

THE SHELSLEYS PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting held on 11th September at 7.00pm in the year 2012

Present: Mr C Roberts Chairman, D Styles, T Taylor, M Phillips, J Stinton.

In Attendance: The Clerk (Mrs J Speyer).

3.1 Apologies: A Champion, W Sutherland, W Ward, B Hart and Councillor Dr K Pollock.

3.3 Declaration of Interest: None.

3.4 Public Question Time: No questions.

3.5 Highways, Footpaths and Lengthsman: There was no Lengthsman's Report. Grit Bins and Winter Service. The Chairman and County Councillor had together inspected the proposed sites (rejected by WCC) for grit bins in the expectation that the decision will be reviewed as there is an inconsistency in policy. The Chairman will complete and submit the Winter Service Questionnaire. Parish Paths Warden. Councillor Sutherland has accepted the post, Clerk to inform WCC. B4203 at Cheltry Bend. It is understood that WCC is considering work on a non slip surface on this bend but not in the immediate future.

3.6 District and County Councillor's Report: No reports.

3.7 Hartlebury Incinerator: After discussion it was agreed that the Clerk will write to Hartlebury Parish Council supporting their efforts to stop the incinerator from being built.

3.8 Planning: South Worcestershire Development plan significant changes, no comments
Appeal decision on Southwood Farm, appeal dismissed
MHDC decision on 12/00910/LBC Church House. Approved.

3.9 Broadband and IT: WCC faster broadband initiative had been circulated widely. The use of the WCC website for The Shelsleys is considered adequate for informing local residents of Parish Council business. The Parish Council will appoint a councillor with an interest in IT to monitor future requirements. Deferred until the next meeting.

3.10 Clerk's report on urgent decisions. Urgent decision 12/01078/LBC Shelsley Walsh Hill Climb. Council recommended approval.

3.11 Progress Reports: Notice boards. The Pard House Lane notice board will be re-erected in a more suitable position.
School Bus Stop. It is understood that the bus will be requested to stop in its previous location in order that children will not have to walk along the main road.

3.12 Correspondence:
Festival Housing. Gambling Act Consultation, no comment. Malvern Hills Annual Review.

3.13 Finance: There were no invoices to be paid.
WCC Lengthsman remittance received £480.00
Bank Balance stands at £5877.64

3.14 CALC: Councillor Training, the Chairman suggested that the Clerk seeks details of CALC training which could be held in the Village Hall.

3.15 Councillors' Reports and items for future agenda.

3.16 Date of next Parish Council meeting: November 13th 2012 at 7pm in the Village Hall.
The meeting concluded at 7.35pm
Jan Speyer September 12th 2012

Signed by the
Chairman.....Date.....