



FINSTALL PARISH COUNCIL

Ref: 12/21 P.1238

MINUTES of the ORDINARY MEETING of FINSTALL PARISH COUNCIL held on Tuesday 7th December 2021 at 7.30 p.m. in the Village Hall

A ten minute period was set aside before the meeting commenced for Public Participation. No members of the public attended.

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Those present were:

Chairman Cllr Will Taylor, Cllr Christine Orr-Cooper, Cllr Hewer, Cllr W Molloy, Cllr M. Molloy, Cllr Rosemarie Ryan and Cllr Caroline Spencer.

Also in attendance:

Sarah Whittaker, the Clerk.

1. APOLOGIES

2. MINUTES REFERENCE 10/21 P.1234-1237

Minutes recording the meeting held on Tuesday 2nd November 2021 as circulated were taken as read, approved and signed.

Resolved. All members present, were in favour.

3. DECLARATION OF INTEREST:

There were no declarations of interest.

4. UPDATE FROM NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICE TEAM

No members of the neighbourhood police team were present.

5. PROGRESS REPORTS FOR INFORMATION

- a.) A road closure has been requested and approved by BDC.
- b.) noted.
- c.) Three separate quotes had been received from Playsafety UK. This was to replace the current grass matting. The current quotes would ensure that the area is in compliance with updated health and safety guidance. The second quote looked preferable as it ensured that all Health and Safety requirements

were met. The Chairman would like to meet with the supplier to discuss the groundworks required and a meeting on site.

The area would need to be fenced off whilst the work takes place so there may be some additional cost involved which could all be proposed

Proposed Cllr Orr- Cooper

Seconded Cllr W Molloy.

- d.) The Christmas tree had been delivered and was looking very festive thanks to the Chairman and Cllr M Molloy putting on the lights.
- e.) The Lengthsman had passed on an email outlining what had been done to clear the drains. The drains were much improved but there were concerns what the next leaf fall would bring and would remain an ongoing job for the lengthsman. Mrs Male had queried that she hadn't been paid for clearing the bus stops. The Clerk would check the last payment and ensure this was made up to date.

Resolved: All progress reports were noted.

6. CORRESPONDENCE.

e) The Rugby Club had responded and had outlined how they had contacted all residents on Finstall Road advising of the event. The Rugby Club had responded to all previous suggestions from the Parish Council in the past.

All other correspondence reports were noted.

7. PLANNING APPLICATIONS FOR CONSIDERATION

Planning Applications: None to date.

Planning Approvals: None to date

Planning Refusals: None to date

8 MEETING DATES

The proposed dates were approved.

9 FINANCE

a.) Receipts

Interest Money Manager Account	0.01
Bromsgrove District Council Precept	4120.00
Worcestershire County Council (Lengthsman)	364.50

£ 4484.51

- b.) It was proposed by Cllr Orr-Cooper and seconded by Cllr W Molloy to make the following payments:

S. Whittaker – October Salary	220.00
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Three Counties Payroll (DD)	14.04
S.Skeys October Invoice	270.00
S. Skeys November Invoice	249.75
Mrs Male	240.00
W. Molloy (Sweet for Carol Service)	21.36

£1015.15

C.) The bank reconciliation for October 2021 was noted

10. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Resolved: The next meeting will be an Ordinary Meeting of Finstall Parish Council to commence at 7.30pm on Tuesday 4th January 2022 in the Village Hall.

11. OTHER MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION ONLY -

Cllr N.Hewer noted that on the corner of Heydon Road by number 149 the hedge was starting to take over the pathway and residents may need to be written to request the hedge is trimmed.

Cllr Ryan queried the number of mince pies for the carol service, it was suggested that Councillors just bring one box each. Cllr Spencer agreed to bring Stollen instead.

The Princess Diana memorial garden has been damaged. The Chairman will request Ian at IDG to provide a quote for repair.

Cllr W Molloy queried the contact for the road closure for the light switch on. Cllr Spencer and the Clerk will pass on the contact details for Viv Baines at BDC.

There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting at 8:26pm.

Signed.....

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