



## WHITE NOTLEY AND FAULKBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL

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### **MINUTES OF A COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 26 OCTOBER 2010 AT FAULKBOURNE VILLAGE HALL AT 7.30 PM.**

**Present:** Cllrs: Bright, Daniels, Desmond, Galione, Hood, C McKoy,  
K McKoy and Wagstaff.  
**In the Chair:** Cllr Bright.  
**Clerk:** Angela Balcombe.  
**Also present:** One member of the public.

#### **10/64. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.**

Apologies were received from Cllr Beal.

#### **10/65. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING.**

The minutes of 28 September 2010 were approved as a correct record of events.

**Proposed: Cllr C McKoy. Seconded: Cllr Wagstaff. All agreed.**

#### **10/66. PROGRESS CHECK.**

10/56. Reply from ECC regarding Service 342 Regal Busways Ltd to say that the complaint has been fully recorded and will be taken into consideration when any review of the service performance of this route is carried out.

#### **10/67. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS.**

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

#### **10/68. PUBLIC FORUM.**

Complaint received about noisy motorbikes riding up and down the village. The information will be passed on to the police.

#### **EX-AGENDA.**

**Police/ PCSO Report.** An e-mailed report was received and noted.

**District Councillors Report.** Cllr Galione gave an update on District Council matters.

#### **10/69. SALT BINS / WINTER GRITTING.**

Salt bins will no longer be provided, councils are being encouraged to participate in the ECC salt bag pilot scheme. Next agenda

#### **10/70. PLANT IT FOR THE GREEN HEART.**

Braintree District Council are offering 5,000 daffodil bulbs to be planted on parish owned land – last date for orders 29 October. It was agreed to take up the offer of 5,000 bulbs.

#### **10/71. CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE.**

It was unanimously agreed to have a collection for the Essex Air Ambulance at the Carol service.

**Proposed: Cllr Daniels. Seconded: Cllr Wagstaff.**

**10/72. FINANCE.**

**The following cheques to be approved for payment and signed:**

101447 £324.34 A Balcombe (Salary £295.75, Office Expenses £24.00, Postage £4.59)  
101448 £49.59 A & J Lighting Solutions (Lighting Maintenance)  
101449 £72.00 P Underwood (13 & 14 cuts Play Area)  
101450 £8.75 White Notley Village Hall (Hire)  
101451 £52.88 Konica Minolta (Photocopier Lease)  
101452 £336.00 White Notley School (Play Scheme Hall Hire)  
D/D £44.04 E-on (Street-lighting – supply September)

**10/73. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE TO NOTE.**

**RCCE** – Essex Village Shops and Pubs Day 4 November at Danbury Village Hall.

**BDC** – Invitation to attend a Parish Summit 3 November at the Braintree Institute at 7pm – Cllrs Bright and Hood to attend.

**BDC** – Focussed changes to the Core Strategy.

**ECC** – ECC and Southend-on-Sea Borough Council Joint Waste Development Document Issues and Options Paper. Consultation dates: 7 October to 2 December 2010.

**Village Agent** – Difficulties during winter months, suggested the Agent made contact with Vicarage Avenue and Pole Lane residents.

**Residents letter** – kerb stones in Vicarage Avenue.

**10/74. REPRESENTATIVES COMMENTS / REPORTS.**

**EALC** – a report was received on the Making the Links Event/AGM.

**Footpaths** – thanks to Cllr Wagstaff for mending the bridge.

**Health** – Cllr Hood gave a brief update on the situation at Broomfield.

**10/75. INFORMATION EXCHANGE / NEXT AGENDA ITEMS ONLY.**

- Bakers Lane abattoir.
- Allotments – supply of water to be agreed at the next Local Committee.
- Opposite Maltings Farm – water leak possibly the road.
- First part of Pole Lane subsiding and breaking up.
- Concern about the amount of additional road signage.
- Hare coursing.
- Play Area – the bench has disintegrated.
- Red phone box – a resident has offered to repaint it free of charge.
- Vicarage Avenue – bus stop markings.
- Dustcart – thanks to be conveyed to the driver for all his help.
- Problem with rats on the allotments.

**10/76. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING.**

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 23 November 2010, 7.30pm at White Notley Village Hall.

***THE MEETING CLOSED AT 8.53 PM***

SIGNED (CHAIRMAN):

DATE: