

BLEADON PARISH COUNCIL

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Prior to the meeting commencing Mr White of Celtic Way asked the Parish Clerk a number of questions mainly in respect to the cleansing costs of the public toilets. He also volunteered to clean them free of any charges until such time that the Village Ranger was in a position to commence the work himself. It was explained that as far as the Parish Clerk was concerned he was waiting to receive confirmation as to his proposed start date.

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting of Bleadon Parish Council, held in the Coronation Hall Coronation Road Bleadon on Monday 10th November 2014, commencing at 7.30 pm when the following business was transacted:

PRESENT Councillors Mrs P J Skelley (Chairman) together with Councillors Mesdames I D Clarke and M Sheppard Messrs R House C Morris M Orme K Pyke together with the Parish Clerk Mr B Poole.

In addition there were four members of the public in attendance together with District Councillor Terry Porter and a reported from the Weston Mercury.

268.1 To receive any apologies for non attendance

None

268.2 To receive any declarations of interest

None

268.3 To receive and approve the Minutes of Meeting of Bleadon Parish Council that was held on Monday 13th October 2014.

Resolved that the Minutes of Bleadon Parish Council held on Monday 13th October 2014 that had been previously circulated should be held over to the next meeting so as the following comment by the Rev S Hartree could be reviewed by the Parish Clerk at a more convenient moment than at the Parish Council Meeting.

It was commented on by Rev S Hartree that in his view the Minutes should be a matter of historic fact and as such should therefore be grammatically correct by using the past tense. The Parish Clerk readily agreed and asked where in fact that was not the case in the October Minutes.

Note that as the clerk was not able to readily see where the problem lay at the time of writing these minutes he proposed that expected outcome would be clarified at the next meeting of the Parish Council

268.4 Past Subject Matters - For the purpose of report only

(1) Matters raised by Members of the Public

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None

- (2) The Churchyard – Tree Stumps 267.8.2b
This work had been completed and the invoice for payment had been placed for payment.
- (3) Coronation Road Car Park Boundary Wall 267.4.5
Despite making contact with other builders further costings had not been received
- (4) Defibrillator 267.4.6
A verbal report was given to the meeting which was followed by a lengthy discussion as to what was and what was not the understanding regarding an invitation to a member of Hutton Parish Council to speak on the subject at a meeting of Bleadon Parish Council.
- (5) Allotment Letters 267.8.2a
I was reported that the requested letters had been duly dispatched and responses received which were reported on verbally
- (6) Yellow Lines 267.8.2d
The requested letter had been sent to North Somerset in respect to this matter and as yet a reply had not been forthcoming
- (7) Delivery Van – Parking Catherines' Inn 267.8.2d
The beat officers and the licensee had been advised of the parish council's concerns

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Resolutions

- (1) **To resolve to elect Mr Ian Gibson as a Parish Councillor to fill the casual vacancy due to the resignation of Mr Ian Findlay**
Resolved that Mr Ian Gibson be elected to fill the casual vacancy
Carried with three abstentions namely Councillors Clarke Hartree & Sheppard.
Councillor Ian Gibson duly undertook the Declaration of Interest which he subsequently signed and then took his seat in the council after being welcomed by the Chairman and Parish Clerk.
- (2) **To resolve to Replace the Veale/Shiplate bench within the current year**
Resolved to take the said action
- (3) **To resolve to accept one of the submitted quotations in respect to remedial repairs required to the Coronation Road Car Park Boundary Wall**
Members were advised that despite requesting additional quotations none had been forthcoming other than that received from Mr John Churchill
Resolved that the quotation received from Mr John Churchill be accepted (unanimously) in the sum of £2,870
- (4) **To resolve to grant a licence to Mr Stephen Bird-Kellogg to place a catering van in the Coronation Road Car Park and to operate a Tx-Mx food outlet**
Resolution was subsequently withdrawn
- (5) **To resolve to note the receipt of a Schedule of Main Modifications to Somerset county Council's Minerals & Waste Plan (SMP)**
Noted

268.6**Finance & Personnel Committee Report****(1) To approve the following items of expenditure for the month**

(104)	North Somerset	Dog Bin Emptying	32.00	6.40
(105)	BT	Broadband Services	38.00	3.00
(106)	Road & Traffic Services	White & yellow Lining – Car Park	1056.00	
(107)	Staff	Salaries & Expenses – Oct 14	1288.91	
(108)	Came & Company	Insurance Premium Increase	70.60	
(109)	Mr S Capel	Public Toilet Cleansing	216.00	
(110)	Bust a Stump	Removal of Tree Stumps in Churchyard	800.00	
(111)	SSE	Lighting – Public Toilets	14.99	.74
(112)	Peartree Crop Care	Purchase and supply of 2 no. Angle Iron	20.00	4.00

Resolved that the invoices as presented be paid.

268.7**Planning Committee Report****(1) To receive the Minutes of the Planning Committee held on the 13th October 2014 and to note the decisions thereto:-**

Received

268.8**Open Spaces Committee Report****(1) To receive the Minutes of the Open Spaces Committee Meeting held on Monday 13th October 2014 and to note the decisions thereto:**

Received

(2) To receive reports from the following brief holders**(a) Allotments**

Nothing to report

(b) Churchyard

A request was made that one of the Church Lights be re-positioned in order that it might totally shine on the Tower

(c) Footpaths & Bridleways**(d) Roads & Transport****(e) Children's Playground**

Nothing to tangibly report upon

(f) Newsletter

It was noted that the Winter edition was due out in two weeks hence

(g) Website

It was noted that several alternative approaches were currently being considered.

(h) Neighbourhood Watch & Community Safety**268.9****Reports****(1) Coronation Hall**

It was noted that the annual Christmas Fayre was to take place on the 6th December. It was also reported that the rental income was slightly down on previous years.

(2) Youth Club

It was noted that the AGM had been held in the past month at which the Parish Council Chairman had been in attendance

(3) ALCA

Any relevant correspondence would be located in the circulation pack

(4) District Councillors

Councillor Terry Porter gave his usual monthly update including what action he had undertaken to date with respect to planning application 14/2304

(5) Village Beat Officer

(6) Review of Policing Priorities

No reports

(7) Chairman

It was indicated that both she and Councillor C Morris were attending the forthcoming SLCC South West Regional Conference that was being held in Taunton

(8) The Clerk

He confirmed that he would also be attending the SLCC South West Regional Conference. Lastly he reminded members and committee chairmen that they should seriously be thinking as to what expenditure they were anticipating in the next financial period.

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Correspondence

(1)	Clerks & Councils	Direct – November 2014 Issue 96	C
(2)	North Somerset	Starting School	C
(3)	NALC	DIS <i>Extra</i> – Issue 845 17/10/14	E
(4)	NALC	DIS <i>Extra</i> – Issue 846 31/10/14	E
		DIS <i>Extra</i> Funding Bulletin	E

Additional items received after circulation of the agenda for information purposes

(5)	CPRE	Field Work – Winter 2014	C
		Countryside Voice Winter 2014	C
(5)	Police	Report from 13/10/14	C
(6)	Mr Gilliveray	Allotment	C
(7)	SLCC	The Clerk – November 2014 – Vol 45 No 6	C

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Other Business referred to the Clerk

None

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Date of next Meeting – 8th December 2014