

**CROPTHORNE PARISH COUNCIL**

Clerk: Mr. R J Coles, 19 Butt Furlong, Fladbury, Pershore, WR10 2QZ

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29<sup>th</sup> December 2008

Notice is given of the Meeting of Cropthorne Parish Council at 7.30pm on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2009 at the Village School.

..... Clerk

**(Timing estimates only)**

**AGENDA**

**(7:30pm) 1. APOLOGIES**

**2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

**3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES** – for meeting of 1<sup>st</sup> December 2008.

**4. FLOODING – JULY 2007 - AFTERMATH**

- a) Ditches
- b) Highway surfaces
- c) Verges
- d) Other damages
- e) WDC grants of £1,050 to be considered.

**(7:50pm) 5. POLICING**

**6. CHARITIES**

**7. VILLAGE HALL**

**The meeting will be closed for a maximum of 10 minutes in order to allow parishioners to address councillors.**

**(8.10pm) 8. MATTERS ARISING**

- a) Neighbourhood Watch signage – The clerk will report.

**9. AFFORDABLE HOUSING**

The Parish Council will consider the issuing of a newsletter and the possibility of holding a public meeting as part of the next Parish Council meeting on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2009 with representation from WDC and Community First.

**(8:20pm) 10. LENGTHSMAN** – The clerk will report.

**11. COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S / DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORTS**

**(8:30pm) 12. PARISH PLAN** – Cllr Meikle will report.

**13. PLANNING**

- a) **W/08/02763/PP – Mr & Mrs P Marsh, Hillside, Neigh Lane – Construct double domestic garage and change of use from conservation orchard to domestic garden.** – A no objection response was filed and permission has been granted.
- b) **W/08/02919/PP – Mr Taylor, 3 Sunnyside, Main Rd – Two-storey extension.** – A no objection response was filed and decision is awaited.
- c) **W/08/02932/LB & W/08/02931/PP – Mr & Mrs W Zu Wied, Cropthorne House, Main St Replacement conservatory, addition of a garage and various alterations.** – A no objection response with some concerns over the gates/walls was filed and decision is awaited.
- d) **W/08/03066/LB – Mr T Hardy, Brook Farm House, Brook Lane Replacement windows to front elevation.** - A no objection response was filed and decision is awaited.

Plus any other information received after 29<sup>th</sup> December 2009.

**(8:40pm) 14. FINANCE/PRECEPTING**

a) Bank/Balance Schedules for 05/01/09 will be presented for acceptance.

b) Payments approved from above

			£
491	24	Lengthsman Oct/Nov	94.50
492	25	Clerk Sal/Int/All/Exp Dec	157.88

c) The Parish Council will consider the following information in setting the precept for 2009/10.

New 'General' Reserves	Resultant Free Balance	Return Period yrs	Precepts				
			09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14
£5000	£4500	1	£475	£5125	£5225	£5350	£5425
			-90%	979%	2%	2%	1%
£5000	£4500	2	£2725	£2875	£5225	£5350	£5425
			-44%	6%	82%	2%	1%
£5000	£4500	3	£3475	£3625	£3725	£5350	£5425
			-28%	4%	3%	44%	1%
£5000	£4500	4	£3850	£4000	£4100	£4225	£5425
			-21%	4%	3%	3%	28%

Plus any other information received after 29<sup>th</sup> December 2008.

**15. CORRESPONDENCE****20<sup>th</sup> December 2008**

1	WCC	WoW magazine Aut/Win 08
2	CPRE	Worcs Newsletter Nov 08
3	Whub	Kerbing damage
4	WDC	WMRSS Phase 2 consultations
5	WDC	WDC Xmas car parking VAT related reductions
6	CALC	Report to area committee Sep 08
7	WCC Eyre	CPC meeting report 25/11/08
8	Bus shelters	Littlethorpe of Leicester
9	CPRE	Fieldwork Dec 08
10	Whub	Middle Lane blocked drain
11	Comm 1 <sup>st</sup>	Community Planning in Worcs
12	Worcs Partn	Newsletter Aut 08
13	Police	Your Police Service 2009 & beyond
14	WDC	Sports Recognition awards 2008
15	WDC	Sports Development Newsletter Win 08
16	WDC	Artworks Aut 08/Win 09
17	Defra et al	Improving Local Leadership for flood risk management
18	PHS	Newsletter Dec 08

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**(8:50pm) 16. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION / DISCUSSION**

a) The Parish Council will discuss adoption and maintenance of a new Freedom of Information scheme from 01/01/09 recently circulated to councillors.

**(9:00pm) 17. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting of Crophorne Parish Council (Precepting) is on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2009 at the Village School. Any items for inclusion on the agenda and proposed corrections to the minutes must be with the Clerk by Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2008.