



WHITE NOTLEY AND FAULKBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF A COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 28 SEPTEMBER 2010 AT WHITE NOTLEY VILLAGE HALL AT 7.30 PM.

Present: Cllrs: Beal, Bright, Daniels, Desmond, Galione, Hood, C
McKoy, K McKoy and Wagstaff.
In the Chair: Cllr Bright.
Clerk: Angela Balcombe.
Also present: Priti Patel, Member of Parliament for Witham and
three members of the public.

10/51. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

There were no apologies.

10/52. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING.

The minutes of 24 August 2010 were approved as a correct record of events.

Proposed: Cllr McKoy. Seconded: Cllr Desmond. All agreed.

10/53. PROGRESS CHECK.

A brief update on actions from the last meeting. No matters raised.

10/54. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS.

To receive any 'personal' or 'personal and prejudicial' interests relating to items on the agenda. No interests were declared.

10/55. PUBLIC FORUM.

Mr Bright gave a report on the Speed Indicator Device data which is currently situated in The Street, average speeds are still high.

EX-AGENDA.

- **Police Report / PCSO.** Apologies were received from Nikki Doubleday. An e-mailed report was received.
- **District Councillors Report.** Cllr Galione gave a report of District Council matters.

10/56. NEW BUS CONTRACT – REGAL BUSES.

It was agreed to write a letter of complaint to ECC with regard to the Thursday bus not stopping to pick up passengers. Further complaints of the driver making frequent stops to use his mobile phone were also received and will be reported to ECC.

10/57. PLANNING.

Tree Preservation Order No: 36/2010/TPO. 7 The Street, White Notley (Walnut tree). Notice of the making of the Order has been served on the owners/occupiers, and the Parish Council will be advised whether the Order has been confirmed by BDC in due course.

10/58. FINANCE.

The following cheques were approved for payment and signed:

101442 £384.05 A Balcombe (Salary £295.75, Office Expenses £24.00, Postage £5.50, Phone £12.00, Newsletter Printing £46.80)

101443 £49.59 A & J Lighting Solutions (Lighting Maintenance)

101444 £72.00 P Underwood (11 & 12 cuts Play Area)

101445 £189.76 Blachere (Christmas Lights)

101446 £158.63 Audit Commission (Audit Fee 2010)

D/D £44.04 E-on (Street-lighting – supply August)

10/59. EALC TRAINING COURSES.

Chairman's Day 1, 19 October

Law and Procedures, 12 October

Election Day, 3 November

All courses cost £60.00 and are held at the Foakes Hall, Great Dunmow.

10/60. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE TO NOTE.

BDC – New Street Warden Service.

ECC – Copy of a response to a resident regarding Station Road.

ECC – The Mineral Working and Active Landfill Sites Environmental Award Scheme.

10/61. REPRESENTATIVES COMMENTS / REPORTS.

EALC – Annual Making the Links event, 29 September.

Health – Broomfield – the opening of the new building has been delayed until 15 October.

School Governor – a written report was received from Jenny Abel.

10/62. INFORMATION EXCHANGE / NEXT AGENDA ITEMS ONLY.

Golf Course – machinery has now all gone and the ground levelled.

Pole Lane – theft of lawnmower.

Oak Farm Bends – reflector posts have been knocked down.

Vicarage Avenue – pot holes have been marked but not yet repaired.

Post Office/shop – will be closing in November, the closure has been initiated by the current owner and not by ECC.

10/63. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 26 October 2010, 7.30pm at Faulkbourne Village Hall.

Priti Patel apologised for arriving late and offered her support for any issues the council has. Speeding through the villages is the Council's top priority and a full report containing traffic data, was handed to Priti. The Clerk will forward dates of meetings along with Community Speedwatch details to Priti, who was thanked for attending the meeting.

THE MEETING CLOSED AT 8.58 PM

SIGNED (CHAIRMAN):

DATE: