



**MINUTES OF A MEETING**  
of  
**THANINGTON WITHOUT PARISH COUNCIL**  
held at  
**Thanington Resource Centre, Thanington Without**  
on **Monday, Oct 10<sup>th</sup> 2016**

**PRESENT:** - Councillors, Cllr A. Baker, T. Davis, G. Page, D. Smith, K, Stokes and Clerk Roger Cheeseworth.  
Visitors – Angela Grover

**CHAIRMAN:** - Councillor Graham Page

**APOLOGIES:** - Angela Grover, Cllr T. Baker, Jo Ryan (Work), Cllr T. Maple (Break) & Cllr N. Eden-Green (CCC)

- 1. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING:** The Minutes of the September Meeting were not signed as Cllr Maple had written to the Chair about 10b ii & 10b iii. The council discussed the points raised but agreed with clerk that anonymous comments were not good for Parish records. The council agreed with T.M. that some points were recorded in too much detail which was not required or proven. The Clerk agreed to change minutes and resubmit them at November meeting.

**2. COUNCIL**

- a. Declaration of any member's interest in agenda items – None
- b. Changes in Disclosable Pecuniary Interests. – None
- c. Any other interests – None
- d. The Clerk confirmed that payments approved at the September 2016 meeting had been dispatched.
- e. The Clerk confirmed that the Web Site has been updated.
- f. 2016 – 17 NALC & SLCC pay scales for clerk substantive benchmark range LC2 should go from 29 to 30 with an hourly rate of £13.80 from the present rate of £13.22 backdated to 1 April 2016. Then on 1 April 2017 hourly rate goes to £13.94. 2016 pay rises by £40.21 per month backdated to April (7 months) at £40.21 per month (£281.48 back pay) and from November pre-tax pay will be £956.75 per month. From 1 April 2017 hourly rate rises to £13.94 giving a monthly pre-tax pay £966.46. Chairman given copy of NALC/SLCC guidelines and copy went into pack. Pro GP Sec. TD
- g. Co-Opt Angela Grover onto the TWPC and having read and signed the Declaration of Office it was countersigned by Clerk.
- h. Harris Charity – Nothing to report.
- i. Planning applications returns.
  - i. None
- j. Planning Control reports
- k. Councillors Projects 2016/17
  - i.

Councillor	Br/Forward	Total 2016	Spent	Remaining
Cllr Graham Page	£28.94	£600.00	£628.94	£0.00
Cllr Ken Stokes	£250.00	£300.00	£550.00	£0.00
Cllr Terry Maple	£161.04	£300.00	£461.04	£0.00
Cllr Toni Baker	£258.06	£300.00	£558.06	£0.00
Cllr Joanne Ryan	£100.00	£300.00	£400.00	£0.00
Cllr Terry Davis	£300.00	£300.00	£600.00	£0.00
Cllr Adrian Baker	£35.57	£300.00	£335.57	£0.00
Cllr Dave Smith	£0	£300.00	£300.00	£0.00

**3. DEVELOPMENT CONTROL:**

- a. **Agenda**
  - i. Agenda – Nothing for TWPC
- b. **List of Application**
  - i. CA/16/02092/FUL – 111 Thanington Road - Revommended
- c. **Decisions**
  - i. CA/16/0544/LUP – would not be legal
  - ii. CA/16/01824/FUL – 33 NHL - Granted
- d. **Planning Sub-Committee**

i.

4. **ONGOING PARISH MATTERS:**

- a. Footpath along Ashford road and around Milton Bridge very overgrown. Ref 219242 Complete. The chairman commented that the work had been done very badly, much was still left overgrowing.
- b. Bins at start of Thanington Road. Clerk to get Broxap broucher for Cllr A & T Baker
- c. Tree overhanging by banches at Tonford Bridge. Ref 236027
- d. 29 Grays Way overhanging trees and shrubs. Ref 236030
- e. Bridge over Stour at Tonford first wooden slat is loose. Ref 236024
- f. Trees overhanging bins at start of Grays Way and Ashford Road. Ref 236034
- g. 24 Grays Way Buddleia growing over pavement. Ref 236031
- h. Complained about Oast House corner in Hollow Lane. It was reported that this was going to be completed by Easter 2016 still in terrible mess. Ref 236282 Highways reported tat they had found no potholes on their inspection of area. The job has now been posponed because of lack of funds until a fyture date.
- i. Bretts are aware of Flytipping.
- j. Rubbish at traffic lights is being monitored by Serco.

5. **APPROVAL OF PAYMENTS:**

Item	Purpose	Cheque No	Amount	Note
a)	Clerk's Salary Oct 2016	200463	£810.19	
b)	Inland Revenue Oct 2016	200464	£183.20	
c)	G & C Services	200465	£742.00	
d)				
e)				
f)				
g)				
h)				
I)				
j)				
<b>Total for Oct 2016</b>			<b>£1735.39</b>	

Proposed by Cllr G. Page. Seconded by Cllr T. Davies. These two councillors signed the cheques.

6. **FINANCES:**

Type	Name	Paid out	Paid In	Balance	Note
	Balance brought forward			£17,845.86	
Chqs	Payments for Sept	£4,147.51		£13,698.35	
<b>Current balance at 3 Oct 16</b>				£13,698.35	Sheet 334 match

- a. HSBC Statement of No-Notice Account
  - i. Current balance at 3 Sept 2016 sheet 100 **£10,297.28 Inc £1.80 Interest**
- b. POSB Statement of Investment Account
  - i. Current balance at 3 January 2016 **£10,847.55**
- c. Bank Statement were checked by chair against accounts in minutes.

7. **CORRESPONDENCE:**

- a. *Agenda for Parish Council Meeting (agenda pack)*
- b. *Minutes for Parish Council Meeting (agenda pack)*
- c. HAGS
- d. Outlook Issue 28
- e. St Nicholas & St Faiths. Oct 2016
- f. Glasdon Booklet for Cllr A. Baker
- g. Letter from planning. Clerk instructed to write to DC stating this was a backward step and would stop Parish Councils from looking at plans. **1753**
- h. Hambrook Marshes Newsletter Sept 2016
- i. Planning consents (2)
- j. Unsolicited advertising
  - i. None

**8. ON-GOING PROJECTS**

- a. Larkey Valley Wood – No Report
- b. Footpaths – None
- c. Speed Watch –None
- d. Hambrook Marsh – Newsletter for pack.

**9. REPORTS:**

- a. None

**10. PARISH AFFAIRS:**

- a. GP
  - i. Overhanging branches just before bridge at Milton Bridge. Maybe Bretts land.
- b. AB
  - i. 003 Light still not working could clerk find out how long.
- c. TD
  - i. Manhole cover in Iffin Lne now very bad.
- d. DS
  - i. A2 Traffic lights do not change unless cars are right up to line. Dangerous as cars wait befor they have been seen to jump the lights.
- e. AG
  - i. Safety fence on A28 / A2 bridge Canterbury bound is still broken.

**NEXT MEETING:** The next Meeting will be held at the St Faiths Hall on **Monday, November 14<sup>th</sup> 2016.**

**CLOSURE:** There being no further business, the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 20:45