HETHERSGILL PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting of Hethersgill Parish Council held on 17th July 2018 in the Parish Hall, Hethersgill

Present Cllrs H Kay (Chair), N Elliott, F Heaton, A Oswin, A Gash, A Sisson and C Williams.

ACTION

838/18 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received and accepted from Cllrs G Houston and S Barrett.

839/18 Minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on 15th May 2018

Resolved that the Chairman be authorised to sign the minutes of the last Parish Council meeting as a true record.

840/18 Request for Dispensations

No requests were received.

841/18 Declarations of Interest

Cllr Heaton declared an interest in planning application 18/0521 due to the proximity to it to his own residence.

842/18 Public Participation

No members of the public were in attendance.

843/18 Administrative Matters

843.1 Broadband

No update was provided.

844/18 Planning Matters

To consider new applications:

18/0521 Chapel House, Hethersgill, Carlisle, CA6 6DS - Change Of Use Of Redundant Agricultural Storage Building/Barn Into 1no. Dwelling

Resolved: The Council to recommend refusal of the application. Although no concerns are raised regarding the conversion of the property, grave concerns regarding the access are made. The proposed entrance/exit is a newly formed access onto a classified road and is considered extremely dangerous. Unless alternative access arrangements are submitted the Council would urge refusal of the application.

845/18 Highways Matters

845.1 Updates

Clir Sisson noted a severe pothole in the middle of Hetherersgill Village. She has reported previously and will report again, noting its danger to cyclists.

Clir Heaton confirmed with the Clerk that growth of Himalyan Balsam on the Sandy Lonning has been reported to Highways.

It was also noted that forthcoming roadworks are due to take place on the A6071 towards Longtown, with night time closures planned as well as a short closure towards Brampton.

845.2 Moss Cottage

No update was available therefore Cllr Kay will visit the resident and enquire regarding progress. The Clerk will also chase the matter with County Cllr Mallinson and City Cllr Shepherd.

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846/18 Finance Matters

846.1 Statement of Accounts to 30th June 2018

Resolved: To receive and note the statement of accounts to date which had been circulated alongside the agenda. The balance at bank at 30th June is £8,636.95.

846.2 Payments

Resolved to approve payments and authorise two councillors to sign the payment schedule. Payments being:

- Sarah Kyle, July salary, £213.19
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- HMRC, July/August PAYE, £106.60

847/18 Councillor Matters

Clir Williams noted the repeated occurrence of dead badgers in the area. The matter had been reported to the Police.

Clir Sisson queried the criteria for the erection of agricultural buildings and when planning consent was not required. The Clerk to confirm.

848/18 Schedule of Correspondence, notices and publications

A schedule of notices and publications received since the last meeting and not otherwise on the agenda were received and noted.

849/18 Date of Next Meeting

Resolved that the next meeting of the Parish Council be held on 18th September 2018 in the Parish Hall, Hethersgill at 7.30pm.

There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting at 7.53pm.

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