

**STOCK AND BRADLEY PARISH COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES OF THE EXTRA ORDINARY MEETING**  
**held via Zoom on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2021 at 19.30 hrs**

3428 Present: Councillors Mr M Hadley (Chairman), Cllr Mrs S Wallis (Vice-Chairman), Mrs P Warren, Mr P Langham, Mr M Bates, Mrs N Davies, Mr C Burdett.  
1 Member of the Public.  
Mr R Dean as Clerk.

3429 APOLOGIES:  
County Councillor Mr P Tomlinson, District Councillors Mrs A Steel, Mr D Wilkinson, PC Warren Edmunds, PCSO Aiden Goundry, these were accepted.

3430 DECLARATIONS OF A PECUNIARY OR OTHER DISCLOSABLE INTEREST:  
None

3431 WRITTEN REQUESTS FOR THE COUNCIL TO GRANT A DISPENSATION

3432 COMMUNITY LEGACY GRANT, APPLICATION FOR CHURCH KITCHEN / TOILET.  
The Chairman Cllr Mr M Hadley outlined the history, that the church is applying for a grant from WDC to install a toilet and a kitchen in the church and had passed the 1<sup>st</sup> stage of the application. However, Cllr M Hadley was concerned with the principles of the application as religious groups were excluded from the grant process and the Parish Council would have to complete the application for £15,000 on behalf of the church.

Prior to the council meeting, Cllr Mr M Hadley, Cllr Mr P Langham, and Mrs C Hart (representing the church) attended a zoom meeting organised by WDC to learn more of the application process and the future actions required to proceed with the application.

Mrs Hart explained that two years ago the church decided to install a kitchen and toilet as it was not used just as a place of worship but also a community centre. A management committee had been formed and started the planning process by employing an architect and going out to tender which resulted in an approximate estimate of £30,000. Fundraising has been organised and has already generated funds.

The discussion continued with all councillors having an input into the pros and cons of the application, when this concluded the Chair asked the Councillors to vote on whether the Parish Council should proceed with the application.

The result was a majority vote in favour of proceeding with the application.

Cllr Mr P Langham and Mrs Hart agreed to manage the application, starting with an article in the S&B Chronicle asking for community support, which was required and would contribute to the consultation document which needed to be submitted to WDC by 17<sup>th</sup> February, following this the completed application must be signed and submitted by 5<sup>th</sup> March.

3433 QUESTIONS OR STATEMENTS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC.  
There was an opportunity for the public to speak which is included in the discussion above in item 3432.

3434 To confirm the dates for 2021 SBPC meetings.  
Wednesday 10th March 2021

Wednesday 14th April 2021 – Annual Parish meeting  
Wednesday 12th May 2021 – Annual PC meeting  
Wednesday 14th July 2021  
Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2021 (agreed)  
Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2021

3435 DATE & TIME OF NEXT MEETING

The date of the next Ordinary Parish Council Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2021 at 7.30 this will be a Zoom meeting. The meeting closed at 20.17.

Signed: ..... Chairman

Date: 10<sup>th</sup> March 2021