

**MINUTES OF A MEETING**  
**of**  
**THANINGTON WITHOUT PARISH COUNCIL**  
**held at**  
**Ashford Road Community Association Clubhouse, Thanington Without**  
**on Monday, February 9<sup>th</sup> 2004**

**PRESENT:** - Councillors, Mrs P. Blackman, Mr. I. Bain, T. Davis, T. Maple, G. Page, K. Stokes, T. Von Etdorf and the Clerk. Also present were Dr C. Uwadi, Mr Jenner, Clive Metcalfe (CCC) and Bob Pollard (CCC)

**CHAIRMAN:** - Councillor G. Page

**APOLOGIES:** - None

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

2) **COUNCIL**

a) CCC Parking - Clive Metcalfe introduced himself and Bob Pollard to the council. He then gave a talk on Canterbury Parking issues.

- *Best Review*
- *Enforcement*
- *Residents Parking*

*IB asked about the problems in Tonford Lane, Clerk mentioned Strangers Close. CM said he would pass on to highways.*

*GP asked about the cost of Pay & Display machines. He was told about £3K but they were leased. There are 5 Park & Rides planned for Canterbury, bus lanes are being improved all the time.*

*Chairman thanked CM & BP for their talk.*

- b) Declaration of any member's interest in agenda items – *None*  
 c) No changes in declaration of member's interest – *None*  
 d) Clerk confirmed he had hand delivered 120 leaflets to Northern end of Parish about vacancy for Cllr. The Chairman introduced Dr Uwadi, and read from CAB Chapter 6 b Eligibility for office. It was agreed to put the co-option onto next agenda.

3) **MATTERS ARISING:**

- a) The Clerk confirmed that payments approved at the January meeting had been dispatched.  
 b) The Clerk confirmed that planning applications were returned.  
 i) CA/03/01742/THA – 19 Bramley Avenue – Recommended Acceptance  
 c) 6 Bins are on order  
 d) Top of Grays Way on Canterbury side pavement is scheduled for repair.  
 e) Resurfacing of Ashford Road CCC say joints are to their standard. PC not happy that job has been correctly done.  
 f) Flishers saying they will repair verge in spring.  
 g) Tonford Lane sign, not replaced as yet – *Reported to Highways*  
 h) Bus Shelter in Strangers Lane, Clerk looking into a sponsored one  
 i) Tree should now be planted.  
 j) White lines at end of Manor Close have been done  
 k) Car in River Stour – *CCC Environment and Streetscene say they cannot do anything about it but has reported the matter to The Environment Agency. Clerk to follow up again.*  
 l) Pavement outside St Nicolas Church and top of Grays Way, Kerbs being dropped to allow wheel char and prams to pass. – *Highways have carried out site survey and are going to get back to clerk with report on how this can be done. Clerk to work with Church wardens*  
 m) 30 MPH signs in roadways were wearing away  
 n) Footpath sign needed at Hollow Lane, Iffin Lane & New House Lane Junction, Waiting the cost for having name on them. *Need to say to Wincheap*  
 o) Top of Grays Way Street Light  
 p) Footpath sign in Iffin Lane

- q) Strangers Lane Street light SNF005
- r) Clerk rang 01622 221563 If we provide bags and or skip they will do work.
- s) Hollow Lane Junction to have clean up – Clerks suggestion if not done use above.
- t) Pot hole reported by Cllr PB, reported to highways put on 2 hour repair – *Not done. Clerk to contact Mike Cole*

4) **APPROVAL OF PAYMENTS:**

- a) Ricoh UK - £131.32
- b) Internet Security Virus Protection - £39.95 – Clerk paid by credit card

Proposed by Chairman, Seconded by Vice Chairman

5) **FINANCES:**

- a) HSBC Statement of Treasurer Account
  - i) Current balance at 3 February 2004 £2,044.67
- b) HSBC Statement of No-Notice Account
  - i) Current balance at 3 February 2004 £3,383.03
- c) POSB Statement of Investment Account
  - i) Current balance at 3 February 2003 £8,686.92 Post Office book sent away for update

6) **CORRESPONDENCE:**

- a) **KPA News** – Circulated with agendas
- b) Rogue Traders – Notice Board
- c) Prove your Age – Notice Board
- d) Traffic Regulations Review– Circulated with agendas
  - i) New House Lane School
  - ii) Tonford Lane Speed restrictions
- e) Interactive speed sign
- f) Ricoh Account
- g) Joint Meeting of the Rural Area panel
- h) Parish Forum
- i) KCC funding Fair 10 Feb
- j) Contact with the Council in respect of planning issues
- k) Minutes of Parish Forum
- l) Kentish Stour Letter – Footpath changes at Bretts
- m) Kent Village of the Year
- n) Neighbourhood Watch conference
- o) Standards Committee
- p) House of Commons Letter
- q) Footpath CB488 – *Clerk instructed to copy DG with this as was he who started this.*
- r) Scrutiny Review
- s) Unsolicited advertising
  - i) Glasdon

7) **PLANNING:**

- a) Planning list W/E 15<sup>th</sup> January 2004– One appertaining to Thanington Without
  - i) CA/04/00025/THA – New House Lane land – Recommended acceptance
- b) Planning list W/E 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2004– None appertaining to Thanington Without
- c) Planning list W/E 29<sup>th</sup> January 2004– None appertaining to Thanington Without
- d) Planning list W/E 5<sup>th</sup> February 2004– One appertaining to Thanington Without
  - i) CA/04/00130/THA – 16 New House Close– Recommended acceptance
- e) CCC Decision Notice – CA/03/01742/THA Granted
- f) Development Control Committee - Agenda– One appertaining to Thanington Without
  - i) Page 32 – 76 New House Lane
  - ii) Clerk informed council that Brian Robinson had called today, to ask council to write asking CCC what was happening now that 21<sup>st</sup> January had pasted. Clerk instructed to write to CCC planning and copy BR.
- g) Development Control Committee - List of Applications – None appertaining to Thanington Without
- h) Development Control Committee - Supplementary– None appertaining to Thanington Without

**8) REPORTS:**

- a) None

**9) PARISH AFFAIRS:**

- a) Clerk
  - i) Suggested that councillor's work on a list of projects that the council could undertake.
  - ii) It was agreed that clerk should use his discretion on Shredder.
- b) TM
  - i) Bottom of Hollow Lane Footpath very dirty.
  - ii) Phone Box damaged at back
  - iii) Annual Meeting invites need to go out.
- c) TD
  - i) Who owns land around BT box Iffin Lane? Could PC clean it up?
- d) PB
  - i) Road repair outside 7 Tonford Lane very badly done. Breaking up already.
- e) IB
  - i) Suggested that river footpath be cleaned up using worker from KCC
- f) KS
  - i) Yellow line needed on St Nicholas Road junction with Cockering Road. At present lines on one side only.
  - ii) Cockering could have clean-up as well.

**NEXT MEETING:** The next Meeting will be held at the ARCA Clubhouse on Monday, March 8<sup>th</sup> 2004.

**CLOSURE:** There being no further business, the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 21:30