

EASTON PARISH COUNCIL

A Parish Council meeting was advertised and held in St Peter's Church, Easton on 27th September 2018.

Apologies: none. All members present, i.e. chair: M Baker, MBE, Richard Burton, Stephen Thomason, Philip Trussell and Clive Wood

Declaration of financial or personal interest: to receive members' declarations as to personal and/or prejudicial interests and the nature of those interests in relation to any agenda item. None received

Minutes: the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 2nd August 2018, were read and signed as correct.

Matters arising:

17/01227/FUK (16/00211/ENCOM) Barn & Stable development, Stonely Road
In reply to request for update for this the Development Management Team Leader (Planning Enforcement) had advised no change. The clerk was instructed to write expressing disappointment and frustration at the length of time this is taking and to ask by which date the Development Team have asked for and expect to receive any information from the owners or their agents.

HDC investigation – anti social behaviour - dogs. No further information

Byways & Footpaths: Mr Thomason reported Hartham Street is again extremely badly rutted and almost impassable. He had reported this to CCC again.

Footpath to Spaldwick 209/13: reported to CCC again as path still unmarked

Bus Shelter: Charles Nixon is to carry out this work

Defibrillator: ordered and delivered. The clerk had taken it to Alasdair Graham to arrange installation and training. The insurance company to be advised of addition to policy.

Playing Field – Goosey Close - Wicksteed Leisure Ltd had carried out the unaccompanied inspection of the equipment. The report received advised that the overall condition as generally satisfactory. Comments on the report noted: additional information be provided to the sign on the gate, field although fenced would not stop animals from getting into the field and also recommended a survey of the trees around the edge of the field. The Parish Council had already had a tree survey carried out 2016

Mr Burton said he would check the condition of the rail on the climbing frame and the hedge around the field required trimming. He quoted £30 for this.

Village Roads: reports had been received that HGVs are missing the turn into RD Williams Ltd for their overnight parking resulting in having to try to turn around when the village roads are completely unsuitable. The clerk offered to speak to RD Williams to suggest better signage.

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Stonely Road: the clerk was instructed to report the extremely bad condition of the road to Jo Challis the District Highway Manager at CCC and request immediate repairs to be carried out.

Church Parking area: Mr Baker to obtain a breakdown of the costings for this

Accounts year end 31/03/2019: the clerk presented draft receipts and expenditure account to 27/09/2018 with £10,718.51 current balance at bank. Estimated expenditure for the next six months is approximately £5,600 excluding VAT if the parking area work is carried out.

Accounts payable:

Four Seasons – verge cutting July/August	£400.00
Wicksteed Leisure Ltd – Goosey Close playing field equipment inspection	£54.00
CAPALC GDPR fee	£25.00
clerk's expenses	£66.67

Correspondence

Cambridgeshire County Council – Traffic Management Officer
IHMC report for August - details

Forthcoming highway events being held

A14 Cambridge to Huntingdon improvement scheme – communications manager
A14 closures

Notification of consideration to reclassify A14 between Girton and Ellington as motorway. Also extend motorway status to include A1 Brampton to Alconbury to create unbroken motorway link between London and Peterborough.

Cambridgeshire County Council and Peterborough City Council Joint Minerals & Waste Planning Team - new Joint Minerals and Waste Local Plan being written.

CAPALC GDPR Membership summary
Training courses
AGM 11/10/18

Statutory Regulations

NALC - Code of Conduct – editable document still awaited

Cambridgeshire Constabulary - Rural Crime Action Team

request for list of places of worship in the area to share with Cambridgeshire Constabulary for the purpose of crime prevention. Currently no complete list is held. Forwarded to PCC

HMRC - letter advising VAT returns may now be submitted online.

Matters for next meeting: parking at Church
Goosey Close hedge cutting
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Date and time of next meeting: 22nd November 2018

Meeting closed: 9.15pm

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