Mawsley Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 7 December 2009

Present: Cllr Littler; Cllr Holland; Cllr. Cope; Cllr Moreton; Diana MacCarthy (clerk);

Members of the public present: Tom Sanders; PCSO Jane Breeze

- 12.09.1 Apologies for Absence Tim Bellamy; Bob Littler also confirmed that John Hazell had resigned from his position as Councillor
- 12.09.2 Declaration of Interests

Cllr. Littler declared his position as a Director of Mawsley Villagers Association Ltd. (MVA) and as a Director of The Centre at Mawsley CIC.

12.09.3 Allotted time for members of the public

JB discussed recent crime figures which included theft and criminal damage and totalled 12. She also confirmed that there will be a walkabout tomorrow with BPHA and that MPC will be updated on this at the next meeting.

VC asked whether police had visited the school recently as there is a lot of bad parking and speeding.

JB confirmed that the Police were doing a safety talk at the school regarding the building site

TS confirmed that the Community Road Safety Organisation would be willing to assist.

BL stated that the two main issues were speeding generally within the village and secondly speeding around the school

BH also raised the issue of using mobile phones whilst driving in the village

JB then gave an update on the neighbourhood watch meeting. 47 people attended and all seemed very keen, they are trying to ascertain which parts of the village are now covered.

JB then left the meeting

TS spoke to Craig Vincent on 16/11 to ascertain TW reaction re disabled access to footpaths. TW directors have given authorisation to site managers to complete works ie road surfacing and drop kerbs. Glen De Boer has confirmed that S38 Agreements are being checked but that phase 2 & 3 are awaiting revised drawings.

All work required for safe bus route was due to be commenced by end of November, and the bus service should be in place for the New Year. Salting route has also been identified and the bus route will be covered. S104 Agreement with Anglian Water is still to be completed.

BH suggested continuing meetings with TW to keep the pressure up

CM suggested putting appropriate numbers in the Newsletter so residents know who to contact if lights go out

VC was keen to discuss speed limits with Council, and suggested it should be 20 mph throughout the village.

BL thought we should write to Council to confirm this. Proposed BL seconded VC CM did not agree but did not oppose and BH agreed with CM. ACTION 12.09.3.1

BH also thought a temporary crossing should be put on Main Street whilst building work is underway. Action TS to deal 12.09.3.2

TS Left meeting at 8.25pm

10.12.4 Minutes of the previous meeting

The minutes of the meeting held November 7 2009 were proposed by Cllr. Littler and seconded by Cllr. Cope.

10.12.5 Matters arising from the previous meeting

12.06.15	Tom Sanders	Meeting with developers re street lights/other issues	Progress being made	
6.08.19	Cllr Barnwell	Old Poor's Gorse Badger fence installation	To be chased via Jim Harker	
03.09.07.1	BL	Determine costs of path to play area	Sarah Hart awaiting cost detail - ongoing	
04.09.3.3	Clerk	Produce potential agreement btw KBC and MPC re eco meadow	Clerk to draft agreement for Tenancy	
04.09.15	Cllr. Cope	Emergency planning	Ongoing	
06.09.18.1	BL	Speaking to cricket team re netting	Details handed to BL – for discussion at next meeting (c/f)	
07.09.03.01	тѕ	TW to add extra grit bin to bottom of village	BH confirmed this was being dealt with	
08.09.8.1	вн	To arrange inspection and meeting with Cllr Littler re TCAM	Await official report	
09.09.14.1	CIIr Littler	Speak to bank regarding interest rates on accounts	Restructuring acc to get better rate of interest	
09.09.14.2	Clerk	To arrange for back up for PC	Has to be redone	
11.09.8.1	Clerk	Letter to Julia Beckitt at		

		KBC re safety nets at TCAM	
11.09.8.4	VC & BH	To look at alternatives to the lighting at TCAM	Await quote for secondary and theatrical lighting
11.09.8.5	Clerk	To write to KBC re staking out boundary	
11.09.14.2	Clerk	To look in to available grants	Ongoing

12.09.6 Mawsley Interface to Kettering Borough Council

TB & JB of KBC are both having time off with illness. BL spoke to TB about major issues as worried about losing momentum. VC to make a note of properties that appear to have acquired land outside their boundary so that we can check these. ACTION 12.09.6.1 VC to prepare list

BL confirmed that we had much assistance from the Council and thought we should contact Planning enforcement once we had the information to hand.

12.09.7 Mawsley Community Fund

The Cricket club would also like a further grant for storage. BL will speak about a small grant but it won't be substantial ACTION 12.09.7.1 Clerk to find original grant letter and email BH application form for grant

12.09.8 The Centre at Mawsley

BL then left room at 9.15pm. BH took over as Chair

TCAM have asked for an agreement in principle to supply food, so they would like to refit the kitchen. They will obtain 2 quotes. It was proposed by BH and seconded by CM that in principle the Parish Council would seek to give funding support to this.

The Parish Council will also seek to assist with the current shortage of storage space by determining cost implications of insulating the small container and of installing mezzanine flooring in the storage room. Action VC

BH confirmed the bulb issue was still ongoing

BL resumed as Chair of the meeting.

12.09.9 Items for the Newsletter

Nothing

12.09.10. Bus route and shelter

TS discussed earlier

12.09.11. Police Matters

Covered when members of the public spoke

12.09.12 Villager issues

Discussed email from Villager re dog mess and confirmed Clerk to forward copy to KBC Dog Warden

12.09.13 Messrs Taylor Wimpey

See above

12.09.14 Accounts and Budgets

Additional costs incurred by Keith Barrow in respect of boiler. Additional payment required Proposed BL Seconded BH. BL also suggested that the £250 allocated to the playroom at the centre be used for console games etc as there is no actual playroom anymore.

The precept was briefly discussed, BL suggested keeping it the same as last year. BH suggested waiting till all Councillors were in attendance. VC and BL agreed.

12.09.15 Correspondence and Clerks update

Post file reviewed. Housing benefit letter to be taken to doctors and Stop the Drop letter to Vicarage 15 Loddington Way.

12.09.16 Planning

Ket/2009/0694 - No objections

12.09.17 Any other business

None

ACTION POINTS

12.09.3.1	Clerk	To write to Council re proposed speed limit of 20 mph	
12.09.3.2	TS	Speak to TW re temporary crossing on Main Street	
12.09.6.1	vc	To prepare list of properties which may have encroached on land outside their boundary	
12.09.7.1	BL	Speak to Cricket club re small grant	
12.09.8.1	VC	Cost implications	

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flooring in the storage room.

Signed:

Date:

The meeting ended at 10:05