

Minutes of the Frostenden, Uggeshall & South Cove Group Parish Council Meeting held in Frostenden Village Hall at 7.30 pm on 5th July 2017.

The meeting opened at 7.30pm

Present: Chair Cllr Rendle, Cllrs Hall, Hardy, Felgate, Harvey, Sanger & Anguish

In attendance Clerk – J Brown

1 Declarations of Interest – None

2 Receipt and Acceptance of apologies –Cllr Watson – other meeting, Cllr Burton – family commitment, Cllr Ashton work commitment, Cllrs Goldson & Rivett – other meetings. Proposed Cllr Rendle aif.

3 Public Forum, to include reports from County/District Councillors – None

4 Acceptance of minutes from the meeting held on 3rd May 2017. The minutes were accepted as a true record, with the following amendments on the proposal of Cllr Hardy 2nd by Cllr Read, aif, they were signed by The Chair. Amendments: Cllr Harvey was present, Cllr Sanger was not.

5 Matters arising from the Minutes

Playing field - Cllr Hardy reported that the Committee will probably lose it's Treasurer shortly leaving only 3 committee members, at their last meeting they decided to carry on, although with no support from the village for their recent fundraising event they are not hopeful of maintaining the level of income needed to continue the upkeep of the field and play equipment for much longer. After some discussion, including the lack of use the field gets, Cllr Rendle proposed approaching WDC to see if they could take over the responsibility if needed, 2nd Cllr Felgate with 6 votes for and 1 abstention the proposal was carried, the Clerk is to contact WDC.

CIL Money - £889.37 has been paid to the PC in respect of a development in South Cove which can be spent anywhere in the 3 parishes for improvement, provision, replacement or maintenance of infrastructure to support the development of the area. Cllr Harvey proposed that Cllr Hardy gets 2 quotes for fencing and a gate including groundworks, for the playing field to stop unauthorised vehicular traffic, 2nd Cllr Sanger aif.

Repairs to seat – Following Mr Scriven's request for the seat at the end of Gypsy Lane to be refurbished. Cllr Hardy cleared away the under/overgrowth and has obtained a quote to clean and repaint the seat of £150.00, Cllr Rendle proposed the PC accept this quote, 2nd Cllr Harvey aif, Cllr Rendle is to contact the contractor.

6 Crime Report – 1 crime was reported in April – Possession of weapons near to the playing field, awaiting court outcome.

7 Appointment of representative to the Playing Field Committee, Cllr Rendle proposed Cllr Hardy, 2nd Cllr Hall aif

Appointment of representative to the Village Hall Committee, Cllr Rendle proposed Cllr Harvey, 2nd Cllr Hall aif.

8 Planning Applications Received: None

Planning Decisions: DC/17/1186/FUL Mr Austen, Land and building adj to The Shrubby.
Construction of two detached dwellings, including change of use of land from agricultural to residential and demolition of existing agricultural building. GRANTED with 8 conditions

9 Finance

a Accounts to pay	
Frostenden PCC – Churchyard Grant	£150.00
Uggeshall PCC – Churchyard Grant	£130.00
South Cove PCC – Churchyard Grant	£90.00
SALC – Internal Audit	£116.42
TOTAL	4
	£486.42

Cllr Hardy proposed acceptance of these accounts, 2nd Cllr Hall aif

- b Bank Balances at 2.6.2017
Community Account : £ 4203.02 Saver Account £318.34
- c Receipts: Interest 0.12p. Refund on insurance premium £10.72
- d Latitude Ticket Money, Uggeshall & Frostenden – Tickets are not available yet from Festival Republic

10 Correspondence

Email from Mr Scriven concerning the poor state of some of the footpaths in the Parish, the Clerk will forward it to SCC.

11 Any Other Business

Cllr Hardy has received more complaints about the verges alongside the lanes in the Parishes, Cllr Hall explained that it is difficult to trim hedges and long grass at this time of year because of nesting birds.

Cllr Sanger reported that the overgrowth on the verges by Keeper's Cottage is obstructing visibility at the crossroads for vehicles coming from Pyes Hall direction, there are also 2 large pot holes in the road by the Old Dairy, the Clerk to report both issues to SCC.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.25pm

Chairman 13th September 2017