

Hanslope Parish Council

Minutes of a Meeting held in the Village Hall on Monday 11th November 2013 at 7.30 pm

Councillors attending; Mr Reynolds (Chairman), Mr Cook, Mr Geary, Mrs Green,
Mrs Mobley, Mr Palmer

Clerk; Mr McDonald

The Chairman announced that Mrs Lesley Hetherington has resigned from the Parish Council. The Council expressed a vote of thanks for Mrs Hetherington's hard work and commitment to parish matters

Item 1 Apologies; Mrs Hayward, Mr Lancaster

Item 2 Declarations of interest's statement;

None

Item 3 Acceptance of the Minutes of the October 2013 meeting

The Council resolved; "To accept the minutes as a true record of the October 2013 meeting"

Item 4 Matters arising not covered by agenda items

None

Item 4a Matters arising from the Open Meeting

Item 3h; parking on yellow lines at the junction of Newport Road/Gold Street to be passed to the Police Community Support Officer

Item 5 Matters raised by members of the public

None

Item 6 Finance

- a. The account for the month was examined and the Council resolved; "To approve and sign cheques to the value of £6,095.81 to cover outstanding bills and commitments"
- b. Meeting with Architect to be arranged to discuss the way forward reference the proposed building improvements in the recreation ground
- c. First Draft of the 2014/2015 budget discussed. To be finalised in January 2014
- d. The Parish Council resolved; "To approve a quote of £395 per visit from MYL Landscapes to provide a 2 year pond maintenance service based on 3 visits a year.

The Parish Council reserves the right to re negotiate as/when the pond in the new development off Newport Road is established”

- e. The Parish Council resolved; “To tie in CCTV installation with major repair work in the Astro Court in the recreation ground”
- f. The Parish Council resolved; “To forward a bouquet of flowers to Mrs Hetherington in recognition of her service to the community”

Item 7 Correspondence

- a. Response sent to a local resident concerned about ecology care at the village pond and traffic issues in Park Road
- b. Chairman to write to the Chief Executive of Milton Keynes Council regarding outstanding issues
- c. Residents comments regarding marking out of Market Square bus stops to be included in b. above

Item 8 Planning

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| 13/02112/ful | Side and rear extension
80 Western Drive; no objection |
| 13/02200/ful | Rear extension
61 Newport Road; no objection |
| 13/02239/ful | Separation to 2 dwellings
31 Williams Close; The Parish Council objects to this application as being totally unsuitable for a residential area where access and on street parking is already extremely congested |
| 13/01750/ful | Side extension
Cock Public House, High Street; This application has been withdrawn
By the applicant |
| 13/02031/ful | New 4 bedroom dwelling
Land adjacent to 2 Western Drive; This application has been
Withdrawn by the applicant.
The Parish Council suggests that this site is totally unsuitable for housing development of any type |

9 Councillors Reports

Mr Cook reported from a meeting at South Northants Council Headquarters regarding the proposed solar farm in Hartwell. The Parish Council objects to this proposal

Mr Cook reported from the Ward Forum meeting

Mrs Green reported from the STARS meeting

Item 10 Ongoing Business and News Items

Newsletter; improvements suggested

There being no further business to discuss the Chairman closed the meeting at 10.38 pm