# **Old Stratford Parish Council**

# MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF OLD STRATFORD PARISH COUNCIL Held on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2018 at the Memorial Hall, 2 Deanshanger Road

#### **Present:**

Cllrs Mr A Pateman (in the chair), Mr C Allin, Ms K Morris, Mrs L Murgatroyd, Mrs L Ritson, Mrs N Ryder, Mr R Smith & Mrs S Tate

Also present were Mr D Everett (Clerk), Cllr Mr K Pritchard (SNC) and 0 members of the public

## 1. Apologies for Absence

Cllrs Mr C Carey, Mr A Holloway & Mrs N Laurence (all on holiday), Mr A Walker (NCC) (away)

## 2. Members Declaration of Interest (for items on the Agenda)

None

# 3. To Sign and Approve Minutes of the Meeting dated Tuesday 8th May 2018

Minute of the Meeting held 8th May 2018 was signed as true record

### 4. Matters arising from the minutes not included on the agenda – for report only

#### (a) SNC Funding Fair @ Towcester Racecourse Wed 16 May

Attending (Cllrs Carey / Holloway)?

## (b) Allotments update

\* Now with SNC Planning Enforcement – site meeting still awaits Persimmon (although they have requested Solicitor details)

#### (c) Old Canal issues

Unresolved still waiting for SNC Arboreal and Environmental Officers reports

### 5. GDPR Compliance as of 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018 including Councillor web addresses

\* Chairman spoke on item and on proposed @oldstratford.org.uk mail addresses as a minimum All templates ready > necessary policies will be added to the website in due course

## 6. Public Speaking Time (this is limited to 15 minutes)

None present

#### 7. District and County Councillor Reports

#### (a) Cllr Pritchard (SNC)

Spoke on s106 monies for Blackhorse development including £9k for open space (the clerk asked whether this was to include the balancing pond which OSDPC have agreed to refuse in its current state) > to confirm; NCC demise and talks with DCs (SNC meeting with local MP); Unitary not to be less than 300,000 residents = likely hood of SNC/DDC & NBC: also means the end of the current successful joint working with Cherwell DC; Consultants appointed and discussed; also spoke on 101 complaints (P&CC's response) > Cllr Holloway to be advised; planning issue re Persimmon application to remove fp link to school (Objects lodged) SNC await LEA response

#### (b) Cllr Walker (NCC)

Latest report by Cllr Walker on transport subsidies > circulated and discussed

<sup>\*</sup> Action agreed

#### 8. Correspondence received since the last meeting

#### \* (a) CPRE

Annual Subs @ £36.00 TBA + AGM Notice

\* **RESOLVED** to approve s137 donation

#### \* (b) SNAST (NHW)

Renewal of annual donation @ £20.00

\* **RESOLVED** to approve s137 donation

#### \* (c) Earth Anchors Ltd

WW1 Centenary seats @ £640 + delivery / fixing + vat > previously circulated

\* Deferred

#### \*(f) Seafarers UK

Fly the Red Ensign / Merchant Navy Day 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 > NFA

## \* (g) Northants Police

Community Speed watch > for discussion > NFA

#### \* (h) Citizens Advice (North Oxon & South Northants)

Donation request

\* To check nearest CAB > deferred

#### 9. Monthly roundup and issues from each Councillor

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- (a) Cllr Allin > OSIB rear MH as plant nursery
- (b) Cllr Carey x
- (c) Cllr Holloway x
- (d) Cllr Laurence x
- (e) Cllr Murgatroyd Towcester Road application > clerk to assist
- (f) **Cllr Morris** Xmas tree / railings DR
- (g) Cllr Ritson Passenham issues and current diversion OS RAB issues
- (h) Cllr Ryder OSIB
- (i) Cllr Smith RAB issues updated
- (j) Cllr Tate OSIB (Santander meeting > rose bed construction)
- **(k) Chairman's Report** further on email security (GDPR) and other outstanding issues (SIDs etc)

### 10. Work programme and planned discussions / presentations

Scrutiny WP to meet and forward proposals

## 11. Planning

## (a) Applications Received

S/2018/1177/FUL New dwelling & detached double garage 5 Towcester Road

\* Observation that the proposed dwelling is resited

**S/2018/1160/LDP** Lawful development rights for a proposed loft conversion including front and rear roof lights 14 Hall Close

\* Noted

S/2018/1084/FUL Demolition of existing greenhouses, new dwelling and replacement greenhouse The Coach House, Passenham

\* No objections. We would though seek to ensure that the new roof height should not be increased as per plans. We also note the Conservation Officer's positive comments which are supported.

