

ROCK PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting of the Rock Parish Council held in Callow Hill Methodist Hall on **Monday 29th April 2013 commencing at 7.00pm.**

Present: Councillors Miss Sue Morris (Chairman)
Christopher Price K Perkins
Ms Iris Fermin Jim Lawson
D Nott Mrs Pam Harvey
A Croot Douglas Godwin
Mrs Pat Pain Gary Watson

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

1303 Apologies for absence

Councillors Alan Brooks & Miss C Sankey

1304 Confirmation of the minutes

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

1305 Declaration of Interest for a) The Meeting and b) Any Changes to be notified to the Registers of Interests and Gifts & Hospitality;

- a) Mr D Nott Planning Application No 011 Worsley Farm.
- b) None.

1306 Public Participation

There was none.

1307 Planning Matters:

- 011 Application Reference Number 13/0133/CERTE
Proposal: Use building as a single residential dwelling in excess of four years
Site: STABLE END, WORSELEY FARM, BANK LANE, ABBERLEY, WORCESTER, WR6 6BQ

RESOLVED to approve with no objections. Concern was expressed at the lack of monitoring of this site by the WFDC enforcement officers.
- 012 Application No: 13/0149/FULL
Valid Date: 19/03/2013
Application for: Proposed Two Storey Rear Extension at MOPSONS CROSS FARM, ROCK, KIDDERMINSTER, DY149XW.

RESOLVED to approve with no objections.
- 013 Application No: 13/0181/FULL
Valid Date: 04/04/2013
Application for: First Floor Extension at 1, BLISS GATE ROAD, ROCK, KIDDERMINSTER, DY149YB

RESOLVED to approve with no objections.
- 014 Application No: 13/0183/FULL
Valid Date: 05/04/2013
Application for: Orangery to side of property at GREENACRES, ROCK, KIDDERMINSTER, DY149DW.

RESOLVED to approve with no objections.

015 Application No: 13/0196/FULL

Valid Date: 15/04/2013

Application for: Erection of single storey oak frame porch at BANK FARM HOUSE, BANK LANE, ABBERLEY, WORCESTER, WR6 6BQ.

RESOLVED to approve with no objections.

1308 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.

1309 Correspondence Sheet

Council noted the updated correspondence sheet.

1310 Parish News Report

It was noted Councillor David Nott would do today's report for the Parish Magazine and Cllr Jim Lawson in May.

1311 Apprenticeship Scheme

Councillor Perkins presented a paper on the apprenticeship scheme. The scheme was being operated by Kidderminster College and supported by Wyre Forest District Council. It was RESOLVED to support the scheme and utilise previous funds earmarked within our budgets from the funding for the Clows Top Bus Shelter. It was unanimously resolved to progress this scheme and record the councils thanks to Councillor Keith Perkins on his perseverance in setting the scheme up.

1312 Housing Needs Survey

It was RESOLVED to set up a working group comprising of Councillors Douglas Godwin, Andrew Croot and Ms Iris Fermin to progress this item and report back to a future meeting.

1313 Finances

Council RESOLVED to approve payment of invoices amounting to £1,742.31. The income and expenditures spreadsheets for 2012-13 were noted and approved for the internal auditors.

1314 Date of the next meeting

It was noted the date of the next meeting that being the AGM will take place on Monday 20th May 2013 to be held at Callow Hill Methodist Hall, Callow Hill.

Chairman.....
20th May 2013