

LAWSHALL PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING HELD ON
8TH MAY 2018 AT THE VILLAGE HALL COMMENCING AT 8.00PM

PRESENT: Cllrs. T. Elmer, D.C. Griggs, Mrs. L. Williams, R. Debenham, Cllr. R. Kemp, Dcllr. J. Long,
Mrs. D. Griggs (Clerk.) 6 Members of the public.

MR JONATHAN KYDD RESIGNED AS COUNCILLOR. THIS WAS ACCEPTED BY THE COUNCILLORS.
AS THE FULL COMPLEMENT OF COUNCILLORS WERE NOT PRESENT WE WERE UNABLE TO ELECT A NEW
CHAIRMAN AND VICE CHAIRMAN. THIS WILL BE ON THE AGENDA FOR JUNE 2018.
FOR THIS MEETING THE COUNCILLORS PRESENT ELECTED MR T. ELMER TO STAND IN AS ACTING
CHAIRMAN.

THE CLERK WILL PLACE A NOTICE IN THE NOTICE BOARDS FOR THE CASUAL VACANCY AND INFORM
BABERGH D.C.

1 APOLOGIES: Cllrs. A. Irish, D. Page.

2 TO RECEIVE COUNCILLOR'S DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN ANY ITEM ON THE AGENDA.

Cllr. Debenham declared an interest in Application No., DC/18/01763: Hurdles Barn, Melford Road:
Cllr. Debenham took no part in the discussion.

3 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING HELD ON 3RD APRIL, 2018.

The Minutes were agreed and signed.

4 REPORTS: Cllr. R.Kemp and Dcllr. J. Long Gave their reports at the Annual Parish Meeting which was held prior this meeting.

Crime report: April 2018: as per the Police website:

On or near Churchill Close: violence or sexual offences. (Reported February 2018)

Under investigation. x 3 reports.

On or near Shepherds Drive: Burglary: (Reported February 2018) x 2 reports.

Investigation complete: No suspect identified.

5 MATTERS ARISING:

S.C.C. Highways: all potholes reported.

Quotation for new gate at Walcher's meadow (£480.00): The Councillors proposed that this work should go ahead, proposed by Cllr. D.C. Griggs. Seconded by Cllr. Mrs. L. Williams, all in favour.

Playground equipment update: The Clerk will write to Mr Tom Barker (BDC) to ask if some funds from S106 can be allocated to this project.

Flooding at Walcher's meadow: this is going to be investigated further.

6 FINANCE:

Invoices passed for payment:

Clerk's Salary & Expenses: £328.45

S.A.L.C. sub. 2018/2019: £397.75

Mr E. Markell: £115.00 (cutting grass in Burial Ground 25/4/2018 & in Playground 1/5/2018)

Babergh District Council: First half of Precept paid into Business Account on 9/4/2018.

Cllr. T. Elmer proposed that £860.00 in transferred from the Business Account into the Community Account, seconded by Cllr. D.C. Griggs, all in favour.

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7 PLANNING:

Application No. DC/18/01358: Mendip, Bury Road: erection of 2 storey rear extension and insertion of 1 rear dormer. Erection of front porch and 2 front dormers (following demolition of single storey rear extensions.) The Councillors discussed this application and there were no objections.

Application No. DC/18/01763: Hurdles Barn, Melford Road: erection of 2 storey side and rear extensions and raising roof pitch. Councillor Debenham had declared an interest, and took no part in the discussion. The Councillors discussed the application and there were no objections.

Application No. DC/18/01943: 7 Lambs Lane: demolition of rear existing rear extension and erection of two storey and single storey rear extensions and internal alterations. The Councillors discussed the application and there were no objections.

Application No. DC/18/00755: barn on land south of The Willows: Notification of plans and documents recorded on those upon decisions reached (docs. filed.)

Application No. DC/17/06274: The Willows Residential Home, Bury Road: Re-consultation Outline Planning: received 13/4/18: CS11 Check List received. (Access to be considered) (docs. filed.)

8 CORRESPONDENCE:

Update on developments Babergh D.C. and Mid Suffolk D.C.

N.A.L.C. Information received via Email on 26/4/2018: stating that the Government has tabled an amendment to its own Data Protection Bill **to exempt all parish and town councils and parish meetings in England and community and town councils in Wales from the requirement to appoint a Data Protection Officer (DPO) under the General Data Protection Regulation.**

Babergh D.C. Information on C.I.L. payments.

E.A.C.H. Thank you received for donation.

9 ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

Cllr. T. Elmer reported that one of the trees planted on Walcher’s meadow has died. A resident has kindly offered a donation for the purchase of a new tree.

Next meeting: Tuesday 12th June 2018 at 7.30pm.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.50pm.

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Acting Chairman

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Date