

**MINUTES OF PARTINGTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
HELD ON MONDAY 12th NOVEMBER 2018 AT 6.30 PM
AT THE COMMUNITY CENTRE, PARTINGTON**

Present: Councillors W. Edwards, J. Clare, P. Hall A. New, A. Rudden, JJ. Comerford
K. Watson, S. Morton, Ward Cllr J. Wright and A. Williams.

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE: Cllr K. Kanen J. Boyers.

IT WAS RESOLVED by all Councillors that the apologies received were reviewed and were accepted.

2. BARTON WILMORE:

The Barton Wilmore group were unable to attend the meeting as there was no update to offer.

3. OPEN FORUM:

The Chairman Cllr W Edwards opened the meeting at 6.30pm. He welcomed the Parish & Ward Councillors; the housekeeping rules were readout, as there was a member of the public in attendance.

- A member of the public asked what date the Christmas tree light switch on will be and when the living tree will be planted. Cllr J Wright said he expects it to be in the next 7 days, work also needs to be completed on the electric column and the lights need to be put on.
- The parishioner also inquired if a litterbin could be installed at the bus stop on Manchester Road. The Ward Cllr updated the resident that the new trio bins are deemed adequate. The Clerk will contact TBC Highways and explore the possibilities of the Parish Council installing a litterbin.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:

Ward Cllr James Wright and Aidan Williams declared an interest on item 9.

IT WAS RESOLVED that there were no other declarations of interest by Councillors at this meeting.

5. MINUTES FROM THE 8th OCTOBER 2018 MONTHLY MEETING:

IT WAS RESOLVED that the minutes were a true & accurate record and were passed by Cllr A Rudden & Cllr K Watson.

6. MATTERS ARISING:

IT WAS RESOLVED that there were no matters arising from the above sets of minutes by Parish Councillors.

- Ward Cllr J Wright asked if there was still a link with Carrington Parish Council. The Chair confirmed there was an active link.

7. CHAIRMANS REPORT:

The Chair thanked the Councillors for attending the meeting and then proceeded to update them on events since the last meeting.

- Rememberance Sunday

The Chair updated the Council that he attended the service, which was well turned out by the community. For a while the sound was not good as the mike was too far away from the speaker, this was exacerbated by the traffic. The PA was sourced by TBC, it was agreed that the Parish will invest in a PA system for future years. Once the cenotaph is relocated the Parish will take full control and responsibility. The Parish will be contacting the RBL with reference to this.

- Cllr Rudden confirmed he has a contact that can assist in taking this forward.
- Cllr Morton asked was there any active cadet groups in Partington

- Senior Christmas Party

The Chair confirmed that the event will take place at Broadoak and will be similar to the 2017 event. Two members of Broadoak staff will take charge and the PC staff will attend and help in any way we can.

- Christmas Tree light switch on

The Chair asked for confirmation of the event times and who has been invited.

- Cllr New indicated that it is a 6pm arrival for a 6.30 start time.
- Primary schools have been invited and will sing. The Chair asked has Broadoak been invited, of which Cllr New informed the meeting that it is just the Primary children that have been invited. As Broadoak haven't been invited the Chair has requested that they are as we need to involve them in the event. Cllr Edwards will be speaking to the Head, Mr McConaghie he has also confirmed that he will test and set the PA system up and that he will be making an opening speech as Chair of the Parish Council.

- Legion

The Chair updated the Council members that interest was shown in the redevelopment of the legion public house, unfortunately this avenue has ceased. The owner will now be pursuing the best deal he can. The relocation of the memorial stone is a slow process and a new architect has been appointed.

- Apprenticeships

The Chair has met with local developers who have indicated that they are looking at taking apprentices on; the Chair will keep the PC updated.

8. CORRESPONDENCE:

It was **PROPOSED** that if there are any issues with the correspondence they should be addressed to the Clerk 3 days before the meeting.

OCTOBER 18.

Email – Cllr New – Re the ear 4 U car boot sale in the Pavilion car park on Nov 24th

Email – David Sykes – Update on the golf course on Chapel Lane

Email – Nicola Quinn – Reported a Casual Vacancy

Email – Andrew McKenzie TBC – Update regarding trees on Forest gardens

Email – NW in Bloom – Dates confirmed for the awards ceremony

Email – Jamie Davis – Confirmation of dates for use of P/Pavilion

Email – Meeting with TBC and Amey set up for the 8th Nov regarding Millbank field & Barberry Walk

Email – Michael Nutall – Broken fencing at old doctor's site reported

Email – Paulette McKay – Clerks VPN access set up.

