

**PAULERSPURY PARISH COUNCIL**

Minutes of the meeting held virtually on Thursday 27 August 2020

commencing at 7:30pm

**PRESENT:** Mr Westall (Chairman), Mr Baker (Vice Chairman), Mrs Westall, Mrs Gee, Mrs Fish, Mr Barker, Mr Bloomfield, Mrs Sawyer, Mrs Sawbridge.

76/08/20 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence were received from Mrs Graham and Mr de Courcy-Ireland. Their apologies were accepted by the council.

77/08/20 **MEMBERS' DECLARATION OF INTEREST** for items on the agenda and update of Interests where required.

None declared.

78/08/20 **TO APPROVE AND SIGN THE MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON 30 July 2020**

The above minutes were approved and would be wet signed by the chairman.

79/08/20 **MATTERS ARISING ON THE MINUTES**

Matters arising to be addressed via agenda headings

80/08/20 **MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS**

Comments are welcome from those attending the meeting. The total time allowed for this item is 15 minutes with a maximum of 3 minutes per speaker. Further public comment during the meeting is permissible only at the invitation of the Chairman.

81/08/20 **PLANNING MATTERS**

a) S/2020/1284/FUL Mr and Mrs Gonzalez. 46 High Street Paulerspury

Single storey extension.

Paulerspury Parish Council had **NO OBJECTIONS** to this application.

82/08/20 **FINANCE**

a) To receive July 2020 accounts, budget position and to approve payment of outstanding accounts.

Chq. No	Payee	Account details	£
2471	R Baker	Swing protection material	4.56
2472	M Down	Salary/Office/Mileage/Spinalls Field	666.16

2473	Wicksteed Leisure Ltd	Play Equipment and surfacing	12,129.60
	N J Blackwell	Mowing	TBC
	DNH Contracts	Dog Bin Service	TBC
DD	TGP	Electricity Supply	113.52
DD	GDPR	Data Protection	35.00

Accounts paid during the month – 2469 N J Blackwell. Mowing/Spinalls Field/ Parish Maintenance. £2,059.36. 2470 D N H Contracts. Waste Collection Service £123.00

The council resolved to approve the budget position and payment of outstanding Accounts plus cheque no. 2474 I Westall Zoom contract. £14.39

83/08/20 **CORRESPONDENCE**

Email received from a resident regarding a grass verge. Future correspondence to be directed to Northamptonshire Highways (NH)

84/08/20 **SPINALLS FIELD**

a) To record actions and inform the Council of any issues raised via the inspection reports – see Inspection Reports File

- Thanks to Mr Baker and Mr Westall for attaching pigeon deterrents on top of the newly installed swings.
- A metal sign would be ordered to affix to the sign at the main entrance advising uses of the field and equipment according to advice and regulations with regards to Covid-19
- Waste transfer notices received from DNH Contracts.
- Annual inspection has been requested via Fields in Trust.
- Two new litter bins to be purchased
- Professional emptying to be extended to October and thereafter May – October.

b) To confirm the September 2020 inspection rota 6/7 SW, 13/14 MF, 20/21 SS, 27/28 E.de C-I

Rota confirmed

c) To consider replacement of litter bin/s

85/08/20 **ROAD MATTERS**

a) To record actions taken by the clerk.

Several calls to Grand Union to remove vehicles blocking the pavement adjacent Grays Lane.

Leylandii trees overhanging the footpath on Newbolt Close reported to NH. Mr and Mrs Chambers have resigned as Footpath Wardens. This has been a valuable service to the community and replacements will be sought.

Mr Barker has completed the renovation of the Telephone Box on Drs' Green. This will now become the second book library in the village.

86/08/20 **CHAIRMAN'S BRIEF TO THE NEWSLETTER AND WEBSITE**

To consider items for inclusion.

The council resolved to have a positive presence on the Village Facebook.  
Mrs Westall volunteered to undertake this task informing residents of items of interest from the Parish Council.

87/08/20 **MATTERS FOR URGENT ATTENTION OR FOR THE NEXT MEETING**

**THURSDAY 24 September 2020** Venue to be determined.7:30pm

The meeting closed at 20:51