

Wickhamford Parish Council

Minutes of the Meeting, 12th February 2008 No. 02/08

Clerk to the Council, Mike Smith, 12 Pitchers Hill, Wickhamford WR11 7RT

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Present M. Rogers Chairman, Councillors, D. Heeks, R. Gilks, K. Moore, Mike Smith Clerk.

Liz Eyre District & County Councillor.

PC Gail Greenhouse & CSO Phil Schoenrock.

Councillor D. Folkes (Late)

1. Apologies

None

2. Declarations of Interest

None

3. The meeting was adjourned for Progress Reports and also the Public Question Time, notes of which are appended to these minutes.

Progress Report

Councillor Liz Eyre has submitted all collected data, map and a report to Steve Jordan and also Severn Trent.

She also indicated that there may be a possibility to create a "Wetlands". There are monies that **may** be made available.

The weight restriction's meeting is still TBD.

The Honeybourne pipeline project has been delayed.

She also asked if there were still any Highways / Gulley issues she needs to be made aware of.

It was also stated that the speed limits on the A44 are under review.

PC Gail Greenhouse introduced our new CSO Phil Schoenrock to the meeting.

The latest crime figures were given for April thru December which is up on the same period last year.

The PACT Panel will be meeting in March at which Councillor's D. Heeks, R. Gilks or Mr. J. Newbury will attend on behalf of the village.

4. The Minutes of the meeting held on the 8th January were approved.

5. New and Ongoing Items.

- a) Liz Eyre still being chased for answers regarding the last Manor Road traffic survey.
- b) Still awaiting answers from Liz Eyre / WDC regarding road signs.
- c) Definitive colour map detailing boundary / footpaths has been located, Clerk to annotate copies with details if a request for copy(s) are received.
- d) Notice Board will be repaired before the next meeting.
- e) The WDC Litter Bursary for 2008 has been awarded to the Wickhamford W. I. through the Parish Council.
- f) The Flood Recovery Grant has been received and over the coming months decisions will be made to how best to utilise the monies.
- g) The affordable housing committee will spend the next 2-3 months in consultation with the various parties and will report back to the Parish Council with the results.
- h) The March meeting was confirmed as the 18th.
- i) The decision to award the grass cutting contract will be made at the March meeting.
- j) Whilst awaiting more information regarding the Lengthsman Scheme a decision to advertise the position via the Calc website was agreed.
- k) A selection of dates will be forwarded to Calc regarding the statutory QPS Audit.

6. Planning.

34 Drysdale Close, W/07/00871/PN, Development Control Committee 14th February.
 The Finnick, 48 Pitchers Hill, W/07/02537/CU, Approved.
 Wickhamford Manor, W/07/02588/LB, Approved.

7. Finance.

Balance sheets were made available for all Councillors.

Cheques signed for,

Printing & Distribution of December Newsletter.

Play Area materials.

Play Area rental.

Refreshments (Flood Surgery).

Hall rental for 2008.

8. Date of the next meeting confirmed as 18th March.

Meeting Closed 8.20pm.

Signed.....

Date.....

Chairman

Notes of the Public Question Time

Manor Road flooding.