

GUESTLING PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD 10 OCTOBER 2016 7PM AT GUESTLING VILLAGE HALL

CHAIR: GRAHAM MACPHERSON (GM) – GUESTLING PARISH COUNCIL (GPC)

GUESTLING PARISH COUNCILLORS PRESENT:

GRAHAM FURNESS (GF) SALLIE COX (SC) MARION ROBERTS (MR) ANDREW ELDRIDGE (AE)
CONNIE EVANS (CE) DAVID PERETT (DP)

COUNCILLORS PRESENT: Cllr ROGER BIRD (RDC) **PARISH CLERK:** BRYONY YOUNG (BY)

ITEM	NOTES	ACTION
1	APOLOGIES OF ABSENCE: CHARLES AVERY (CA) Cllr CHRIS SAINT Cllr CARL MAYNARD	
2	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST: NONE	
3	MINUTES RESOLVED: THAT THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL IS AUTHORISED TO SIGN THE MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING 12 SEPTEMBER 2016	
4	<p>MATTERS ARISING OR UNRESOLVED NOT COVERED SEPARATELY IN AGENDA :</p> <p>CHAPEL LANE SAFETY MIRROR – Still heard nothing from BT, GM to purchase mirror and put up</p> <p>TOILETS/STORAGE PROVISION, PAVILLION AND PARKING SPACES AT PAVILION FIELD - Ongoing – Awaiting further detail from Gas Board as will be digging through field, tie in with these timescales, one quote received, GM to chase</p> <p>SPEND OF TRANSPARENCY FUND – Parish Clerk arrange for quote from KC Computers (large HD, Microsoft Office , online dongle, external HD, cloud backup, virus software and printer/scanner required)</p> <p>ROBERT BRADSHAW TRUST – AE advised meeting Wednesday 12 October to discuss with vicar, BY to chase RDC as to allotment requirements for GPC</p> <p>TREE ON SUBSTATION LAND, BUTCHERS LANE – GM spoke to UK Networks, advised 5' from cable , currently no issue</p> <p>FRIARS HILL PETITION - RDC accept requirement to reduce to 30mph but do not have budget - £10k required (majority of cost is legal fees to Ministry of Transport, for the change), if we get £5k may be able to apply for Community Grant for rest. Residents trying to raise £, discuss next meeting</p> <p>DEFIBRILLATOR IN GUESTLING PHONE BOX – Rother Responders will put in as soon as they have funds available</p> <p>WORKING PARTY - DP advised has responded to Cllr Saint reference RDC suggestions, DP to email to assess further requirements</p> <p>HIGHWAYS MEETING – GF to attend Thursday 13 October and advise</p>	<p>GM</p> <p>GM</p> <p>BY</p> <p>AE/BY</p> <p>ALL</p> <p>DP</p> <p>GF</p>
5	CORRESPONDENCE: Letter from Parishioner to Chairman reference change of use of footpath next to Sailors Stream, MR to investigate and advise	MR
6	<p>PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:</p> <p><u>Cllr ROGER BIRD</u></p> <p>Advised that RDC recycling figures have got worse , were aiming for 60% but have reduced from 50% to 45%, Amount of recycling has stayed the same but increase in total volume of rubbish</p>	
7	<p>CARRIED OVER:</p> <p>STRATEGIC PLAN (3 AND 7 YEAR) - Suggestions: car parking spaces, toilet improvements, repairs to mover, traffic calming, BY to investigate other Parish Councils Strategic Plans and send around with a suggested structure</p>	ALL/BY

	EMERGENCY PLAN – Awaiting contact details, BY to send around again , BY volunteered to be contact for Three Oaks , GM to speak to Guestling resident to see if he will be contact and then arrange a meeting to decide on contact and emergency meeting points	BY/GM
8	ROTHER VOLUNTARY ACTION GROUP – What do they do, can they be of any benefit to us? BY to send round link and basic details	BY
9	FINANCE: Fuel - £26.41 (Fuel Genie), £10 Guestling Village Hall hire, cheque received for Fairlight Safetywear , second part of Precept received from RDC Request for funds for new ride-on mower for Playing Fields (one available for £200, GM to advise)	GM
10	A.O.B.: FOR INFORMATION : Doleham Cottages - People affected have formed a committee and are speaking to the developers and owners, solution seems likely	
	THE NEXT PARISH COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE ON MONDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2016 AT 7PM AT GUESTLING BRADSHAW SCHOOL BRYONY YOUNG – PARISH CLERK 07730 015684 guestling.clerk@gmail.com	