

BISHOPSTONE GROUP PARISH COUNCIL

COUNCILLORS ARE SUMMONED TO ATTEND A PARISH COUNCIL MEETING AT THE NEW BRIDGE COMMUNITY CENTRE ON THURSDAY 11th July 2013 AT 7.30PM

MINUTES

Present – Chairman John Macklin, Vice Chairman Sue Hubbard, Cllr, Cathie Draper, Cllr Rosemary Morgan, Cllr Muriel Holmes, Cllr John Verry, Cllr Penny Redshaw, Cllr Trevor Hunt, Cllr Serena Crump, Clerk Katrina Bevis.

1. Apologies for absence. – None made
2. Declarations of interest. – None made
3. Accepted minutes from meetings – 13th June 2013 and 17th April 2013.- **Accepted RESOLVED**
4. Financial – Cllrs to accept the following payments:-
 - a) PIP Printing – £113.86
 - b) Hall hire - £7.00 13.06.13 / £14.00 11.07.13
 - c) Clerk mileage – £12.00
 - d) Halc - £251.40

Accepted RESOLVED

5. Time limit on planning apps – Clerk to contact planning office, with reference to the time limit on planning apps, to define what “starting” a build, are we able to incorporate this into our parish plan. Is there a time limit on completion?
RESOLVED

6. Correspondence:

- a) Letter from Bridge Sollars resident about speeding and traffic issues – Letter read by JM, Cllrs requested a “rides” for horses sign and a unsuitable HGV sign, Cllr suggest that complainant is passed on CSO Dean Halls details to report dangerous driving.
Chasing up agreed signage.
Canoe vehicles on Bridge, **RESOLVED**

Due to the amount of points made by the residents, Cllrs will request a site meeting with highways to discuss these points. JM to arrange site meeting.
RESOLVED

b) Letter re parking on Kenchester Village Green and speed limit on A438

Letters read out by Vice Chair two points where raised were

1. Parking on the village green, - 6foot around the edge of the village Green belongs to highways – letter to complainant stating this.
2. Turning left on to the A438 from Kenchester, this is a dangerous junction, and especially before the grass verges were cut, Clerk to find out Herefordshire Councils policy on speed limits on the roads.

RESOLVED

7a. Highway maintenance and traffic issues including speeding in Bishopstone , Clerk to report two pot holes, on the road down to the church.

Cllr Penny Redshaw – stated that there has been some complaints from residents about the cars parking on the grass verge at the Old Rectory Byford. Cllrs requested an official letter of complaint to the Parish Council from the complainant. **RESOLVED**

Speeding in Bishopstone – Cllr John Verry mentioned the speeding of vehicles, Clerk to pass on CSO Dean HALL'S contact details. **RESOLVED**

7.b Byford – request for small refuse truck - Clerk to follow up request.

RESOLVED

8 Neighbourhood and Community Plan – Cllrs discussed the steering group, and to arrange a meeting . **RESOLVED**

9 Rules regarding councillors' attendance – If Cllrs do not attend a meeting for 6 months Cllrs are automatically no longer a Cllr. **RESOLVED**

10. Items to be raised at the next meeting.