

# BINTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Council Meeting held on 12<sup>th</sup> January 2021

**In attendance** – Cllrs D Burton, D Day, R Cox, M Flaxman (Chairman) and Tom Lloyd - Clerk  
Karen Parnell – One member of the public was present.

1. Apologies

SDC WCC Cllr Mark Cargill

2. Declarations of interest on items on the Agenda

None

3. To approve the minutes of the meeting of 10<sup>th</sup> November 2020

The minutes were approved as a true record and duly signed as such by the chairman.

4. Public participation – to receive any questions from the public (15 minutes maximum).

It was questioned why jetting by WCC was taking place on one side of the road but not the other. An answer to this question will be sought.

An appeal for additional Speed Watch volunteers was noted. It was further noted the scheme has limitations and data from the camera has been provided to the Police who have been less than communicative.

5. Matters arising from the minutes not dealt with elsewhere; for information only and are items not on the Agenda:

The Oakfield planning application has been withdrawn. Cllr Cox was thanked for his input regarding the PC response to the application.

Heart of England Forestry has cut back hedges in Binton. Their policy is to cut sides of hedges one year, followed by tops of hedges the next year and so on.

Church Bank hedges have also been improved and the maintenance of footpaths will be looked into in due course.

Pot holes have been improved by tarmac infill, although this is not aesthetically pleasing.

6. County and District Councillor's report: Cllr Mark Cargill was not present but has sent numerous reports regarding the pandemic situation and other relevant matters.

7. Planning

All planning applications have been advised to the PC for comment prior to this meeting.

Application(s) reference: 20/03146/FUL

Proposed : Demolition of existing failing conservatory, to be replaced by a new oak framed garden room comprising a mono pitch glass roof section plus a double-height vaulted ceiling.

At : Oak Gable , Grafton Lane, Binton, CV37 9TZ

For : Mr & Mrs Don David - No objection

Application(s) reference: 20/03428/LBC

Proposed : Installation of 1no. rooflight to front elevation of annexe  
At : East House, Kendricks Barn, Church Bank, Binton Stratford-upon-Avon  
For : Mrs Sarah Bishop – No objection

8. Speed Watch Group (Video Cameras)

Cllr Day reported that additional volunteers will be sought.

Disappointment was expressed at the lack of response by the Police.

Two months' worth of data will now be sent out.

Usage of the camera to record in both directions is an issue.

It facilitates arriving and departing along the same side of the road.

9. Payments

Clerks Salary and Expenses £ 392.00

Tom Lloyd (Village Green Maintenance) £ 48.00

1 & 1 Internet £ 68.36

10. Exchange of information

The usage of Honeybee Meadow was discussed at length.

SDC Gypsy, Traveller and Fairground Policy was considered and discussed.

Date of next meeting.

9<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Meeting closed 8.10pm