

Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on Thursday, 9th February 2023 Millennium Hall, Cockshutt at 7.30pm

Present:

Councillors: J. Bowers, Mrs. P. Edwards, P. Griffiths, Ms. J. Harrison, and I. Webb
(Chairman)
Shropshire Councillor: Brian Williams
Members of the Public: None

14/23 Apologies for Absence – Cllr. S. Lewis and Cllr. Ms. P. Inglis

15/23 Public Participation – None

16/23 Approval of minutes of the last meeting.

The Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on 12th January 2023 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

17/23 Disclosable Pecuniary Interests:

- a. Members were reminded that they are required to leave the room during the discussion and voting on matters in which they have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest, whether or not the Interest is entered in the Register of Members' Interests maintained by the Monitoring Officer.
None Declared
- b. Other Registrable Interests: None
- c. To consider any requests for Dispensations: None

18/23 Planning:

a. Decisions Received (for information):

Reference: 22/03671/OUT (validated: 12/08/2022)

Address: Proposed Dwelling Adjacent 3, Crosemere Crescent, Cockshutt, Shropshire

Proposal: Outline application for the erection of 1No dwelling house on infill plot to include access

Decision: Withdrawn

b. Applications for Consideration received since the January meeting: None currently

c. Applications Received after 3rd February (if any):

Reference: 23/00415/FUL (validated 1/2/2023)

Address: 1 Crosemere Crescent, Cockshutt, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY12 0JW

Proposal: Replacement of single storey flat roof annexe with new extension to side elevation of existing dwelling

Comment: Members agreed to support the application

<https://pa.shropshire.gov.uk/online->

[applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=summary&keyVal=RPD6B6TDM2E00](https://pa.shropshire.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=summary&keyVal=RPD6B6TDM2E00)

19/23 Financial Matters:

- a. Balances for information circulated to members were noted and accepted
- b. Payments were approved:

SALC £30.00

Clerks salary and electricity bill paid by standing order and direct debit respectively. £2,000 was transferred from the reserve account to the current account to cover the payments until receipt of the precept in April.

20/23 Environmental Maintenance:

None to report

21/23 Jubilee Field

- a. Clerk has asked for a second quote for replacement of 15 posts and 9 rails for the fence to the rear of Wimbourne Cottages, it transpires that the work has been done by persons unidentified.
- b. Clerk awaiting a response in respect of the donation of hedging plants
- c. The Parish Council had received an enquiry regarding maintenance and use of the access track, Shrewsbury Road to the playing field – clerk to establish ownership of adjacent land and whether there are easements along the track
- d. Tomorrow is last day for applying to the Community Tree Scheme (50% subsidy). Members agreed to apply for 200 hedging plants.

22/23 Highways

- a. Footpath Crosemere Road to the churchyard requires maintenance. Cllr. Bowers will inspect the footpath, establish what needs to be done, investigate the price of gravel & transport and who might be instructed to do the work and report back to committee. Ownership of the footpath is unclear, therefore members to consider whether & under which budget they may order the maintenance.
- b. Requests under SC Road Safety Policy – none

23/23 Reports of Meetings Attended: None

24/23 Correspondence & Other Consultations

- a. **For information :**
 - Shropshire Council Community Tree Scheme is now open with 50% subsidy. Information circulated 12.1.23
 - Information on voter ID circulated 12.1.23 to members and on social media
 - Coronation plans published <https://www.royal.uk/coronation-weekend-plans-announced>
- b. **Shropshire Council Consultations:**

Statutory Notice of proposals to vary the statutory permissible taxi fees
<https://www.shropshire.gov.uk/get-involved/taxi-fees-consultation-2023/>

For details of current consultations visit <https://shropshire.gov.uk/get-involved/>

Cockshutt cum Petton Parish Council operates a scheme of delegation to facilitate timely responses to consultation requests as necessary

25/23 Parish Matters & Items for the next agenda:

- a. Request for a defibrillator in Petton
- b. Fibre broadband options in Petton – Ref: Connecting Shropshire
- c. Review of Council Documents
- d. Appointment of internal auditor
- e. Annual Parish Meeting – 13th April – TBC
- f. Newsletter items – items by end of March for publication in April
- g. An enquiry was received regarding the public footpath to the north of the village near the speed limit signs on A528 and whether, due to the danger of passing traffic as verge is narrow, the style could be replaced with a kissing gate.

26/23 Date of next meeting:

Next Meeting of the Parish Council - Thursday, 9th March 2023 @ 7:30 pm in
Cockshutt Millennium Hall

The Chair, Cllr Webb, declared the meeting closed at 8: 37 pm

Signed.....(*by the Chairman*).....

Date...9th March 2023.....