# Heath Hayes & Wimblebury Parish Council

# Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting Held on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2022 Commencing at 7.30pm At Hayes Green Community Centre

Present:

Cllrs M Buttery (Chairman), J Ashford, J Aston, J Bernard, L Bullock, A Fitzgerald, P Haden, P Hewitt, S Thompson, P Theodorou, L Wilson.

In Attendance:

Parish Clerk:

Mrs L Bowman

Members of Public:

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01/22/163.0 Apologies

Apologies received from Cllr P Dadge and Cllr D Todd.

01/22/164.0 To Approve the Minutes of the meetings held on the 8th December 2021

The minutes of the meeting held on the 8th December 2021 were approved as a true record.

Proposed: Cllr L Wilson Seconded: Cllr J Aston

01/22/165.0 Declarations of Interest Personal and Pecuniary

Cllr A Fitzgerald, \$ Thompson and L Wilson -

**Planning** 

Cllr M Buttery

Substitute Planning

Cllr P Hewitt

Welcome Back Fund

## 01/22/166.0 Public Participation

None.

## 01/22/167.0 Chairman's Announcements & County Council's update

The Chairman wished everybody a Happy New Year and thanked all Councillors that had helped with the Christmas/Lantern Parade.

County Councillor Hewitt enquired into whether Council would like an update on the availability of doctor's appointments, information on the concept of how the system works. Council agreed that an update would be beneficial.

#### 01/22/168.0 Clerks Report

Council noted the Clerks Report & Correspondence.

- Bike Rakes had been ordered and should be delivered on or before the 8<sup>th</sup> February 2022, email received 04/01/22, the bike racks would be delayed, expected delivery date 16<sup>th</sup> March 2022.
- The drains on John Street had been cleared.

- The Chairman had awarded a Glass Plaque to the winners of the best dressed window competition the runners up were awarded a tub of chocolates.
  - 1st Salon 194
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Chocolate Treasures
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Chasewater Dogs

Thanks were expressed to Cllr J Preece, Chairman of Norton Canes Parish Council for kindly judging the competition.

- Letter of thanks had been sent to St John's Church and hand delivered by the Chairman for their support during 2021.
- Letter sent to acknowledge the complaint regarding Wimblebury Remembrance.
- Waste carrier license had been applied for.
- The following streets had been requested to go on the next road sweeping schedule.
   John Street, Kent Place, Melbourne Road, Bank Street.

## 01/22/169.0 Police Report

Council noted the Police Report.

1st December - 31st December 2021

#### ASB Personal Nuisance

- 01/12/2021 Neighbour dispute over parking Hawthorne Road
- 09/12/2021 Neighbour dispute Melbourne Road
- 09/12/2021 Car being blocked in and refusing to move Cannock Road
- 14/12/2021 Neighbour dispute Horseshoe drive
- 18/12/2021 Long standing neighbour dispute Hawthorne Road
- 19/12/2021 Long standing neighbour dispute Cannock Road
- 23/12/2021 Neighbour dispute Brooklyn Road
- 24/12/2021 3 teenagers unsupervised banging around the property Pheasant way
- 27/12/2021 Long standing neighbour dispute Hawthorne Road
- 30/12/2021 Long standing neighbour dispute Hawthorne Road
- 31/12/2021 Neighbour disputes, reports had been made previously about noise John Street

The Parish had been receiving a lot of neighbour disputes this would be addressed at the next County Council meeting with the Police Commissioner.

#### Transport Related Issues

• 29/12/2021 - Motorbike with no VRM riding around - Vivaldi Drive

#### Vehicle Crime

- 01/12/2021 Vehicle stolen Brisbane way
- 06/12/2021 Car broken into Cannock Road
- 12/12/2021 Number plates stolen from vehicle Meadow way
- 12/12/2021 Van stolen Lyndhurst Road
- 19/12/2021 Vehicle stolen Peregrine way
- 21/12/2021 Vehicle stolen Hobart Road

#### 01/22/170.0 Income & Payments

Council noted the payments since the last report that had been authorised by the audit and governance committee and monthly finance report.