#### (b) **Decision Notices**

Approved - 7 Water Close two storey extension

Approved – 45 Towcester Road rear and side extension

## (c) Enforcement / Appeals

Appeal - pending against refusal for change of use (Storage container) Bridge Stores Appeal dismissed – against refusal re Passenham farm buildings Passenham

#### 12. Press Notices

None

#### 13. Finance

## (a) The Council to approve budgetary control to date (attached to the Agenda)

\* **RESOLVED** to approve budgetary control by unanimous decision

# (b) To Approve Current State of Finance (provisional end of year)

Treasurer's a/c: £1,935.40
Business Inst a/c: £65,191.81
Earmarked Reserves: £54,627.20

Available Capital: £12,500.01 (excluding ERs)

Proposed by Cllr Pateman seconded Cllr Smith and unanimously carried for approval

# (c) To Approve Accounts for Payment (list of outstanding accounts at the meeting) Paid 17/5 & 1/6

003036 Preston Blissett; £443.46 (OSIB) 003037 Buckingham Nurseries: £347.60 (OSIB)

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003038	Clerks Salary:	£780.00
003039	HMRC:	£195.00

003040 Petty Cash: £54.64 (incl: Mileage / ISP / )

003041 Cleaner: £60.00 (MH cleaning)

003042 Litter Picker (CH) £40.00 (OSCH/Playing Field)

003043 AH Contracts: £217.20 (Environmental Contract May) 003044 Aylesbury Mains: £1,842.72 (PL repairs & CH upgrade)

003045 NJ Blackwell: £1,185.00 (Mowing)

003046 M-hp: £126.00 (Hosting / web fees)
003047 CPRE: £36.00 (Annual Subs Min:8(a)))

003048 SNAST: £20.00 (Annual donation NW Min:8(b))

003049 N/CALC: £42.00 (CPD Cllr Allin) 003050 Anglian Water: £44.42 (MH Water charges)

003051 British Gas: £808.00 (MH Gas) 003052 M Holloway: £79.98 (OSIB)

#### 14. Street Lighting

OSCH upgrade completed

## 15. Highways

- (a) Women's cycle tour through OS Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June approx 1205 (no formal notification) \* Details circulated
- (a) Serious pot hole Deanshanger Road filled due to (a)?
- (b) London Road blocked drains by bridge again reported
- \* Cllr Smith to deal again + Towcester Road and Deanshanger Road
- (c) Latest RAB closures > circulated
- (d) Subsidence Mounthill Ave above main sewer danger especially to 2 wheeled vehicles
- 15. Councillor Questions and Items for Next Agenda
- (a) Website Hosting
- 16. Date of Next Meeting 10<sup>th</sup> July commencing at 7.30pm

With no other business the meeting closed at 9.15pm

# Old Stratford Parish Council Outstanding Activities June 2018

Date	Item	Parish Action	Action by Others
Projects	PL Upgrade	Completed Sept 2017	NHB grant + ER
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	Planters	Siting completed ongoing	SNC/OSPC grant
		OSIB (OS in Bloom)	NCC licence received
0 :	Canal fencing	Deanshanger Road	Metal part Under review
Ongoing	Council Surgeries	District Cllr / OSPC	Cllr Pritchard continues Bi- monthly for 2018 > web/nb
Ongoing	Allotments	Allocation agreed	Allotments committee to be
		March/April	agreed asap
Expand	Highway Issues	> Highway Tracker	Faults and complaints noted
Tracker	Pot holes	Continual review	Some patching repairs only
	HGV traffic	Monitored	HGV traffic <> Letters to
			hauliers. MKC assist - resent
Ongoing	Blocked drains	When required	Monitoring
Hold	Speed complaint	Permanent power SIDs ?	Being investigated
	SIDs	Passenham speed thro' 30	<b>Previous Police enforcement</b>
			NFA
TT: -1	Passenham	'One Way?' proposed	Supported by OSPC awaits
Highways Tracker	<b>Towcester Road</b>	> verge repairs OSPC to consider remedy	Maintenance carried out but already damaged by residents
TTACKET		(Report to NCC highways)	and delivery vehicles resolution
		(report to 1 ( o e mgm ways)	sought
	Bus Stop obst'n	Markings requested	NCC Small works agreed
	RAB	HE funded scheme	Work commenced Feb/March
			Completed late summer 2018
	Parking Regs	Cedar Close & others	Only Cedar Close approved
		Manorfields/Mounthill &	
Ongoing	Dog Fouling	Deanshanger Road end	Manitan aften additional signs in
Ongoing	Dog Fouling Litter	Continues on verges and Playing Field - better	Monitor after additional signs in place > ongoing (Newsletters)
Review	Post Office	Clerk had liaised support	Positive response awaits outcome
		with Bridge Stores re	with PO (negative) - Still No
		'return' of PO	progress despite shop expansion
		* Now Londris (supports)	Request for PO counter
Ongoing	St Guthlac's	Churchyard maintenance	Tree work completed - front
			Wall rebuild complete Maintenance is reviewed
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Ongoing	Balancing Pond	Safety issues	No response from Persimmons
	Blackhorse Dr		> SNC planners
	Hall Close	Old Canal issues	Awaits SNC advice