

LAWSHALL PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 12th JULY 2016
AT THE VILLAGE HALL COMMENCING AT 7.30PM

PRESENT: Cllrs. J.Kydd, D.C. Griggs, T. Elmer. Cllr. R. Kemp.

3 Members of the public. Mrs. D. Griggs (Clerk)

22 APOLOGIES: Cllrs. A. Irish, Mrs L. Williams, R. Debenham, Dcllr. J. Long.

23 TO RECEIVE COUNCILLOR'S DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN ANY ITEM ON THE AGENDA. None.

24 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING HELD ON 14th June 2016.

The Minutes were agreed and signed.

25 REPORTS: Dcllr.J. Long (although unable to attend the meeting) asked the Clerk to report the following:) Residents have been receiving telephone calls saying that they are due to receive a Council Tax Refund, asking for their bank details. This is a telephone scam and to warn residents not to give out their Bank details under any circumstances.

Cllr. R. Kemp: report has been circulated to Councillors.

Crime report: Information from the Police website for May 2016:

On or near Churchill Close: anti-social behaviour. No more details available.

On or near Lawshall Row: criminal damage and arson. No more details available.

On or near Donkey Lane: criminal damage and arson. Violence and sexual offences. No more details available.

26 MATTERS ARISING:

Resignation of Councillor: Received from Mr Jack Sasikaran, due to change in his circumstances. The Clerk has informed Babergh D.C. Casual Vacancy notices have been placed in notice boards.

Walcher's meadow: This project is now complete except for the trees which will be planted in the autumn. The new furniture, swing and notice board have been added to the P.C. insurance. The new playground rules are also in place in the notice board. New path: this is not settling very well and this matter is in hand.

S.C.C. Damaged 30mph sign near The Foundry: acknowledgement received.

S.C.C. Road edges from A134 into Lawshall: acknowledgement received.

Babergh D.C. Damaged Lambs Lane sign: acknowledgement received.

S.C.C. Lambs Lane verge: this matter is ongoing.

27 FINANCE:

S.A.R.S. Donation request: Cllr. J.Kydd proposed a donation of £25.00 (S137) is made, seconded by Cllr. D.C. Griggs, all in favour.

Clerk's Salary & Expenses: £311.22

TDP Ltd: £491.40 – Credit Note: £363.80 = £138.60 (fixings for furniture)

R. Debenham: £96.00 (cutting Walcher's meadow 22/6 & 6/7/16)

E. Markell: £180.00 (cutting grass in B/Ground 5/7/16; Playground 6/7/16; & fixing new notice board)

St. John's Ambulance: (Cllr. J. Kydd) £77.20 (Junior/infant pads for Defib.)

Village Hall Management Committee: £72.00 (hire of hall Apl, May, June)

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FINANCE Cont.....

Current balances reported:

Community account: £14,059.09 (includes £14,043.60 S106 funds paid into Business Account 27/6/16, and transferred into Community Account 28/6/16)

Unpresented cheques: £4600.80; £5400.00; £2668.80; £1374.00 (all S106 payments) = £15.49 available.

Business account: £5273.59

Cllr. J. Kydd proposed that £900.00 is transferred from the Business account into the Community account, seconded by Cllr. T. Elmer, all in favour.

Walcher’s meadow: Grass along each side of path. To keep this area cut it was agreed to get a quotation from Mr E Markell for this work.

Quotation from Mr E. Markell: To strim along each side of the path at regular intervals. It was decided to accept this quotation. This was proposed by Cllr. J. Kydd, seconded by Cllr. T. Elmer, all in favour.

Path in centre of meadow: The Clerk will ask Mr Markell to cut this square as before for the summer months.

Grass at far end of meadow: (for future wildflower area): To request that this area is cut by two rounds for the time being.

28 PLANNING:

Application No. B/16/00679: Podie Fields, Lambs Lane: erection of stable block consisting of 3 stables, tack room and hay barn and associated hard standing and removal of condition 03 of P.P.B/13/00313/FUL to allow lighting of ménage. The plans were discussed and there were no objections.

Application No. B/16/00749: Highlands Cottages, Lawshall Road, Cockfield: erection of a 1 and a half storey extension to the side of each cottage; erection of a single storey extension across the rear of both cottages (following demolition of existing rear extension); existing vehicular access to Mole Cottage moved to the northeast. The plans were discussed and there were no objections.

Application No. B/16/00814: Moat House, Golden Lane: erection of single storey swimming pool extension to rear (following demolition of existing rear extension outbuildings) Replacement windows on rear and side elevations. Erection of 2 bay garage and garden store. The plans were discussed and there were no objections.

Planning Permission granted for the following:

Application No. B/16/00289/FUL/NLW: Audley End Farm, Melford Road: erection of an agricultural building.

Application No. B/16/00339/FUL/NLW: Audley End Farm, Melford Road: erection of wall with the insertion of a window (part retention of).

Application No. B/15/01534: Petlau Cottage, Harrow Green: erection of single storey rear extension and insertion of roof light in existing roof on northwest elevation.

29 CORRESPONDENCE: None.

30 ANY OTHER BUSINESS: None.

Next meeting Tuesday 9th August, 2016 at 7.30pm

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.30pm.

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Chairman

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Date