Clerk: Mrs L Bowman

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| Date Payee          |                             | TOTAL      |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| 15/12/2021          | EE                          | £20.40     |
| 22/12/2021          | Cannock Chase Drum Corps    | £150.00    |
| 22/12/2021 ES Print |                             | £84.00     |
| 22/12/2021          | Stafford Borough Council    | £315.00    |
| 22/12/2021          | Turnock                     | £8,266.80  |
| 22/12/2021          | Administration Expense      | £6,711.18  |
| 23/12/2021          | Norton Canes Parish Council | -£2,310.70 |
| 29/12/2021          | Hednesford Town Council     | -£4,405.70 |
|                     |                             | £8,830.98  |

01/22/170.1 Council noted the Bank Reconciliation.

| Reserves Brought Forward 31st March 2021 | £28,411.49  |
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| Income                                   | £121,003.17 |
| Payments                                 | £73,977.75  |
| Balance 29 <sup>th</sup> December 2021   | £75,436.91  |

# 01/22/171.0 Planning Committee

Council noted the Planning Decisions authorised by Cannock Chase Council.

| Application<br>Number                              | Date       | Location                               | Description   | Comments                           |
|--|------------|--|---|------------------------------------|
| CH/21/0380<br>10/21/108.1<br>REFUSED<br>21/12/2021 | 10/09/2021 | 151<br>Hednesford<br>Road,<br>WS12 3HN | Proposal for No.1 Maisonette Style<br>Studio to the rear of an Existing Post<br>Office. Access to the Post Office to be<br>retained | Object over intensive development. |
| CH/21/0415<br>11/21/131.0<br>GRANTED<br>02/12/2021 | 07/10/2021 | 24<br>Peterborough<br>Drive, WS12 3YN  | Single storey rear and side extension providing extended kitchen / dining space   | No objection                       |

Council noted the Planning Applications authorised by the Planning Committee.

| Application<br>Number | Date     | Location                       | Description   | Comments     |
|-----------------------|----------|--------------------------------|---|--------------|
| CH/21/0462            | 01/12/21 | 6 Amber<br>Grove,<br>WS11 7FS  | Application under Section 73 of the Town & Country Planning Act 1990 to develop the land not in accordance with Condition No. 4 (approved plans) of planning permission CH/21/0071, but in vary the plans to increase the size of the ground floor extension. | No objection |
| CH/21/0463            | 01/12/21 | 344 Hill Street,<br>WS12 2DP   | Prior Notification: Proposed single storey rear extension measuring 4m in depth and 3m in height.   | No objection |
| CH/21/0440            | 07/12/21 | 33 Ansty<br>Drive,<br>WS12 3TZ | First floor extension above existing ground floor single storey extension to front, along with the installation of render to existing house and proposed extension and new garden wall (Resubmission of approved application Ref No. CH/21/0290).             | No objection |

01/22/172.0 Open Spaces & Sustainability Committee Meeting

Council approved the minutes from the Open Spaces Committee Meeting on Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> December 2021. Council expressed thanks to the Handyman/gardener for his hard work.

Proposed: Cllr J Bernard Seconded: Cllr J Aston

01/22/173.0 Parish Council Cyber Insurance

Council to decide on Cyber Plus Insurance, Cllr P Theodorou recommended that the Council had a cyber insurance policy, he considered it would benefit the Council greatly in the event of any cybercrime. The insurance would cover the liability costs, defence costs, safeguarding options, the policy included GDPR training. To be eligible for the cyber insurance policy a commercial grade firewall would be required. Cllr Theodorou would ensure all steps would be in place before for the policy commenced. The clerk to ask for a quote to enter into a 3-year term.

Resolved: To purchase Cyber Insurance, as an annual policy.

01/22/174.0 Update on the Flaggin Lamb

CCDC had carried out an inspection at the premises. The condition of the building was no worse than on the previous inspection in Nov 2020 and agree that the condition of the building was not of an imminent danger. However, CCDC had agreed that they would maintain a "watching brief" on the premises to consider the condition for the time being. The Clerk to contact the owner and enquire into the future plans of the building.

01/22/175.0 Welcome Back Fund

Council was updated on funds spent to date and decided to spend the remaining funds on plants to go inside the planters ordered through the fund and some jubilee mugs to distribute during the jubilee celebrations.

01/22/176.0 Items for Information or Future Agendas

Lighting directly outside of the Hayes Green community centre.

01/22/177.0 Date of Next Meeting - Council Meeting Wednesday, 2nd February 2021 at 7.30pm

Signed

Dated