



MINUTES OF A MEETING
of
THANINGTON WITHOUT PARISH COUNCIL
held at
Thanington Resource Centre, Thanington Without
on Monday, Feb 13th 2017

PRESENT: - Councillors, Cllr Mrs T. Baker, A. Grover, S. Kilczewski, Cllr A. Baker, T. Davis, T. Maple, G. Page, K. Stokes, D. Smith and Clerk Roger Cheeseworth.

Visitors – Judy Butler, Nicholas Blake

CHAIRMAN: - Councillor Graham 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 Vice Chairman.
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 January 2017 meeting had been dispatched.
 - e. The Clerk confirmed that the Web Site has been updated.
 - f. New planning procedure now in place. Cllr Maple asked that procedures be explained to Cllrs. Clerk reported that Cllrs should reply to him with their comments. This did not stop them from sending in a private comment as any parishioner could do. The Cllrs agreed to reply to all on planning emails so other cllrs could see the trends.
 - g. Speaker for Annual Parish Meeting to be John Richardson (HCA Chair)
 - h. Harris Charity – Nothing to report.
 - i. HCA have stopped giving PC some copies of HCA Newsletter Should clerk Copy some for North Ward Cllrs. North ward Cllrs would like 5 copies.
 - j. Planning applications returns.
 - i. None
 - k. Planning Control reports
 - l. Councillors Projects 2016/17

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 Susan Kilczewski	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£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	£0.00	£300.00	£300.00	£0.00
Cllr Angela Grover	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00

3. DEVELOPMENT CONTROL:

- a. **Agenda**
 - i. Agenda – Nothing for TWPC
- b. **List of Application**
 - i. CA/16/02845/FUL – 28 New House Close – Recommend Accept
 - ii. CA/16/02913/FUL – Sunnybank, Iffin Lane – Recommend Refusal
 - iii. CA/17/00216/FUL – 126 Ashford Road
- c. **Decisions**
 - i. CA/16/02760/FUL – Granted
- d. **Planning Sub-Committee**
- e. Nicholas Blake gave his views on how bad the transport infrastructure was being handled by Pentland, Princes Trust, KHS and CCC. The PC agreed that today's meeting was waste of time. Up to 75 houses will be built prior to any road improvements.

4. **ONGOING PARISH MATTERS:**

- a. 003 Light still not working could clerk find out how long. Ref 242102. Programmed
- b. Man hole on Ashford Road opposite Stranger Lane now get very loud as was loose. Ref 254430
- c. Leaves around phone box in Iffin Lane & Hollow Lane Junc. Ask again
- d. The Lower Hardes portion of Iffin Lane is covered in mud from farm tractors and trailers. No Change
- e. Lower footpath in Thanington Road full of leaves. Clean up
- f. Cockering Road slip road after Larkey Valley Wood no entry signs keep being taken down and cars are ignoring the no entry. Is changing soon.
- g. Could we have railings on A2 Slip road or bollards as several children had nearly been hit by lorries mounting pavement. Cllr TB had also had a near miss at this point. You would be putting railings across a crossing point and will change when new junction is built.
- h.

5. **APPROVAL OF PAYMENTS:**

Item	Purpose	Cheque No	Amount	Note
a)	Clerk's Salary Feb 2017	200479	£842.20	
b)	Inland Revenue Feb 2017	200480	£191.40	
c)	Air Ambulance Donation	200481	£450.00	
d)	TNRC Room Hire	On hold	£0.00	£84.00 awaiting CCC
e)	HCA Room Hire APM	200482	£20.00	
f)				
g)				
h)				
I)				
j)				
Total for Feb 2017			£1503.60	

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

6. **FINANCES:**

Type	Name	Paid out	Paid In	Balance	Note
	Balance brought forward			£8,522.08	
Chqs	Payments for Jan	£1,953.62		£6,568.46	
Current balance at 3 Feb 17				£6,568.46	Sheet 338 match

- a. HSBC Statement of No-Notice Account
 - i. Current balance at 3 January 2017 sheet 102 **£10,298.51**
- b. POSB Statement of Investment Account
 - i. Current balance at 1 January 2017 **£10,912.73** Includes £65.18 Interest
- 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. *Planning report (2) (agenda pack)*
- d. *Register of Electors (Feb 17) (agenda pack)*
- e. Hambrook Marsh Newsletter (3 copies)
- f. St Nicholas & St Faiths Newsletter.
- g. Air Ambulance letter
- h. Brett letter from Clerk asking for their support and funding for web site.
- i. Letter from ARCA asking if Chairman would do his report at their AGM. On 15 March.
- j. Unsolicited advertising
 - i. None

8. **ON-GOING PROJECTS**

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

9. **REPORTS:**

- a. Clerk reported on Princes Trust meeting which he felt was a waste of time. No information on transport issues. PC has now had meetings with KHS, CCC, Pentland and Princes Trust with no one having any ideas on how to solve transport issues.
- b. Cllr DS had attended meeting with CCC and commented how badly they had handled the meeting.

10. **PARISH AFFAIRS:**

- a. GP
 - i. Freight Action Plan for Kent to be circulated with pack.
 - ii. Clerk asked to email link to Cllrs
- b. DS
 - i. Road after new roundabout in Hollow Lane seems very narrow.
- c. SK
 - i. Thanks to DS for forwarding Railton report and assorted documents on to her so she could catch up on background to TWPC action.
 - ii. Could CCC be asked to enforce parking by Wincheap school which has become a free for all.
- d. TD
 - i. Hollow Lane corner by Oast house very bad again.
- e. AG
 - i. 2 years ago she had reported the broken fence on 22 Jan 2015. Fence still broken Clerk reported he had been told job had been completed. Clerk to check on Ref 18308342 with Highways England.

NEXT MEETING: The next Meeting will be held at the Thanington Resource Centre on **Monday, Mar 13th 2017.**

CLOSURE: There being no further business, the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 20:05