

Braunston Parish Council

Parish Meeting held in the Village Hall on
Monday 5th September 2016
Minutes

Present

In the Chair: Sandra Ashford

Mesdames: Adams, Cooper, Harrison, Iddins & Longworth

Messrs: Biggs, Johnson, Mawer, Patchesa & Pritchard

Apologies for absence: Malcolm Longley (CC) & Graham Newman

16.09.01	Open forum for Members of the Public There were no members of the public present
16.09.02	Declaration of Interest Joanna Longworth is secretary of the Village Hall Committee and a trustee of Braunston Charities Sandra Ashford is on Your Café Management Committee and a trustee of Braunston Charities Jason Pritchard is on Your Café Management Committee and on the Village Hall Management Committee Sue Harrison owns land potentially part of the Braunston Trail and chair of Twinning Association
16.09.03	County & District Councillors Report County : No report District: Jason reported that the District Council was in recess in August. A decision has been made to adopt the New Waste management Contract which is being billed as 123 (includes 3 weekly collection of black bin) and now means that households will have to pay £40 for the brown waste bin. The strategy is savings lead as in recent years recycling prices have dropped significantly.
16.09.04	Matters Arising from last minutes None not covered by the agenda
16.09.05	Approval of Last Meetings Minutes (1st August 2016) These were proposed by Joanna Longworth, seconded by Peter Biggs and approved
16.09.06	Finance Report The clerk presented the monthly accounts report; it was proposed by Peter Biggs, seconded by Joanna Longworth and carried that these be accepted. Accounts for Payment It was proposed by Gemma Adams, seconded by Peter Biggs and carried that these amounts be paid. Budgets: The clerk reminded all councillors that the November precept is fast approaching and any projects to be included need to be fully costed for submittal by the beginning of November.

16.09.07	<i>Air Ambulance Fundraiser</i>
	It was agreed that Joanna Longworth and Sandra Ashford would attend and have a dog related table to coincide with the Dog Poo campaign
16.09.08	<i>ANPR</i>
	The clerk reported he was awaiting a response from the police as the officer in charge was on annual leave until middle of September. It was agreed to put on next agenda
16.09.09	<i>Archer Avenue</i>
	Lizzie Iddins raised concerns from residents that notices were being posted and making the area urbanised. It was explained the reason for the notices was one of safety following incidents relating to motorbikes on the lane and that NCC highways had taken the decision to erect the signs.
16.09.10	<i>Timebank</i>
	John Atkins from Daventry Timebank gave a presentation on his revised proposal with regard to restarting the Braunston Timebank. The proposal for spending £1100 on restarting the Timebank for 20 weeks was voted upon and was unanimously rejected. Joanna Longworth and Laura Cooper agreed to volunteer to try and restart the Timebank and meet with John to discuss. Gemma Adam has offered help with any software requirements. Laura Cooper agreed to publicise the relaunch in the BVN.
16.09.11	<i>Bus Shelter</i>
	Alan Mawer reported that he was in the process of getting finalised costs for erecting the new shelter, he was also hoping to ask Abigail Campbell to establish what was originally said to the neighbours who are directly affected.
16.09.12	<i>DDC Social Isolation</i>
	It was agreed that Sandra Ashford would discuss this project with Rev. Sarah Brown
16.09.13	<i>DDC Election Payment</i>
	It was proposed by Sue Harrison, seconded by Joanna Longworth and carried that the payment of £1792.50 for election expenses to DDC be paid
16.09.14	<i>Daventry District Council Part 2A/B Local Plan Evidence Base Methodologies</i>
	It was agreed that Chris Johnson should respond to include the point about developing and adopted neighbourhood plans
16.09.15	<i>The Green – Triangle</i>
	After discussion it was agreed to ask Ian Boyes (NCC Highways) to visit and make recommendations with regard the vegetation on The Green. During the discussions there was a lot of support for how good the triangle was looking following a lot of hard work by the BVGA
16.09.16	<i>NCC - Annual waiting restriction review 2016/17 – Daventry</i>
	It was agreed that the Parish Council continues to support the two proposed changes, first being removal of yellow lines from The Green in front of the houses between the Chip Shop and The Wheatsheaf and secondly the extension of the yellow lines around to the entrance of the

	village hall from the triangle.
16.09.17	Village Hall
	After discussion it was agreed to ask the village hall for the actual quotes received. It was agreed that the Parish Council would not support the hearing loop
16.09.18	Community Car
	Joanna Longworth reported the following: - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A few more journey have been undertaken with an increase in the number of visits to NGH • New mobile number is up and working • Need to establish if MOT is still valid on S reg car • New car is available but awaiting transfer of insurance
16.09.19	Jetty Fields
	Peter Biggs reported the following: - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A walk around with Michael Venton (DDC Tree officer) went well and he was very pleased with progress • One matter arising is that the 90 foot Poplar will need reducing in height next year.
16.09.20	Playing Fields
	Following on from his written submission Richard was asked to approach the Parish Council with a request to help assist refurbishing the existing equipment. It was also agreed to try and find some funding to improve Welton Road Play Area The clerk agreed to send Skate Park plans to Laura Cooper
16.09.21	Village Maintenance
	The clerk agreed to chase Louis re the repair of manhole in the playing fields
16.09.22	Items for Circulation
	There were none that had not been circulated electronically
16.09.23	Planning
	DA/2016/0702 Land To Rear Of 73, High Street After discussions it was agreed to support by a vote of 8 for and 3 against