

Greatham Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting held on Monday, 15th. April, 2019

Members present: Councils: B.Walker,D.Cameron,M.Ward,M.Simmonds,A.O'Brien,C.Richardson.

Visitors: R.Emmerson,M.Young,B.Loynes,R.Buchan (HBC Ward councils.),H.Campbell.

1. **Apologies for Absence:** None.

2. **Declarations of Interest:** None.

3. **Planning Applications:**

H/2019/0055 Venator, Tees Rd. Hartlepool.TS252DD. Install boilers, pipework and stack. No objections. H/2019/0072 22 High St. Greatham.TS252EN Replace windows/doors.No objections.

H/2019/0111 Fire Brigade Headquarters, Stockton Rd., Hartlepool.TS255TH Install new facilities and infrastructure. There should be pollution restrictions in place for waste products.

4. **To confirm the minutes of the last meeting:** Smonds should be Simmonds in item 4. Other than that the minutes were accepted as a true record. Prop:Coun.Walker Seconded:Coun. Simmonds Unanimous.

5. **Matters arising from those minutes:** 5.1 Rural Plan: no meetings yet. 5.2 Dog Fouling: matters worsening in West Row. 5.3 Traffic in the village:the raised table in Egerton Terr. and the "gateway" feature between the High Street and Sappers Corner were discussed. 5.4 Village Green fencing: it is well underway. 5.5 Bus stops: ongoing. 5.6 Data Protection list: done. 5.7 Donations: had been completed and distributed.

6. **New Agenda items:** 6.1 Tarmacing the rest of Old Stockton Rd.: Council. Loynes (HBC) would raise the matter.

7. **Accounts:** transactions and balances were accepted as a true record. Prop: Coun.Walker Seconded: Coun. Simmonds Unanimous.

8. **Correspondence:** 8.1 Barclays statements. 8.2 P.Nixon(HBC) bus stops. 8.3 Len Young (HBC) trees. 8.4 HBC planning. 8.5 Letters of thanks from groups benefitting from donations.

9. **Reports:** 9.1 Greatham in Bloom: judging will be on 17th. April.

9.2 Power Station: meeting during April.

9.3 Community Centre: an update was given on plans for the year along with the numerous activity groups using the facilities.

9.4 Conservation Advisory Committee: meeting cancelled.

9.5 Governance/Auditing Committee. No meeting,

10. **Repairs and Maintenance:** 1.Path in The Drive between The Grove and Front St. now partially repaired. 2.Blocks at Mellanby Lane entrance. 3.Footpath in Parish Row. 4.Flooding in Egerton Terr., 5.Path on the bridge over Greatham Beck. 6.Flooding,Sports Field entrance. 7. Pavement near the Green being looked at. 8.Pavement in Saltaire Terr., 9.Flooding, Station Rd. behind Saltaire Terr. 10.Sever flooding,Sappers Corner on Greatham slip road. 11.Potholes in Mildenhall Close. 12.Trees along the Black Path still need pruning. 13.More potholes inParish Row. 14.Tarmac on the A689 already crumbling. 15.Re-seeding along Black Path and behind the Community Centre needed.16. Mid part of Old Stockton Rd needs tarmacking(being checked!). 17.Pothole on High St. between 34A/36.

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11. **Public issues:** concerns were voiced about the poor state of the footpath along Station Rd. and the Sports Field, along with the very poor signage along that stretch of road, particularly between Saltaire Terr. and Hill View.

12. **Date of the next meeting:** Monday, 20th. May, 2019.

The meeting ended at 7.25p.m.

Financial statement as at 30.04.2019

Community Account balance as at 31.03.2019: £158.95

Monies paid in: £4.608.00 (precept)

Cheques paid out:

534 D.Todd £15.00 (bus shelter maintenance)

535 HMRC £17.09 (clerk's tax)

536 D. Todd £20.00 (bus shelter maintenance)

537 J.Cunliffe £68.36 (salary)

538 Fens Resident Association £50.00 (donation)

Community Account balance as at 30.04.19: £4596.50

Bonus Saver Account balance as at 30.04.19: £680.13