

# Braunston Parish Council

Parish Meeting held in the Village Hall on  
Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2013  
Minutes

## Present

In the Chair: Sally Ann Longworth

Mesdames: Campbell, Smith

Messrs: Alsop, Biggs, Chamberlain, Mawer & Prat.

**Apologies for absence:** Richard Hawkins and Pete Morgan

13.11.01	<b>Open forum for Members of the Public</b>
	<b>Sheep in Jettyfields</b> David and Lyn White presented some issues that they felt were wrong with the welfare of the sheep in Jettyfields  The Parish Council agreed that Andrew Alsop should take these concerns to the subcommittee meeting that followed this meeting and actions agreed.  <b>New Councillor</b> At this point the chair welcomed Pete Biggs to the meeting and thanked him for agreeing to be a councillor
13.11.02	<b>Declaration of Interest</b>
	Hannah Smith and Abigail Campbell sit on the village hall committee  Louis Prat is chair of the Playing Field Association
13.11.03	<b>County &amp; District Councillors Report</b>
	The clerk agreed to chase NCC with regard to the County Councillors absence  <b>District</b> Abigail reported the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Abigail is going to approach the Daventry Express to see if they will do an article regarding the Grit Bin at Archer Avenue</li><li>• The community car scheme has been registered as a CCIL scheme</li><li>• There is a special improvement business meeting be held at DDC</li><li>• Two conservative councillors have moved to UKIP</li><li>• A scoping opinion has been requested of DDC for 500 houses on Micklewell Park</li></ul>
13.11.04	<b>Approval of Last Meetings Minutes (7<sup>th</sup> October 2013)</b>
	It was proposed by Louis Prat, seconded by Abigail Campbell and carried that these be accepted.
13.11.05	<b>Matters Arising from the Minutes</b>
	There were none not already covered
13.11.06	<b>Finance Report</b>
	The clerk presented the accounts; these were proposed by Sally Ann Longworth, seconded by Abigail Campbell and carried that these be accepted.  <b>Accounts for Payment</b> It was proposed by Sally Ann Longworth, seconded by Abigail Campbell and carried that these amounts be paid.
13.11.07	<b>Braunston Village News</b>

	Following on from some issues with regard the BVN it was agreed that Abigail would approach the editors to offer assistance in setting up some editorial guidelines, it was also agreed that a representative of the church should be involved in this process.
13.11.08	<b>Braunston Trail</b>
	Abigail reported that she had further meetings with land owners this week and that she had recently met with the Chief Exec and Chair of DDC and had updated them on progress to date. She has also discovered that WNDC are funding a scheme in Northampton and will try and see if they will assist the Braunston scheme
13.11.09	<b>Councillor Co-option</b>
	It was agreed that a notice be put in the BVN
13.11.10	<b>Highways</b>
	The trees in Dark Lane are enclosing one of the lights  The clerk agreed to report
13.11.11	<b>Jettyfields</b>
	Please see attached notes
13.11.12	<b>Neighbourhood Watch &amp; Police</b>
	NHW – nothing new to report  Police – The reports from PC Thompson were circulated
13.11.13	<b>Neighbourhood Plans</b>
	Please see attached report
13.11.14	<b>Playing Fields</b>
	Louis reported the following: - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AGM this Thursday</li> <li>• More trees have been acquired for planting around the perimeters</li> <li>• The grant application to BIFFA had proven unsuccessful</li> </ul>
13.11.15	<b>Village Hall</b>
	Nothing to report
13.11.16	<b>Village Maintenance</b>
	A list of tasks were discussed and are in the maintenance book
13.11.17	<b>Items for Circulations</b>
	Have been distributed