

Minutes of a virtual meeting of Cherry Burton Parish Council held on Tuesday 14th April 2020 at 7.30pm.

Present:- Parish Councillors Peirson (in the Chair), Baker, Dickinson, Huntsman, Lindsay, Sutcliffe and Wardale.

Clerk - J.Wardale

04/20/128 Apologies for absence
Cllr Arandle and Jeffrey.

04/20/129 Declarations of Interest
None

04/20/130 Minutes of the meeting held on 10th March 2020 were agreed and signed as a complete record with the following amendment:-
03/20/123 Local Council Award Scheme
Cllr Peirson clarified that his suggestion was to include more emphasis on the role of the the PC in representing parishioner's views on planning in the Key Objectives.

04/20/131 Matters Arising
Trees Main Street – no response from ERYC yet.
Resolved – to let Mrs Webb know about the progress and chase up with ERYC.

Annual Parish Meeting

The Annual Parish Meeting has been postponed until the lockdown restrictions are lifted. Advice from ERNLLCA is that the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council does not have to go ahead and the appointed Officials would stay in office until the following year.

Resolved – to assess the situation and possibly have the Annual Meeting virtually if the restrictions are not lifted.

Beverley Lions Bench

Beverley Lions have been informed about the offer to put a plaque on the existing bench, but they have not responded yet.

Yorkshire Water response

Yorkshire Water had responded to the Parish Council's concerns about the problems with the sewage in the village and their response to the consultation on the planning application off Canada Drive.

The response was not considered to have answered the queries or acknowledged the issues.

Resolved – to contact Graeme Stewart MP when the current crisis is over and gather any evidence when issues arise.

Pond Fence

Rob Towse from Beverley Joinery had quoted £140 to replace the rotten areas of the Pond fence. Cllr Dickinson asked how much it would cost to replace the whole fence, but it was felt that the fence was in reasonable condition apart from certain areas.

Resolved – check that the replacement woodwork can be repainted easily and then accept the quote, but also to find out the total cost for replacement.

Play Area repair

Cllr Peirson reported that this was ongoing

Community Speedwatch

Following enquiries about the scheme a response had been received from the co-ordinator Wayne Goodwin. The scheme is currently suspended, but he suggested that residents could be looking for suitable areas for the team to stand to give maximum visibility to record speeding motorists.

Resolved – to put on Facebook.

Website

Cllr Sutcliffe is still working on improving the website.

04/20/132

Covid 19 outbreak – Village Issues

The Clerk reported that advice from ERYC was that it should be agreed that the powers and duties of the Parish Council be delegated to the Parish Clerk, in consultation with the Chair, if the situation arose that the Parish Council were unable to meet.

Resolved – this was agreed.

Cherry Burton Covid 19 Support Group.

Cllr Wardale reported that a group has been formed with the Church and up to 32 volunteers had responded. Requests so far have been mainly for collecting prescriptions. The village shop was delivering groceries and the Open Door Café was also preparing and delivering meals.

The Support Group is liaising with the Beverley group and has registered with the national register. Funding was available for up to £500 and there was a discussion about putting aside a budget from the Parish Council as well, should it be needed, from the Section 137 budget.

Resolved – to go ahead and apply for the funding and then the PC would match fund with £500 if needed.

04/20/133

ERYC Matters

(a) Highway Matters

Resident parking

ERYC had been contacted about this.

(b) Survey of Parish Council Allowances

The survey of Parish Councils had shown that the vast majority of Parish Councillors across the East Riding regard their role as a volunteer and did not want to be paid allowances. This agreed with the discussion at the Cherry Burton PC meeting.

(c) Filling PC vacancies in current situation

ERYC had sent details, as it had been agreed that no elections would be held until May next year. If a vacancy had to be contested it would have to wait until then.

04/20/134	<u>Accounts for payment</u>		
	The following payments were agreed:-		
	Mike Clark	SFMC fencing	£2400.00
	Cllr Jeffrey	SFMC plants	£ 172.80
	J.Wardale	Salary & expenses March	£ 334.69
	Eon Direct Debit	Supply Pond	£ 9.08
	Eon	Supply Sportsfield Approach Road	£ 58.99
	ERYC	Sportsfield ½ yearly rent	£1300.00
	ERYC	Play Area ½ yearly rent	£ 68.00

04/20/135 Correspondence received
Defibrillators
 Yorkshire Ambulance have asked for information when the defibrillators had been checked and suggested they were done weekly.
 Cllr Baker mentioned that he would be organising more Heart Start training sessions once the lockdown had finished.
Resolved - Cllr Huntsman and Cllr Baker agreed to help check the equipment.

04/20/136 Pond
 Nothing to report.

04/20/137 Local Councils Award Scheme
 Cllr Lindsey discussed the need for the committee to get together, which has been hampered with the lockdown.
 There was a discussion about forming some of the committees that would be needed to fulfil the Award criteria, such as personnel.
Resolved – to circulate the provisional documents around the PC and register interest with NALC and arrange payment if necessary.

04/20/138 Parish Council Committees
Planning decisions
 Canada Drive erection of 37 dwellings – planning permission granted with conditions
 Cllr Peirson suggested writing to ERYC asking for extra parking for residents on the flood plain that was not being developed.
Resolved – this was agreed.
 Erection 2 storey extension Cherry Croft, Malton Road – planning permission granted with conditions.
Applications
 Erection extension and garage Jasmine Cottage (part retrospective application) – no observations.

04/20/139 Sportsfield Management Committee
Changing Room Refurbishment
 Sport England funding bid had not been successful. There was a possibility that FCC Community Grants may have available funding.
 Cllr Baker and Cllr Wardale would need approval to prepare and submit the application to them on behalf of the Parish Council.
Resolved – approval was given.

Nature Walk

This was progressing and the fence was built, and saplings planted before the lockdown. Bishop Burton students were not available at the moment to help with the project, but it was hoped they would return once restrictions were lifted. The last of the bird boxes had been put up.

Cllr Huntsman suggested getting some photographs on Facebook.

Resolved - Cllr Baker agreed to sort this out the photographs.

04/20/140

Other events planned in the Village.

There was a discussion about the Cherryaid concert that was planned for July.

Cllr Lindsey confirmed that he had advised the group to cancel event.

Cllr Peirson was also considering cancelling the Village Show as it was unlikely that the lockdown would be completely removed by the summer.

The meeting ended at 8.40pm.