

BARWELL PARISH COUNCIL
PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
07 APRIL 2016, AT 7.00 PM.

HELD AT THE COUNCIL OFFICE, HIGH STREET, BARWELL.

Present: Cllr Mr B Granger (Chairman),
Cllr's Mr A Baines, Mrs T Bannister, Mr J Buck, Mr M Gould, Mrs A Jones,
Mrs H Smith & Mr H Williams

Clerk: Mr A Ellis
County Councillor Mrs R Camamile

152. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies received and accepted from:-

Cllr Mr R Roberts – Borough Council Commitment
Cllr Mr D Davies – Work
Cllr Mrs C Green – Family Matter
Cllr Ms S Smith - Illness

153. DECLARATION AND DISPENSATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS

No declaration were declared at this stage.

154. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

155. COUNTY COUNCILLORS REPORT

County Cllr Mrs J Richards had given her apologies. Cllr Mrs R Camamile updated members on the budget, the newly formed combined authority and a new campaign called Children and Families Cease. She added that LCC were offering free road closures for communities organising events for the Queens 90th Birthday. She agreed to investigate the ongoing problem of the waste recycling centre being broken into

156. BOROUGH COUNCILLORS REPORT

Cllr Mrs H Smith informed Members on recent antisocial issues on Bardon Road and that the bus service will be back on Elwell Avenue.

Cllr Mr H Williams informed members on the brown bin collection service had received a good response and that shop space on the Crescent was steadily filling up.

157. MINUTES

- a. RESOLVED that the Minutes of the meeting held on the 3rd March 2016 be approved
- b. RESOLVED that the Minutes of the meeting held on the 17th March 2016 be approved

158. REPORTS FROM MEMBERS

- a. Planning & Highways – Cllr Mr B Granger informed on recent planning decisions including St Christophers being boarded up, a gypsy traveller site application and an update on the East Green DMMO
- b. Finance and General Purpose – Cllr Mt H Williams informed members on the progression of the office lease, grant applications and that the new website was up and running.
- c. Cemetery & Parks - Cllr Mr B Granger updated members on current park matters including summer working hours, cemetery signs, hanging baskets and the chipper
- d. Staffing Committee – no update given
- e. Events – Cllr Mr B Granger informed members on replacing the new Christmas lights, brass on the grass and the Queens 90th Birthday event

159. CLERKS REPORT

The Clerk informed Members on a councillor training dates and new legislation on the control of horses.

160. JUBILEE HALL TRANSFER UPDATE

Cllr Mr H Williams informed members that HBBC will be making a decision on the 20th April.

161. BARWELL TOILETS TRANSFER

The Chairman updated members on the successful handover of the public toilets. It was RESOLVED to delegate responsibility to the clerk to register the transfer with land registry

162. COMMITTEE MINUTES

Members noted the following committee minutes

- a. Planning Committee – 22nd February 2016
- b. Planning Committee – 7th March 2016
- c. Finance and General Purpose Committee – 8th February 2016

163. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Thursday 5th May 2016 (Annual Meeting)

(The meeting closed at 8.02pm.)

Chairman’s Signature.....