

MINUTES OF THE DENSTONE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 6 NOVEMBER IN THE VILLAGE HALL MEETING ROOM

Attendees Cllr C Vernon, Cllr J Payne, Cllr S Smith, Cllr R Wright, Cllr E Edmunds, Cllr J Bednall, Cllr B Hinton. Borough Cllr C Smith. 3 members of the public attended. Apologies received Cllr S Ratcliffe (work)

1. **MINUTES:** of the meeting held 4 October were approved and signed
2. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:** None
3. **MATTERS ARISING/CLERK'S REPORT:**
 - a. Setting the Precept/Clerk Training. Noted
4. **ADJOURNMENT FOR PUBLIC CONSULTATION:** *A summary of the items raised is shown at the end of the minutes.*
5. **PLANNING:** [permitted & Refused are decisions by ESBC]
 - a. P/2012/01079 Display of non illuminated double sided free standing sign: Junction of B5031 & B 5032, Denstone Lane, Denstone: **Permitted**
 - b. P/2012/01035 Relocation of manege, use of part of site for car & lorry parking, demolition of office and conversion of outbuilding to form offices: Little Park Farm, Alton Rod, Denstone. **Permitted**
 - c. P/2012/01120 Erection of a detached bungalow: land at Poppyfields, Denstone
 - d. P/2012/01065 outline application to develop land by the erection of a dwelling including details of access: land off Marlpit Lane, Denstone. **Permitted**
 - e. P/2012/01323 Erection of 2 storey & part single storey rear extensions: Hill View, Hollington Road, Rocester. No objections raised
 - f. P/2012/01028 JCB Erection of a loading tower: Plumpton Test Site, Quixhill Lane, Prestwood. No objections raised (request for tree planting made)
6. Thanks were given to Cllr J Richardson for her dedicated contribution to Parish Council as Chair.
7. **To report on the signs for the Dog control area** – ongoing
8. **Hedges on Narrow Lane** – discharged
9. **To report on new uses for Telephone Box.** Ongoing
10. **Emergency Plan for the village.** A request for help will be placed in the Weaver Message. Ongoing
11. **To consider garage at Mount Pleasant:** Representations to be made to the planning office with reference to the plans previously unseen and what has been built
12. **Website performance and activity:** activity has dropped, believed to be due to seasonal changes.
13. **Village Walk leaflet:** Now completed and will be available in the shop & pub.

- 14. **Parish lawn Mower:** ongoing and a budget was decided for the purchase of a mower or servicing of one if donated.
- 15. **Footpath from Marlpit Lane to the Weavers:** Ongoing.
- 16. **Sales of Jubilee mugs:** Mugs will be on sale in the village shop and Christmas Light switch on. Ongoing
- 17. **To consider the doors of the electricity sub station:** Ongoing
- 18. **To consider access on Muddy Lane:** Ongoing
- 19. **Highway Issues**
 - a. Traffic management in the village. Chris Mitchell. Ongoing.
 - b. Lane between B5032 & B5030 at the top of Quixhill. Resolved.
- 20. **Neighbourhood Working**
 - a. Neighbourhood Forum. Noted
- 21. **CORRESPONDENCE:** all items circulated with agenda and noted.
- 22. **CORRESPONDENCE ON THE TABLE TO NOTE:** All noted
- 23. **FINANCE/PAYMENTS:** All payments were agreed.
- 24. **ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDA:** to discuss lighting of JCB car park & tree planting in the vicinity. Light on Main Road that is permanently on due to ivy overgrowing. To discuss letter to Narrow Lane residents. Christmas Tree donation. War Memorial chase up. Denstone Show 2013 dates to be confirmed
- 25. **DATES OF NEXT MEETING:** 4 December & 8 January 2013

The meeting closed at.....21.21

ITEMS RAISED DURING THE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PERIOD: None