

CULHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council meeting duly convened and held in Culham Parochial C of E School, Culham on Monday 12th December 2011.

Present: Cllrs A. Steele, S. Casey-Rerhaye, A. Jones and J. Thomas.

In attendance: L. Dalby (Clerk), County Councillor L. Lindsay-Gale and 2 members of the public.

1. Public Participation

There was a brief discussion with Mr Gibbs about the Community Building Project. It was agreed to form a new committee in January.

2. Reports from County and District Councillors

Cllr Lindsay-Gale reported that all the Counties Libraries are to remain open with varying amounts of volunteers.

3. Co-option onto the Council

No applications have been received.

4. Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Cllr Woodley-Shead and District Councillor J. Cotton.

5. Declarations of personal and prejudicial interest

There were none.

6. Minutes of the meeting held on 14th November 2011

The minutes of the last meeting were agreed and signed by the Chairman.

7. Clerk's Report

The Clerk has reported the matters raised at the last meeting to Highways.

The Clerk continues to try to contact Highways about the salt which has been delivered to the wrong place.

8. Burial Ground Slope

Cllr Steele reported that the ground stabilisation will cost £12/m²

9. Fortnightly safety checklist

All ok.

10. Community Building

As discussed in Public Participation.

11. Village Green Oaks

Cllr Woodley-Shead is to meet with Mr Boyland to discuss moving oaks from the rec to the Green.

Mr Griffiths has offered to pay for the costs of moving one of the oaks in memory of his late wife.

12. Chickens in the Cemetery

The Clerk has taken advice regarding the damage caused by chickens in the cemetery. There have been no further problems however if there are further incidents action will be taken.

13. SODC Budget and Corporate Plan Consultations

The Council had no comments to make.

14. Waggon and Horses Traffic Lights – Pedestrian phase

It was agreed that it would be more effective to lobby for the speed limit to be enforced and a camera to record vehicle jumping the red light.

15. Planning Applications

a) Applications received from District Council for Consultation

Ref	Proposed Development	PC Rec
P11/W1839	Construction of a single storey rear extension. 15 High St Culham	No objection
P11/W1576	Demolition of Building B8 and Building B14 and erection of a New 1,921 sq.m Manufacturing and Assembly Facility at Culham Science Centre.	No objection

b) Decisions of Local Planning Authority

Ref	Proposed Development	PC Rec	Decision
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16. Financial Matters

a) Accounts for Payment

Payee and Reason	£ detail	£ VAT	£ total
J. Boyland - RoSPA Checks	56.00	11.20	67.20
L. Dalby Clerks salary and expenses December	186.66		186.66
Post Office Ltd – PAYE December	28.60		28.60
Berinsfield Community Business – Grass Cutting	148.50	29.70	178.20
Oxford Diocesan Glebe & Stipends – additional rent re new RPI index figure	54.80		54.80
Royal British Legion	100.00		100.00

- b) Budget for Precept 2012/13
The 2012/13 budget was discussed.

17. Correspondence

A list of correspondence received is held on file.

18. Items for inclusion on January's Agenda

- Jubilee
- Olympics
- Remembrance Wreath

19. Future Meeting

It was agreed that the date of the next meeting would be January 9th 2012 at the school, commencing at 7.30pm.

There being no further business the meeting was declared closed at 8.55pm.

Signed.....Dated.....