Email – Stephanie Quinn YHG – Notice that Stephanie is moving on to pastures new

Email – Cllr New – Reports of various fly tipping in the area

Email – Ian Garland – Details completed for the CIL fund received

Email – HS2 details for investigation work and payment details

9. PLANNING APPLICATIONS – October 18

- **95610/HHA/18 – 9 Ennerdale Road, Partington, M31 4WD**
Erection of a two storey side extension and a part single/part two storey rear extension.
- **95794/CPL/18 – 33 Buttermere Road, Partington, M31 4NF**
Certificate of proposed lawful development for erection of single storey rear extension.

- **95814/FUL/18 – Royal bank of Scotland, 91 Central Road, Partington, M31 4FL**
Removal of external banking related fittings and fixtures, including 1no ATM. Aperture to be infilled with material to match the existing elevation.

It was PROPOSED that there were no comments to be made.

In light of the proposed planning app for Saica Paper Mill, it was requested by Council that the Clerk is to contact Saica and request a site tour as this will also facility to ask more questions about proposed application.

10. PRECEPT:

Councillors discussed the annual precept charge for 2018/19. If it is proposed to be raised in line with the Borough Council tax rise for 2019/2020 then a consultation will be required and a list detailing produced detailing where the extra funds will be allocated too. No decision was made at this meeting.

11. CASUAL VACANCY:

The Chair asked if the Cllrs to confirm that they have been furnished with all the letters of interest received for the vacancy. They are required to read through and make their informed decisions that will then be taken to a vote.

12. MEETING DATES:

The Chair updated the meeting that numerous Cllrs have asked the Clerk for a variation on meeting dates. IT WAS PROPOSED AND AGREED that a variation on dates will take place for 2019.

13. EXCLUSION RESOLUTION:

The Chair RESOLVED that the members of the public who were attending the meeting could now withdraw from the meeting as the public part had concluded.

14. ACCOUNTS/FINANCE REPORT:

IT WAS RESOLVED that the monthly accounts for October 2018 were a true & accurate record. Proposed by AR & 2nd JC.

15. EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE REPORT - (SENSITIVE):

IT WAS RESOLVED that all was ok with the staff, however a meeting was due and will be arranged in the new year. IT WAS RESOLVED that the annual christmas bonus will be given to the CIWS.

16. CASUAL VACANCY:

The Chair asked if the Cllrs to confirm that have been furnished with all the letters of interest received for the vacancy. It was agreed that this needs to be discussed and a voting system arranged.

17. CLERKS UPDATE:

The Clerk updated the Councillors that everything has been covered in the meeting.

18. ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

WE – Aired his concerns to Cllr Wright and Williams about where the CIL fund has been allocated too. He asked if this information can be sourced and reported back to the PC.

- Cllr Wright informed the Council that there will soon be updates on the 'Toll Bridge'.

KW – Requested that when the cenotaph is moved, a letter will need to be sent to the RBL indicating that the Parish Council will be taking full responsibility of it going forward.

SM – Updated the Clerk that the fencing around the old doctors site has still not been repaired. The Clerk confirmed that she has previously reported it and will chase up.

JC – Asked for permission from the Council to start dismantling the flower bed on The Green and relocate to outside Heron with Cllr Watson. IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY AGREED.

JJC – Reported a dangerous grid at the junction of Bailey Lane and Warburton Lane.

WE – Final thought, he thanked the Cllrs for attending and said it had been a positive meeting.

19. DATE & TIME OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will take place on the **Monday 10th December 2018** and will take place at 6.30pm the Community Centre.

Subsequent meeting dates will follow:

Meeting closed at 8.45 pm.

LIST OF ACRONYMS

PPC – Partington Parish Council
YHG – Your Housing Group
TBC –Trafford Borough Council
NWIB – North West in Bloom
CIW – Community Improvement Worker
VET – Veolia Environmental Trust
CLLRS – Councillors
POSH – Partington Old School Hall
P/PAV – Partington Pavilion
MST – Manchester Sports Taekwondo
LL- Longley Lane
ASB - Anti Social Behaviour

Councillor Wayne Edwards
Chairman