

Minutes of the Zoom Parish Council Meeting on 7th January 2021 at 7pm

Meetings are held at 7.30pm in the Village Hall unless stated otherwise - Stuart Treadaway, our Ward Cllr, attends when possible.

We have vacancies for two Councillors - contact the Clerk or a Councillor, in the first instance, to apply

Present: Cllrs Jim Corbett (Chair), Jim Howard, Clayton Penfold, Peter Penfold

In Attendance: Don Hill (Clerk)

Public Attendance: 0

001/21 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE - Cllr Lynda Redding

002/21 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST - none

003/21 PUBLIC SESSION - none

004/21 MINUTES OF LAST MEETING - 3rd December 2020 - were agreed, for signature by the Chair.

005/21 MATTERS ARISING NOT DEALT WITH ELSEWHERE - none

006/21 PLANNING (For full application details visit <https://planning.n-somerset.gov.uk/online-applications/>)

New: 20/P/2584/FUH Briarwood Farm extension. No objections (Cllr Redding via email).

Decisions Due: 19/P/0815/FUL Puxton Park car park. 20/P/1756/FUL Opposite Full Quart; stables.

Granted: 19/P/2633/FUL Mendip View units. 20/P/0701/FUL Puxton Park buildings (Uses limited to 1 x storage & 3 x indoor sport recreation or fitness). 20/P/2767/FUH Manor Cottage, Hewish, extension.

Enforcement: December 2020 update circulated to members.

007/21 FINANCE

2020-21 Accounts: Pre-circulated to Members, reviewed and noted.

Cheques: 267: Adrian Leonard Parish Maintenance £288.00. **268:** Vision ICT annual website fee £150.

Online Banking: Application ready to take to bank.

2021-22 Draft Budget: Reviewed and precept approved: some revisions were worked on within the budget heads and the budget finally agreed as attached. To be ratified. Clerk to request precept from NSC

008/21 ITEMS MONITORED BY CLERK (shared with Area Officer each month - no change this month)

A370 Pedestrian Crossing: Lock-down has slowed this project, but it is being progressed.

Puxton Lane Goose Acre Farm: Culvert works re flooding in progress.

Puxton Road: Work re flooding at Council Houses. NSC update awaited.

A370 Flooding at Spring Cottage: NSC/IDB discussions re water levels in the ditch are ongoing.

A370 link between Old Post Office and Palmers Elm: Area Officer to arrange for its widening.

A370 Streetlights: these go out at 10.45pm; encouraging crime - NSC feedback awaited.

Maysgreen Lane: the temporary patching by the Cheese Factory need re-doing.

Fly-tipping: one lot in Puxton Lane and one in Maysgreen Lane. Cleared.

009/21 OTHER MATTERS - none

010/21 COUNCILLORS' REPORTS

Cllrs Howard and Corbett continue to be concerned about Council House flooding and the Cheesefactory curb in Maysgreen Lane. Possible planning issue re poly-tunnel (?) in Maysgreen Lane.

Cllr Peter Penfold asked that sincere good wishes be sent to Cllr Redding, who has been experiencing health issues both herself and in her family. The meeting unanimously asked the Clerk to convey those good wishes.

011/21 DATE OF NEXT MEETING - February 4th 2021 at 7pm via Zoom.

The meeting closed at 6.25pm