

Long Newnton Parish Council

Minutes of the full council meeting held on 30th April 2020

DUE TO CORONA VIRUS RESTRICTIONS (LOCKDOWN) THIS MEETING WAS HEL VIA ZOOM WITH PARTICIPANTS TAKING PART ON LINE.

Members

Di Thomas, Debs Brock-Doyle, Richard George, Jill Peacey, Bean Landale
In attendance; Andrea Warrington- (Clerk)

Joined the meeting :

Apologies Received:

2-2020'	1	Apologies for Absence – None	
2-2020'	2	Declarations of Interest in Items on the Agenda None	
2-2020'	3	To approve the Minutes of the Council Meeting held 9 th January 2020 Proposed by Di Thomas Seconded by Richard George	
2-2020'	4	Public questions (if any) None	
2-2020'	5	Matters arising: The Sampson family have sent a donation of £2333. From the estate of the late Jane Sampson. Jill Peacey has been in touch with the relatives of Jane Sampson who will be providing some information regarding Jane's life for us to put on web site and in newsletter following the very generous donation to cover the installation of village defibrillator.	JP
2-2020'	6	Tree Warden update: Nothing to report	
2-2020'	7	Clerks Report: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Melcourt visit had been very successful and interesting. The tour of facilities by Cathrine Dawson Catherine.Dawson@melcourt.co.uk was fascinating her knowledge and manner of engaging was excellent and all who attended took home a couple of free bags of compost and also purchased further items at discounted price if they wished. We hope to offer a similar visit next spring. Our offer of help via a leaflet drop during Corona virus lockdown has been very well received and we have a list of about 10 volunteers who are happy to shop, dog walk, etc for vulnerable residents. Financial Annual report is due to be completed and will be sent to Nick Mitchell for audit once the annual governance statement and annual accounts are approved. See notes below for approval. 	AJW
2-2020'	8	Highways Update: Flower verges, Church Lane, Ditches, and passing places. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Di T reported that Mr Trotter from Escourt was happy to help with preparation of the verges for us to plant the wild flower seeds. He has been lined up to start in the Autumn after Lockdown ends! Bean has been in touch with Cotswold seeds and will check whether we should buy the seeds now and keep them until we need them or buy later. Debs to discuss with Andrew Tucker what action we can help with regarding the ditches. It was agreed that we may be able to help with funding (will report back). The path to Tetbury: Nikki and Steven Hirst are pushing for this to be cleared IDC and will report back 	
2-2020'	9	Correspondence received : None	

2-2020'	10	Reports from any meetings attended: None	
2-2020'	11	Finance:	
2-2020'	12	To approve payments (if any) Came and Co Insurance £218.00	
2-2020'	13	To receive most recent income and expenditure figures: None	
2-2020'	14	Bank Balance as at date of meeting £10885.10 It should be noted that we have lots of expenditure waiting	
2-2020'	15a 15b 15c	To approve Certificate of exemption for LNPC Proposed D Thomas Seconded K Landale To approve Annual governance statement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proposed by Di Thomas Seconded Bean Landale To approve Accounting statement Proposed by Di Thomas <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seconded Bean Landale 	To enable annual return to be sent
2-2020'	16	Planning - See attached	
2-2020'	17	Defibrillator training for village Training still to be arranged after Lockdown	KL
2-2020'	18	Great War Commemoration Bench for triangle: The bench is being made by Willis Bros. We assume that this has been delayed due to lockdown. Bean to follow up	KL
2-2020'	19	Broadband Stephen Harris Any progress? Clerk reported that they have now been connected to Gigaclear along with their neighbours.	
2-2020'	20	Feedback on potential costs feasibility: How to spend our money, Wild flower verges (as above) Signage drive slowly through village/lanes Notice board renewal, AJW to investigate Village sign gates and planters Cirencester Road end.	
		Budget: Tree Maintenance £500.00 Troughs & Planters £100.00 Annual Gardening £300.00 Bench & Concreting Triangle £500.00 Village upkeep £600.00 Printer ink/paper £250.00 Annual web site fee £200.00 GAPTC Membership £52.00 Insurance £165.00 £2437.00 Verges wildflower <u>2000.00</u> £4437.00 FLOAT Incidentals <u>£2000.00</u> <u>£6437.00</u>	
		Any other business: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Web site has been re-vamped. Clerk to receive training to amend and update. What to do about Garden waste: Problem solved as council now collecting again. Next non-virtual meeting suggest we invite Steven Hirst and Ian Parkinson (monitors Footpaths for the area) who have both requested attendance. Clerk thanked Richard George for his excellent contribution to Long Newnton Council during his time as Councillor. Councillors tried to persuade him to stay on as Councillor but he declined. A suitable replacement will need to be found. 	AJW
		Date of next meeting Thursday TBA	
		Andrea Warrington Clerk/RFO Long Newnton Parish Council	

Feedback from Nikki Ind ? re inconsistencies? The usual!!!!

18/02600/FUL The Old cow sheds: for the provision of velux rooflights to S.W. and N.E. elevations

Application no 20/01386/FUL Nursery Barns/ The old Cow Sheds Full Application for Variation of Condition 2 (Approved drawings) of planning permission

18/02600/FUL (New animal block together with storage) for the provision of velux rooflight to north east elevation at The Old Cowsheds

20/00929/FUL Full Application for Retrospective application for new toilet block at The Old Cowshed

20/00280/FUL Church Farm Erection of conservatory, replacement porch, alterations to car port roof, replacement windows and door, and insertion of roof lights at Church Farm

20/00385/FUL Full Application for Single storey rear extension at Whitsun House Long Newton Tetbury Gloucestershire GL8 8RJ

20/00343/LBC Listed Building Consent for Internal alterations at Larkhill House Long Newton Tetbury Gloucestershire GL8 8SY

19/03768/FUL Full Application for Demolition of existing residential cabin and two outbuildings and erection of a replacement dwelling at Log Cabin Boldridge Farm Crudwell Lane Long Newton TETBURY

20/00929/FUL Full Application for Retrospective application for new toilet block at The Old Cowshed Church Lane Long Newton Tetbury Gloucestershire

18/02600/FUL Full Application for Variation of Condition 2 (Approved drawings) of planning permission (New animal block together with storage) for the provision of velux rooflight to north east elevation at The Old Cowsheds Long Newton Tetbury Gloucestershire GL8 8RL

All planning other than the cowsheds are supported and have no comment from the PC

Cowsheds update: In addition to this application there has been a small new building built near to Tom Gaffney's property, this has not had planning permission granted and is not the toilet block that the occupier has recently applied for planning on. It appears that Cotswold planning are not enforcing any planning issues on this property and PC to explore options as to what we should do next. The container is still in position despite an enforcement notice and other planning issues are being disregarded. Many residents are angry that the owner is not complying with planning laws.