

Wistanstow Parish Council

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The Minutes of the Meeting of Wistanstow Parish Council held on Wednesday 26th September 2018 at Wistanstow Village Hall Annex Room commencing at 7.00pm

Present:

Mr M Flanagan (Vice Chairman)

Mr D Bytheway Mrs J Woodroffe MBE

Mr P Powell Mr J Morris

Mr M Flanagan Mr R Brown

Mr M White Mr A Carney

Mr C E Williams (Clerk)

1. Apologies:

Mr D Bytheway

2. Items from members of the Public

Mr P Clarke gave an update on the condition of the footpaths through the Parish and would enquire about motor cyclists using the footpath between Bushmoor and Woolston.

The Clerk to enquire if any progress had been made in opening footpath 41 which crosses the railway line and is subject to a temporary prohibition order.

3. Declarations of Interest

Nil

4. Minutes

The Parish Council approved the minutes of the meetings held on the 30th July 2018 and were signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

5. Matters arising from the Minutes:

No Items

6. Chairman's Communications:

The Vice-Chairman referred to a letter received from Airband Community Internet Ltd who were working with Connecting Shropshire about the superfast rural broadband network which was now available and would consider offering free wi-fi facilities to village halls.

It was agreed to invite the company to give a presentation at a future meeting of the Parish Council.

8. Planning Items:

a) The Parish Council had no objection to the following planning application

Planning Application 18/04034/FUL

Address: Land at High House, Horderley, Craven Arms, Shropshire, SY7 8HT

Proposal: Change of use of land from pasture to tourism use for siting of a log cabin, construction of associated parking, footpath and all associated works.

b) The Parish Council agreed to review the Wistanstow Village Plan at the next meeting and provide an update to the Action Plan which will then feed into the Craven Arms and Rural Local Plan.

9. Highway/Footpath Items:

a) The Clerk invite the Shropshire Council representatives to the next meeting of the Parish Council to discuss speed limits particularly through Bushmoor and the consideration of speed advisory signs.

b) The Clerk report the condition of the roadway adjacent to the entrance of Jewson's.

10. Reports from other Organisations:

Mr J Woodroffe reported that the Parish Council were awaiting the outcome of the grant application of £10,000 made to Awards for All for the replacement of equipment to the Play Area at the Village Hall with £2,500 having been approved by the Henley Solar Farm Community Benefit Fund and £2,000 from the Greene Trust.

11. Financial Items:

The Clerk reported that after payment of the following accounts the Parish Council will have balances of £25,546.30 which includes the CIL payment of £4,244.66.

The Parish Council approved the following accounts for payment:

C E Williams – Disbursement - £425

Shropshire Council – Play Area Inspection - £96

12. Next Meeting:

The next meeting of the Parish Council to be held on Wednesday 21st November 2018 in the Annex Room Wistanstow Village Hall commencing 7.00pm.

Chairman

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