

BRADFIELD ST. GEORGE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD  
IN THE VILLAGE HALL ON WEDNESDAY 5<sup>th</sup> JULY 2017

Present: Cllrs P Squirrell, C Croot, A Therin, Mrs C Stainer & G Mulley.  
Mrs M Bottomley (Clerk). C Cllr Mrs K Soons (arrived 7.50 p.m.)  
& B Cllr Mrs S Mildmay-White (arrived 7.59 p.m.)

Apologies: None

Public Forum – 2 villagers attended and commented on the planning application No. 1753/VAR for Broom Hall Farm, Freewood Street.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Cllr Mulley - Item 9 Finance  
Cllr C Croot - Item 9 Finance

DISPENSATIONS – None

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD 3<sup>rd</sup> MAY 2017

It was resolved that the minutes of the Annual Parish Council meeting held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2017, were approved as a true and accurate record and signed accordingly.. Proposed by Cllr Croot, seconded by Cllr Mrs Stainer – all in favour.

The meeting recessed for the next item.

REPORTS

**County Cllr Mrs K Soons** - June report attached and tabled. The County Cllr gave her apologies for being unable to attend the September meeting.

**District Cllr Mrs S Mildmay-White** –July report attached and tabled,

The meeting reconvened.

**Village Hall** – Cllr Mulley reported that there was a poor turn out but did break even for the June event . 39 people turned up for the coffee morning and £110 was raised in donations. This coming Friday evening – July event – will be with bar snacks. The next big item to work towards is the refurbishment of the bar.

PLANNING:-

The following applications were considered by councillors:-

**1172/17/HH White Cottage, Church Road:** single storey front extension to garage.  
PC comment: support (proposed by Cllr Squirrell, seconded by Cllr Croot – all in favour.)

**1173/17/LB White Cottage, Church Road:** single storey front extension of existing garage.  
PC comment: support (proposed by Cllr Squirrell, seconded by Cllr Croot – all in favour.)

**DC/16/1753/VAR Broom Hall Farm, Freewood Street.**

Councillors discussed the original letter sent to SEBC 11<sup>th</sup> November 2016 and agreed to resend a copy of their original comments. Proposed by Cllr Croot, seconded by Cllr Squirrell. All in favour.

ROAD CLOSURES

Cllr Therin pointed out the lack of notices from Highways advising of road closures and more often the sites were cordoned off but did not appear to have any work currently being undertaken.

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Referred to the Rougham closure and the fact that the diversion road was also closed. The County Councillor confirmed she would make enquiries.

#### MATTERS RAISED AT ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

No matters were raised.

#### FINANCE

479 **Standing Orders/Financial Orders:** Reviewed – acceptance proposed by Cllr Squirrell, seconded by Cllr Mulley – all in favour

480 **Risk Assessment:** having noted that the bench, Oakey Ley required maintenance which would be undertaken during the current year, acceptance proposed by Cllr Squirrell, seconded by Cllr Mrs Stainer – all in favour.

Maintenance of the Notice Board to be placed on the September agenda.

483 **Cheques for payment:** Payment proposed by Cllr Squirrell, seconded by Cllr Croot.. All in favour.

#### Chqs

661	Village Hall (hire)	£ 20.00
662	Clerk (expenses)	£101.47
663	Post Office (tax)	£109.00
664	Vertas ( April/June Maintenance)	£ 73.44
665	SALCinternal audit)	£162.00
666	Communicorp (subs)	£ 12.00

Current Account: £12,527.64 Santander: £4,407.45

Receipts & Payments to be circulated all councillors.

484 **PCC maintenance grant:** £500 proposed by Cllr Croot, seconded by Cllr Therin – all in favour.

CORRESPONDENCE - none received

DATE OF NEXT MEETING 6<sup>th</sup> September 2017

The meeting closed at 9.00 p.m.

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