



WANSFORD PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD IN THE WANSFORD COMMUNITY HALL ON MONDAY 3RD NOVEMBER 2008 AT 7.30 P.M.

Present: Cllr R Clarke
Cllr T Pearson (Chairman)
Cllr D Johnson
Cllr P Rudd
Cllr D Stuart-Mogg
Cllr G Ward

In Attendance: Mrs W Gray (Parish Clerk)
Cllr J Holdich, Cllr D Lamb
Mr G Garner (member of the public)

1. Apologies for Absence

Cllr F Aspin

2. Declaration of Interest

Cllr Johnson item 7b.

3. Planning

08/01101/FUL – 10 Black Swan Spinney, unfortunately unable to attend planning meeting deadline for above - planning permission granted.

4. Minutes of the Meeting of 6th October 2008

Subject to minor changes highlighted in red, a true account of the meeting - Proposed Cllr Clarke, all in agreement.

5. Matters Arising from Minutes of 6th October 2008

Mains Gas supply to Wansford – approximately 26 replies Received by Chairman plus others handed to him. It was agreed to close the survey on December 1st. An agenda item for next scheduled meeting.

Lighting on Village Green and bridge – this has come to a standstill with a change in contractors and costs – referred to Cllr Holdich who will ask questions in right places.

Cllr Pearson

Cllr Holdich

Ivy on Green – Cllr Pearson will invite others to join him to cut it back when we have some better weather.

Cllr Pearson

BT Kiosk – nothing further to report at this stage.

Kerb Stones in Bridge End – nothing further to report – Cllr Pearson will follow up.

Cllr Pearson

Road Signs – Cllr Pearson had toured Wansford with Mark Cooper (i/c signage in Peterborough) who will attend our next meeting to present his signs and their proposed locations.

6. Finance

Invoice G Wingrove – Litter Warden work Aug/Sept £129.95

Invoice W Gray – for services September – October £358.75

Invoice Cllr Pearson - for copying etc re Travellers site £46.20

Cllr Stuart-Mogg proposed that payment is made, seconded by Cllr Clarke, all in favour.

7. Matters for Consideration

- a) **The travellers transit site** – at the proposed but then cancelled meeting on 17th October, 25 people turned up plus 3 policemen and Cllr Pearson updated them on the situation. The write up in Living Villages brings us up to date but the Parish Council is concerned that this is not the end of the matter and is looking to see where it can gather further information. Cllr Pearson will speak with his contact again to see if we can ascertain who owns the land, what it would be worth on the open market, (possibly express interest in purchasing as a delaying tactic) if Parish Council wishes him to do so – Cllr Clarke proposed, Cllr Stuart-Mogg seconded, all in favour. Cllr Clarke agreed to duplicate and distribute the map showing land ownership from PCC via John Holdich.

Cllr Pearson

Cllr Clarke

- b) **Consultation on Peterborough’s Planning Policies and Site Allocation Development Planning Documents** – Cllr Pearson had circulated contents relevant to Wansford prior to the meeting plus copies of the forms which need to be completed and returned by the deadline (stated to be 24th November but revised to 1st December). It was agreed that all councillors would consider these “proposals” and discuss at a further meeting at 7.30 p.m. in the Community Hall on the 10th November to finalise.

All

8. Correspondence

Communities in Control – Cllr Johnson to report back at next meeting..

CPALC – Accounts and AGM Agenda received.

9. Reports from Councillors

None

10. Dates of next scheduled meetings in the Community Hall

Monday 1st December 2008 Monday 5th January 2009

The meeting closed at 9.00 p.m.

Signed: Date:

C T J Pearson, Chairman

Cllr Johnson