

*Minutes of the meeting of Wootton (Abingdon) Parish Council
held on 5th March 2019 at 7:30pm at the Wootton and Dry Sandford Community Centre.*

Present:

Councillors Ludlow (Chair), Bristow, Brockliss, Langley, Manning, Raynor, Shaw, Werrell, Westell and White and County Cllr Bob Johnston.

1 Public Participation

a) District/County Councillor Reports Councillor Bob Johnston:

- The increase in Council Tax has been set at 2.99%.
- OCC are looking at the Transport Policy with a view to implementing a Congestion Charge which would provide a source of income over which the government has no control.
- The Vale of White Horse DC are increasing the Council Tax by the maximum allowed of £5. The New Homes Bonus which they had received is running out so there will be a shortfall in the budget.

b) Mr & Mrs Trice of Youlbury Cottage made representation about the planning proposal P19/V0404/HH. It was resolved that the Planning Committee would discuss this at the end of the meeting.

2 Apologies for Absence

- None

3 Declaration of Personal or Personal and Prejudicial Interests

- None

4 Minutes of the Meeting of 5th February 2019

a) Approved and signed

5 Matters Arising

a) Community Centre

- The Pre-School requests for the Parish Council's input relating to their request to the Community Centre Board to extend the fence was considered. It was RESOLVED that Cllr Brockliss would communicate to the Community Centre Board that the matter has been brought to the attention of the Parish Council and that the Parish Council could see no objection to the request.

b) Hedges and Footpaths

- None

c) Highways

- It was RESOLVED that the Clerk is to approach Frankums to discuss arranging a CAD drawing for the Bus Turning Circle.
- It was RESOLVED that the Clerk would escalate the issue with the potholes outside the Church.

d) Playgrounds

- Redlynch are chasing up the necessary parts
- It was RESOLVED to convey our huge thanks for Alex Parker's hard work to the Community including her involvement in the redevelopment of the Community Centre and the Community Park.

e) Neighbourhood Plan

- A date is to be fixed with the Inspector. The Neighbourhood Plan plays an important role in controlling development.

f) VoWHDC Local Plan

- No update.

6 Finance

a) Payments made between meetings

- None

b) Payments Awaiting Authorisation

Chq no	Inv Amt	Payee	Details
102301	-£ 814.33	W Quigley	Clerk's Salary
102302	-£ 102.00	OALC	Training Course
102303	-£ 526.04	OALC	OALC Subscription
102304	-£ 100.00	W Quigley	Expenses

c) Grant Applications

- It was RESOLVED to invite the Youth Leader of the Youth Group to give a written report or to make a representation at the next Parish Council Meeting.
- It was RESOLVED to request a report from the PCC.
- It was RESOLVED to pay the following grants:

Pre-School	300.00
South and Vale Carers	200.00
South and Vale Citizens Advice	600.00
Oxford Association for the Blind	100.00
Junior Citizen's Trust	50.00

7 Communication Received

- The file was circulated

8 Councillors' Reports and Items for Future Agendas

- It was RESOLVED to communicate to the Parish Council Group meeting to discuss the Oxford Cambridge Expressway our interest in joint discussions and send apologies for the forthcoming meeting.
- The litter problem on Fox Lane was noted but believed to be in hand.

9 Development Matters

a) Applications received from the District Council for consultation and consideration by the Planning Group.

Date Registered	Reference	Location	Description	Comments/Decision
12-Feb-19	P19/V0390/HH	7 Candy Way Wootton Abingdon OX13 6LF	Demolition of existing entrance porch and erection of new porch. Erection of a two-storey extension to south-west flank (encompassing the existing garage). Erection of a single-storey extension to the rear of the dwelling. Alterations to the fenestration, including the addition of a window to the south-west elevation and a sun tunnel to the rear elevation.	No Objections
15-Feb-19	P19/V0404/HH	Gardeners Cottage White Barn Boars Hill Oxford OX1 5HH	Retrospective application for the erection of a detached 2-bay garage	Whilst no objections were found concerns were raised about the over development of the site which appears un-neighbourly.

18-Feb-19 [P19/V0427/DIS](#) New Haven Old Boars Hill Oxford OX1 5JJ Discharge on condition 5- tree protection on application P18/V1457/FUL. Demolition of existing bungalow; erection of a replacement dwelling including additional volume as P17/V2392/HH and P18/V0349/PDH **No Objections**

b) Decisions of the Local Planning Authority

Date Registered	Reference	Location	Description	Comments/Decision
06-Dec-18	P18/V2999/HH	13 Mathews Way Wootton Abingdon OX13 6JX	Two storey side and single storey front extensions.	Planning Permission
07-Dec-18	P18/V3007/HH	Mrs Margaret Rose, 153 Whitecross Wootton Abingdon OX13 6BP	Demolish existing conservatory, erect rear extension and re-roof whole dwelling to create additional living accommodation.	Planning Permission
02-Jan-19	P19/V0026/FUL	New Haven Old Boars Hill Oxford OX1 5JJ	Variation of condition 2 (approved Plans) of application P18/V1457/FUL Demolition of existing bungalow; erection of a replacement dwelling including additional volume as P17/V2392/HH and P18/V0349/PDH	Planning Permission

10 Future Meetings

- To confirm that the next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on 2nd April 2019 at 7:30pm at the Wootton and Dry Sandford Community Centre.

Chairman.....

Date.....