

PAULERSPURY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting held on 28 September 2023

commencing at **7:30pm** in Paulerspury Village Hall (Meeting room)
High Street, Paulerspury

PRESENT: Mr Westall (Chairman), Mr Baker (Vice Chairman), Mrs Fish, Mrs Gee, Mrs Sawbridge, Mr Wragg, Mr Barker, Mrs Westall, Mr Trubshaw Mrs Sawyer

107/09/23 **APOLOGIES**

An apology for absence was received from Mr Corbett and was accepted by the council.

108/09/23 **MEMBERS' DECLARATION OF INTEREST** *for items on the agenda and update of Interests where required.*

None declared

109/09/23 **TO APPROVE AND SIGN THE MINUTES OF MEETINGS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON THE 15 and 31 August 2023**

The minutes of the above meetings were approved and signed as correct.

110/09/23 **MATTERS ARISING ON THE MINUTES**

Matters arising to be addressed via agenda headings

111/09/23 **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.

None present County Councillor Mr Barter had sent his apologies.

112/09/23 **PLANNING MATTERS**

a) **2023/6635/FULL** Mr S Navaratnam. Petrol Filling Station, Watling Street Paulerspury.

New HGV Dispensing Pumps, Adblue Cabinet and Canopy, EV (Electric Vehicle) Charging Bays and Canopy, External Toilet to Existing Forecourt Shop, Two-Storey Ancillary Building, Additional Parking and Relocation of Offset Fill and Vent Pipes Paulerspury parish Council had **No Objections** to this application.

b) 2023/6746/106V Bromford. Land at Towcester Vale Towcester

Proposal Application for a Deed of Variation to vary the S106 Legal Agreement entered into in respect of planning permission PP20S/2007/0374/OUTWNS
Paulerspury Parish Council had **No Objections** to this application

113/09/23 **FINANCE**

a) To receive August 2023 budget position and to approve payment of the outstanding accounts.

| Chq. No | Payee | Account details | £ |
|---------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 2763 | K Mozdzyński | Website Domain Renewal | 95.80 |
| 2764 | N J Blackwell | Parish Maintenance | 1305.60 |
| 2765 | Anglian Water | Allotment Supply | 99.44 |
| 2766 | B M Down | Salary/Mileage/Office/IT | 753.99 |
| DD | Total Energies | Electricity | 260.20 |
| Paid | | | |
| 2760 | Paulerspury V Hall | Hall Hire | 25.00 |
| 2761 | Hopkins Solicitors | VAT | 250.00 |
| 2762 | Electricity Networks | Lamp Repair | 561.60 |

Payment of the above accounts was approved also cheque no. 2770 £174.20
Chris Knott Insurance Consultants Ltd. Allotment tenants' insurance over.

a) Bus shelter maintenance.

The quote of £150 from Pauls Pury Services was received for maintenance of the bus shelters and the seating in Spinalls Field. Council resolved to accept the quote with a request for the work to be completed whilst the good weather holds.

114/09/23 **CORRESPONDENCE**

Letter received from Mr and Mrs Hosken after the publication of the agenda.

115/09/23 **SPINALLS FIELD**

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

Following the inspections of the Zip Wire and the Climbing net repairs deemed essential would be requested.

Mr Hutchings had inspected several trees on the field of different species but was not able to identify the cause of their die back condition. Advice was to await until next Spring and observe their growth pattern then.

b) Rota1/2 ST, 8/9 S Westall, 15/16 MF, 22/23 SS, **29/30 OC** -
Confirmed

116/09/23 **ROAD MATTERS**

a) To record actions taken by the clerk.

- WNC has adopted Kingstons Yard.
- Potholes reported and repaired outside the Village Hall and Old Roses, High Street.
- 20 MPH Advisory signs had been requested. These would be placed at suitable locations within the parish.
- Highways to be informed of an overhanging tree on Fairfield Road

117/09/23 **ARBORICULTURAL ISSUES**

a) Multi-stemmed ash tree on Spinalls Field

Comments awaited from Fields in Trust

b) Ash tree adjacent Parish Council Allotment site.

Mr Trubshaw gave feedback to council regarding his conversation
with Mr and Mrs Hosken. Advice from various quarters would be sought.

118/09/23 **CHAIRMAN'S BRIEF TO THE NEWSLETTER AND THE WEBSITE**

- A reminder that dogs should be kept under control when being exercised in the parish
- A reminder that dog faeces deposited in Church Field and The Warren should be picked up and disposed of via the dog bins provided by the council.

119/09/23 **MATTERS FOR URGENT ATTENTION OR FOR THE NEXT MEETING**

Letter from Mr and Mrs Hosken.

THURSDAY 26 October 2023 PAULERSPURY VILLAGE HALL 7:30 pm

The meeting closed at 20:20

