

Bagnall Parish Council

Minutes of the Meeting Tuesday 8 January 2008 Moorlands Village Hall, Bagnall

Present

Cllr Dave Pearson (Chair)
Cllr Frank Hayes

Cllr Peter Adams

In Attendance:

Denise Cooper (Minute Clerk)
0 Members of the public

08.01 Apologies

Cllr Roy Hewson
Cllr Peter Lawley
Cllr Sybil Ralphs
Cllr Ken Simpson

Personal commitments
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District Council business
Ill health

08.02 Minutes of Meeting held on 11 December 2007

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted as a true and accurate record.

08.03 Matters Arising not on agenda

08.04 Finance issues

- A cheque in the sum of £5.77 has been received from e-on Central Networks in respect of rent due on the pole nr The Poplars.
- Staffordshire County Council has forwarded a cheque for £659.00 against the Lengthsman's agreement.
- Severn Trent Water has issued an invoice in the sum of £10.96 for the Horse Trough. Payment was agreed.
- An invoice for £50.00 for Mrs Cooper's fees was submitted. Payment was agreed.

08.05 Planning Applications

Full Permission for Development has been received for

- Moorland House, Clewloes Bank, Stockton Brook
Loft conversion and raising of roof line
- Lock 9, Caudon Canal, Stanley Road, Stockton Brook
Replacement lock gates

Application for Planning permission has been received for

- White Gate, Clewloes Bank, Bagnall
Two storey side/rear extension

The above application was supported.

THESE MINUTES ARE SUBJECT TO VERIFICATION AT THE NEXT PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Bagnall Heights

Cllr Pearson confirmed that he had responded to Mr Green's letter, a copy of which was tabled for information. If no response is received within the next couple of week, Cllr Pearson will telephone prior to the next meeting.

08.06 Footpaths, Highways and Maintenance issues

06.49(ii) – Well on Thorney Edge Lane

As Cllr Hewson was not in attendance it was agreed to discuss this issue further at the next meeting. Until we have an idea on the costs it was not possible to make a decision.

07.48(ii) – Bin by the Ford

This issue is progressing.

07.95(i) – Pot Hole Road Repairs

This issue has now been resolved.

07.113(i) – Concrete Posts around the Horse Chestnut green

Difficulty is being experienced in obtaining concrete posts to match the existing. After discussion a resolution was agreed and Cllr Pearson agreed to convey this to the driver's contractor.

08.06(i) – Traffic Survey on Bagnall Road

As a result of an article in The Leek Post and Times, Cllr Simpson contacted Staffordshire Highways Department, who have agreed to provide the Parish Council with the results of the survey.

08.06(ii) – Canal Footpath Renovation

Cllr Jebb has advised us of the proposed works to the footbridge at the apex of Footpath 1, providing pictorial evidence of the gates to be used.

08.07 Environmental Issues

08.06(i) – Parish Spring Clean (Put Pride in the Parish)

Cllr Pearson stated that there is a considerable amount of rubbish / tipping within the parish and suggested that residents join in a 'litter pick' in the early Spring. This will be discussed further at the next meeting.

08.08 Correspondence

- Government Office, East Midlands – Notification of the Draft East Midlands Plan Panel Report
- Community Council of Staffordshire – Invitation to enter the Best Kept Village Competition 2008. It was felt that the village was not ready to enter this.
- Staffordshire Moorlands District Council – Notification of a Review of Locality Groups

08.09 Any Other Business

There was no other business raised.

The meeting closed at 8.20pm

Signed(Chairman)

Date:

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09 January 2008