09/5365 **PRESENT**

Cllrs. Bettney, Fox, Holt, Armitage and Thorpe. District Councillor Cate Hunt attended the meeting along with a PCSO and 8 members of the public. Cllr Thorpe chaired the meeting.

11/09/5366 **APOLOGIES**

These were received from Cllr Nicholson and County Councillor Mike Longden.

11/09/5367 **NOMINATE A VICE-CHAIR**

It was moved that Cllr. Bettney would be the vice-chair for the November meeting.

11/09/5368 **DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest.

11/09/5369 **WELCOME THE PUBLIC**

Cllr. Cate Hunt reminded the Councillors that DDDC were hosting a Northern Forum on the 16<sup>th</sup> November 2009.

PCSO Anthony Boswell reported 2 crimes in October. There was interference with a vehicle at Edge View and also the theft of a scooter from Stockport and was then found in Stoney Middleton. The thief was found and he admitted the offence. Although 4 youths were involved none were from this area. There were 5 calls to service and these included 1 RTA and there were other reports of dead animals, trees in the road and problems with the temporary traffic lights. No anti-social

behaviour had been reported. A Governance Meeting will be held at Bradwell on the 1<sup>st</sup> of December.

#### 11/09/5370 **TO APPROVE THE MINUTES**

It was moved that the minutes of the meeting held on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> October were a true and correct record.

#### 11/09/5371 **REPORTS FROM COUNCILLORS**

- a) Update on Denman Crescent – It was reported that the entrance could not be widened because of the height of the curb and underlying services.
- b) Bisset cleaning on High Street – this is on the list to be cleaned.
- c) Litter bin for the playing field- this item moved to finance.
- d) Re-opening of Farnsley Lane after the dam burst – this item is still ongoing.
- e) Letter to Tarmac regarding sponsorship – the Clerk is to send this letter.
- f) Dumped rubbish on the playing field- the rubbish is still there and this item will be discussed again at the next meeting.
- g) Housing Needs Survey update – there had been 22 requests, two thirds requested housing and one third requested apartments.
- h) Damaged guttering on the Roman Baths. Quotes will be needed for this work and the Clerk is to contact various builders within the village.
- i) Community Emergency Plan – Cllr. Bettney is dealing with this matter. There will be further discussion about this. She advised that Rob Brittain from DCC can give advice on this matter.
- j) Glebe Mines text alerts – Cllr Bettney felt that this matter will not progress.
- k) Circulation of Community Emergency Plan – Cllr. Bettney feels that this matter will be finalised by the November meeting.
- l) Soil on the Allotments. This soil has now been removed.

#### 11/09/5372 **PLANNING**

- a) Applications received.
  1. NP/DDD/0809/0741 Rock View, The Dale, Stoney Middleton. Cllr Holt and Armitage are to attend the meeting at PDNPA Planning Meeting on the 13/11/09.
  2. NP/DDD/0809/0737 Old Nelly's, High Street. There are concerns about parking. It will also take light from a neighbour's house. This is the 5<sup>th</sup> application on this site. In 2006 the planning

application was approved with 15 conditions. The Parish Council don't want the building to be demolished. They don't want the height of the building to be increased as this would significantly take the light from the neighbour's home. The Parish Council are to write and object to the planning application.

3. NP/DDD/1009/0900 Tyre Store at Lovers Leap Garage. The Parish Council recommended approval. They felt that it would enhance the current building and make the area tidier.

#### 11/09/5373 **CORRESPONDENCE**

1. DCC Gambling information is to be passed to the Church.
2. Change of Name of Derbyshire Rural Community Council to Rural Action Derbyshire. This was noted.
3. DALC Circulars 53/2009 – 59/2009 were noted.
4. Items for Information were noted.

#### 11/09/5374 **TRAINING**

Cllr Armitage is to attend the Peak Park Parishes Forum Planning Workshop.

#### 11/09/5375 **MEETING WITH COUNTY COUNCILLOR**

A traffic survey is to be done. If excessive speeding is reported then Derbyshire County Council will supply the flashing speed lights. If not, then the Parish Council will have to pay for them. The Clerk is to contact the County Councillor to say how disappointed the Parish Council is at the outcome of the meeting. She is also to write to Patrick McLoughlin to register the disappointment of the Parish Council.

#### 11/09/5376 **AFFORDABLE HOUSING**

Rock Mill would like to offer a development to provide accommodation and a Heritage Centre. A consultant, Richard Silson, had visited the site to give advice. He suggested that an open day was held. As Stoney Middleton is classed as being in band "B" the PDNPA would only allow 3 dwellings to be built. It was moved that a press release will be put on the Parish Council website. There would be a possibility of an open meeting in January.

#### 11/09/5377 **LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK**

It was felt that it was very important that the village be upgraded to an A village. Comments should be made only on the housing.

- 11/09/5378 **HOUSING POLICY**  
Comments will be made for the next meeting.
- 11/09/5379 **REJECTION OF THE DALG APPLICATION**  
Cllr. Bettney is to chase this up for the next meeting.
- 11/09/5380 **ITEMS RELATING TO SMILE**  
This Matter has already been dealt with.
- 11/09/5381 **RISK ASSESSMENT AND MINOR MAINTENANCE**  
There will be a meeting and a walk of the village on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November at 2p.m.
- 11/09/5382 **VILLAGE POST OFFICE CLOSURE**  
Cllr. Holt is to deal with this matter.
- 11/09/5383 **HOSTING A GREEN COMMUNITIES TRAINING COURSE**  
This matter is to be delayed.
- 11/09/5384 **RIGHTS OF WAY MINOR MAINTENANCE SCHEME**  
A decision will be made at the next meeting when suitable sites have been identified.
- 11/09/5385 **PARISH ESTIMATES 2010-2011**  
This will be discussed at the next meeting.
- 11/09/5386 **ACCESSIBILITY FUNDING**  
The Council did not want to pursue this funding.
- 11/09/5387 **FINANCIAL STANDING ORDERS**  
This item was deferred until the next meeting.
- 11/09/5388 **FINANCE**
- 1) Money in bank Accounts on 16.10.2009 Reserve £10,507.93 Current £100
  - 2) Money received since the last meeting – No money has been received.
  - 3) The monthly finance sheet was discussed.

- 4) Authorisation of Purchase of Microsoft Programme, Printer/copier/scanner. It was moved that these items would be purchased.
- 5) Purchase of Litter Bin. It was moved that this item would be purchased.
- 6) Payment of £3.50 by Standing Order by the Parish Council to the Allotment Association
- 7) It was moved that the following cheques would be paid.

Cheque No	Payable To	Items	Amount
001155	S.Holt	P.C.Computer	329.00
001156	DCC	Grit Bin	67.01
001157	DCC	Room Hire	80.00
001158	Cancelled		
		TOTAL	£476.01

It was moved that the Clerk should be paid.

Date of the next meeting is the 7<sup>th</sup> December.

Meeting closed at 9.30p.m.