

MINUTES OF A MEETING
of
THANINGTON WITHOUT PARISH COUNCIL
held at
Ashford Road Community Association Clubhouse, Thanington Without
on Monday, October 13th, 2003,

PRESENT: - Councillors, Mrs P. Blackman, Mr. I. Bain, T. Davis, G. Furness, T. Maple, G. Page, K. Stokes, T. Von Etzdorf and the Clerk. Plus 1 parishioner (Mr Jenner)

CHAIRMAN: - Councillor G. Page

APOLOGIES: - Cllr K. Goddard

1) APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING: The Minutes of the September Meeting were unanimously approved and duly signed by the Chairman

2) COUNCIL

- a) Declaration of any member's interest in agenda items. None.
- b) No changes in declaration of member's interest. None
- c) To adopt Disciplinary and Grievance Procedure. – Proposed by Chairman, Seconded by Cllr T. Von Etzdorf

3) MATTERS ARISING:

- a) The Clerk confirmed that payments approved at the September meeting had been dispatched.
- b) The Clerk confirmed that planning applications were returned.
 - i) CA/03/00827/THA – Stonehaven, Cockering Road - PC 100% acceptance
 - (1) Single storey extension to side and rear of dwelling
 - ii) CA/03/00837/THA – 68 New House Lane - PC 100% acceptance
 - (1) Extension and alterations to roof to provide first-floor accommodation to dwelling
- c) No action to be taken with regard to the purchase of bins until CCC accepts them. The City Council had now placed three new litter bins in North Ward.
- d) Top of Grays Way on Canterbury side pavement is scheduled for repair.
- e) Bottom of Strangers Lane has been cleaned up. Suggest we now do not let it get too long
- f) Addresses and Telephone numbers to be given with the 2004 Diaries – GF small – PM done – rest A4
- g) Bollards in New House Lane are to be fitted when Highways are in area.
- h) 72 Ashford Road overgrown hedge. Occupier has agreed to cut hedge
- i) Received letter from Flishers saying they will repair verge when soil is less hard.
- j) Clerk to make cards with CCC info for Councillors to give to Parishioners with problems.
- k) Street Light outside Flint cottage have been repaired
- l) Manor Close yellow lines have been completed
- m) Cars parked in Grays Way reported to Mid Kent Fisheries

4) APPROVAL OF PAYMENTS:

- (a) Viking Direct - £178.54 New office chair
 - (b) Clerks Salary – £1341.73
 - (c) Inland Revenue - £458.72
 - (d) Ricoh (UK) – £126.82
 - (e) SLCC Conference Travel - £173.65
 - (f) Stamps - £48.00
 - (g) Internal Audit - £25.00
- Proposed by Cllr G. Page, Seconded by Cllr I. Bain

5) FINANCES:

- a) HSBC Statement of Treasurer Account
 - i) Current balance at 3 October 2003 £3,887.08
- b) HSBC Statement of No-Notice Account
 - i) Current balance at 3 October 2003 £6,354.36
- c) POSB Statement of Investment Account
 - i) Current balance at 3 February 2003 £8,686.92

6) **CORRESPONDENCE:**

- a) Parish News 295 (Circ) + Topic Note 56 (Circ)
- b) Clerk & Councils Direct Issue 29
- c) Minutes of Canterbury District Parish Forum
- d) KCC Highways – Thanington Road speed limits
- e) KCC Highways – Integrated Transport bids for funding from 2004/05
- f) Letter from Mr R. Johnson, 7 New House Lane on CA/03/00652/THA
- g) REACT newsletter (Circ)
- h) KCC – Community Paths Project
- i) Agenda – Joint Meeting of Rural Area Member Panel – 22/09/2003.
- j) British Red Cross letter about fund raising
- k) Public Consultation – Draft walking and cycling strategy (Circ)
- l) Kent & Medway Mapping out the future (Circ)
- m) CCC Best Value Performance Plan 2003/04 (Circ)
- n) KRCC letters (3)
- o) Regional Minerals Strategy
- p) KAPC Agenda (Sent to reps)
- q) Canterbury & Thanet Community Health Council
- r) Letter from Lord Mayor
- s) KAPC 56th Annual General Meeting (Circ)
- t) CCC meeting Agenda 16th October
- u) Letter from Mr S.J.Wright – CA/03/00652/THA
- v) All Together Now
- w) Café letter
- x) Note from Graham Page
- y) Parish Contributions Scrutiny Review – Clerk away informed CCC
- z) Concurrent Functions Funding
- aa) Unsolicited advertising
 - i) Glasdon
 - ii) Email advert for play equipment
 - iii) SMP Playgrounds

7) **PLANNING:**

- a) Planning list W/E 11th September – Two appertaining to Thanington Without
 - i) CA/03/01270/THA – Milton Manor
 - ii) CA/03/01283/THA – 12a Cockerling Road
- b) Planning list W/E 17th September – One appertaining to Thanington Without
 - i) CA/03/01303/THA – Cockerling Oast
- c) Planning list W/E 24th September – None appertaining to Thanington Without
- d) Planning list W/E 2nd October – None appertaining to Thanington Without
- e) Planning list W/E 9th October – None appertaining to Thanington Without
- f) CA/02/0018 : Construction and operation of SWERF at Shelford Farm
- g) Orchard School – Grant of permission to develop land
- h) Development Handbook
- i) CA/03/00171/THA Appeal lodged
- j) CA/03/00258/THA Appeal informal hearing 10 Feb 2004
- k) Decision Notice - CA/03/01023/THA – Recommended Accept by PC Granted by CCC
- l) CA/03/01270/THA recommended by PC
- m) CA/03/01283/THA recommended by PC
- n) CA/03/01303/THA recommended by PC
- o) Development Control Committee 14th October 2003 –None appertaining to Thanington Without

8) **REPORTS:**

- a) No Reports

9) **PARISH AFFAIRS:**

- a) Chairman
 - i) 15th September Chairman instructed Clerk to follow up hedges between 86 & 90 Ashford Road. Cllr Von Etdorf had submitted a report to Chairman, who instructed the clerk to inspect area, Cllr Pam Blackman offered to attend inspection.
 - ii) Chairman Reported that Cllr Ken Goddard was about to resign.

- iii) Resurfacing work in Ashford Road and Thanington Road was totally unsatisfactory, residents are complaining about the noise. Clerk instructed to ask if joints have been feathered and stepped.
- b) Cllr Ian Bain
 - i) End of Cockering Road - tyres and wheels have been fly tipped
 - ii) Hassall Reach Drains – when was something going to happen.
- c) Cllr Pam Blackman
 - i) Tonford Lane Sign has fallen off, could it be replaced and ‘leading to Hassall Reach’ added.
 - ii) Bus Shelter in Strangers Lane still not been replaced.
 - iii) Tree in Tonford Lane. Progress report.
- d) Cllr Ken Stokes
 - i) Whites across the end of Manor Close very faded, need replacing as child had been knocked down there.

NEXT MEETING: The next Meeting will be held at the ARCA Clubhouse on Monday, November 10th 2003.

CLOSURE: There being no further business, the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 21.12