

CURBRIDGE AND LEW PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting

Virtual meeting using Zoom software, Monday 11th January 2021, 6pm.

PRESENT: Cllrs. Glenn Gannon (Chair), John Courtney, Angela Boddington, Mark Wilson, Tony Wilson, Patrick Foley.

IN ATTENDANCE: Two members of the public, Howard Higgins (Clerk & RFO), Ted Fenton (County Cllr.), Ben Woodruff (District Cllr.).

76. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

None received.

77. DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS BY MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

None.

78. MINUTES

RESOLVED: that the minutes of the meeting held on 14th December 2020, which had previously been circulated, be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

79. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES NOT ON THE AGENDA

Clerk confirmed funds received from the County Councillor Priority Fund. This is for fencing to enclose the play area and an electronic speed sign at Lew (both now on order).

80. COUNTY AND DISTRICT COUNCIL MATTERS

Ted provided an update County Councillors matters with the focus being on COVID-19. Residents are asked to keep alert, especially in respect of vaccination scams. Libraries are open for a click and collect service.

Ben provided an update on District Council matters and similarly the focus is on COVID-19. There is testing facility at Woodford Way (booking required).

81. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

No planning applications.

Further S106 funds will be available in respect of the proposed increased density housing at Downs Road and general agreement reached with developer. RESOLVED: Clerk to contact WODC planning officer to confirm.

82. FINANCE

Cheque payments made: Grass cuts and play area inspection (£154.51); PAYE (£192.00).

Bank balance as at 1st January 2021 = £16,030.92.

83. WELL LANE PLAY AREA AND PLAYING FIELD

Play Area COVID-19 risk assessment reviewed and no change.

December inspection to be signed by Chairman.

84. SUNDRY NOTICES

- Parish hall works continue. There will be an overrun on budgeted costs due to additional work.
- Glenn advised of an accident at the A40 roundabout.
- John advised of sewage system issues on Main Road and system will be subject to camera inspection by Thames Water.
- Disaster action plan reviewed. RESOLVED: no changes.

Next Meeting - Monday 8th February.

Cllr. Glenn Gannon, Chair of the Council
Signed 8th February 2021