

ROCK PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting of the Rock Parish Council held in Callow Hill Methodist Hall on **Monday 25th February 2013 commencing at 7.00pm.**

Present: Councillors Christopher Price (Chairman)
Miss Sue Morris K Perkins
Ms Iris Fermin Miss C Sankey
J Lawson Mrs Pat Pain
A Croot G Watson
D Nott

In attendance: Mr S Clee Clerk, Mr Mark Lagomarsino & Mr Colin Link Lengthsman.

1276 Apologies for absence

Councillors Douglas Godwin, Alan Brookes & Pam Harvey

1277 Confirmation of the minutes

The minutes of the last meeting held on 25th January 2013 as previously circulated were approved and signed by the Chairman.

1278 Declaration of Interest for a) The Meeting and b) Any Changes to be notified to the Registers of Interests and Gifts & Hospitality;

- a) None.
- b) None.

1279 Public Participation

Mr Mark Lagomarsino spoke about his planning application and hoped council would support it.

1280 Planning Matters:

003 Application No: 13/0058/FULL
Valid Date: 04/02/2013
Application for: Erection of Log Cabin as permanent dwelling in connection with Agriculture at ICE ALPINES, LYE HEAD, BEWDLEY, DY122UW

RESOLVED to approve with no objections.

004 Application No: 13/0063/FULL
Valid Date: 11/02/2013
Application for: Two storey and single storey extensions to front, side and rear to provide additional bedrooms and extended living accommodation 'demolition of existing workshop' at CHARLEMONT, BLISS GATE ROAD, ROCK, KIDDERMINSTER, DY149YA.

RESOLVED to approve with no objections.

005 Application No: 13/0065/FULL
Valid Date: 12/02/2013
Application for: Construction of timber framed plant room to accommodate borehole equipment for a private portable water supply at UPPER NORCHARD FARM, NETHERTON, DUNLEY, STOURPORT-ON-SEVERN, DY130UJ.

RESOLVED to approve with no objections.

1281 County & District Councillor's Report

Councillor Godwin's report was circulated electronically and will feature in this month's parish newsletter. There was no report from County Councillor Campion.

1282 Correspondence Sheet

Council noted the updated correspondence sheet.

1283 Parish News Report

It was noted Councillor Perkins would do today's report for the Parish Magazine and Cllr Christine Sankey in April.

1284 Plough Lane

A discussion took place relating to the Letter sent to residents in Plough Lane refusing to carry out any remedial works to the lane by Severn Trent. It was stated by many councillors present that the work done by the utility company was a disgrace and we should ask County Councillor Campion for his help in getting the utility company to carry out repairs to the lane.

1285 Apprenticeship Scheme

Councillor Perkins stated a person had been identified as a suitable recipient of an apprenticeship scheme in the parish. However following discussions they had declined to proceed. It was suggested the age range needed to be looked at and possibly extend the search area to people attending schools and academy's outside the Wyre Forest District. Councillor Perkins confirmed he would place an advertisement in the next parish magazine.

1286 Churchyard Grants

It was noted from the correspondence received by Wyre Forest DC that the grants for churchyards would be phased out over the next three years. It was agreed we would inform the churches of this decision.

1287 Defibrillator at Sports Club

In the absence of Councillor Brookes it was decided to ask the Sports Club if trained persons would be used for this equipment and that the location of it would be positioned so all users of the Sports Pavilion could use it. It was RESOLVED pending confirmation to council's questions to give a grant of £200.00.

1288 Finances

Council RESOLVED to approve payment of invoices amounting to £994.50.

1289 Date of the next meeting

It was noted the date of the next meeting of Monday 25th March 2013 to be held at Callow Hill Methodist Hall, Callow Hill.

Chairman.....
25th March 2013