

# OLD RADNOR COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Meeting of Old Radnor Community Council held Tuesday, 18th October, 2016 in Evenjobb Village Hall at 8.00 p.m.

**PRESENT:** Cllrs. T. Bell, (Chairman), H. Jones (Vice-Chairman), R. Burden, Mrs A. Goodwin, Mrs B. Gwatkin, E. Jones, K. Morgan, M. Jones, J. Stokes.

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Mrs T. Price, Clerk.

## **MIN 58/16 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Cllrs. Mrs. R. Jones, R. Jones.

## **MIN 59/16 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

*Personal Only: None*

*Personal and Prejudicial: None*

## **MIN 60/16 MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD 20TH SEPTEMBER 2016**

Resolved that the Minutes of the Meeting (as previously circulated) represented a true record of events. The Chairman then duly signed the Minutes.

## **MIN 61/16 INFORMATION FROM MINUTES**

- (1) Toposcope: The Clerk had asked Mr. Protheroe to carry out the renovation.
- (2) Quarry Liaison Meeting: The formal Minutes were still awaited.
- (3) Footpath, Right of way WL 1369: Cllr. Bell had spoken to Sian Barnes at the County Council who had confirmed that the consultation process would begin in due course.

## **MIN 62/16 FINANCE**

- (1) Payments: The following payments were agreed –
  - Royal British Legion (Wreath) £25.00
  - Midland New Association Ltd (third of total cost) £13.32  
(advert re adoption of amended Code of Conduct)
- (2) Letters of thanks from Old Radnor PCC, Evancoyd PCC and Evenjobb Village Hall: Noted.
- (3) Request for Donation: Marie Curie Nurses in Powys: Resolved to consider further when setting the budget for 2017/18.
- (4) Budget Update/Monitoring: The Clerk explained the current financial position. Members noted the need to increase reserves and this would be borne in mind when setting the budget for the coming year.

## **MIN 63/16 PLANNING**

- (1) Planning Applications: None.
- (2) Planning Application Decisions: The following decisions were noted -
  - Ffoesidoes Farm, Cascob: Application Withdrawn
  - Meadow View, Evenjobb: Application Refused and appeal submitted.
- (3) Local Development Plan: Consultation on Focussed Changes: Deferred to the November Meeting to allow time for Members to further consider the information.

(4) Notice of Appeal to Planning Inspectorate, Meadow View, Evenjobb: Noted. No further comment.

#### **MIN 64/16 CORRESPONDENCE**

- (1) Public Rights of Way in the Old Radnor Community Council Area Update: See under Matters Outstanding.
- (2) Defibrillators Grant Application: The Clerk reported that the grant application had been prepared and was ready to go once an electrician could be found to quote for fitting and installation of the heated boxes.
- (3) 2018 Review of Parliamentary Constituencies in Wales: Members noted the increase in size for the proposed new Brecon and Radnor (and Montgomery) constituency. Resolved no comment be made.
- (4) Community and Economic Development Survey: Cllr. Bell agreed to complete the survey.
- (5) Speeding along A44: The Clerk read the reply from the County Council which stated that no action was needed and that a meeting was not necessary. The Police and Crime Commissioner had asked an Inspector to contact the Council but no contact had been made as yet. The Clerk was also asked to report the height of one of the signs at the junction of the Presteigne/Walton road with the A44 which obscured visibility for drivers of HGVs and tractors.
- (6) Cleaning and painting of Old Radnor Telephone Kiosk: The cleaning had been carried out and a re-paint was agreed and planned for the summer of 2017.
- (7) Letter from Chris Davies MP re Type 1 Diabetes: Noted.
- (8) Impact of intensive poultry farming on aquatic ecosystems, Invitation to Public Meeting 29th October: Noted.
- (9) One Voice Wales Brecon and Radnor Area Committee Meeting 7th October: Noted.
- (10) Statement on Future Structure of Local Government: Welsh Government: Noted. The Clerk was asked to add Councillor training for consideration when setting the budget for 2017/18.
- (11) Independent Remuneration Panel for Wales: Draft Annual Report: Noted. Again the Clerk was asked to add remuneration of Councillors for consideration when setting the budget for 2017/18.
- (12) Removal of BT Payphones Consultation: Payphones at Burlingjobb, Old Radnor, Walton: It was noted that the kiosk listed at Old Radnor was actually at Yardo. Members agreed to consider the possibility of adopting any of the kiosks and the matter would be considered again in November.
- (13) Mid and West Wales Fire Authority Consultation: Resolved no comment be made.

#### **MIN 65/16 DATE AND VENUE OF NEXT MEETING**

15th November 2016 at Kinnerton Village Hall.

The meeting closed at 8.45 p.m.