

ROCK PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Minutes of the Parish Meeting of the Rock Parish Council held in Callow Hill Methodist Hall, Bliss Gate on **Monday 23rd May 2011 commencing at 7.00pm.**

Present: Councillors Miss Morris (Chairman)
D Godwin
Mrs P Pain Ms I Fermin
J Nott J Turner
C Hadler R Whiteman

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

992 Election of Chairman & Vice Chairman

It was proposed and seconded and unanimously agreed that Miss Sue Morris be elected Chairman and Mr Chris Price be Vice Chairman for the following municipal year 2011-12. Miss Morris thanked everyone for the support she had received during her first year in the Chair.

993 Apologies for absence

Councillors Chris Price, Keith Perkins, Gary Watson, Alan Brookes, Mrs Pam Harvey & Sergeant Aimes.

994 Confirmation of the minutes

The minutes of the last meeting held on 18th April 2011 and as previously circulated were approved and signed by the Chairman.

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

- a) There were none.
- b) There were none.

996 Public Participation

There were no public speakers.

997 Planning Matters:

018 Application No: 11/0253/OUTL
Valid Date: 27/04/2011

Application for: Detached bungalow (All matters reserved) at ORCHARD CORNER, HEIGHTINGTON, BEWDLEY, DY122XW.

RESOLVED to recommend refusal as council believed it is an inappropriate development in the green belt.

019 Application No: 11/0228/FULL
Valid Date: 12/04/2011

Application for: Proposed toilet extension at THE PLOUGH INN, CLEOBURY ROAD, FAR FOREST, KIDDERMINSTER, DY149TE.

RESOLVED to approve this application.

020 Application No: 11/0246/FULL
Valid Date: 21/04/2011

Application for: Replacement dwelling (Renewal of Planning Permission 08/0192/FULL) at THE BEECHES, RIBBESFORD, BEWDLEY, DY122TR.

RESOLVED to approve this application

021 Application No: 11/0141/FULL (Additional Plans / Revised Plans / Revised Description) Valid Date: 09/03/2011
Application for: Conversion of existing detached double garage to create accommodation for single disabled dependant relative, with associated ground floor link extension to main dwelling at BLAKEMORE COTTAGE, TENBURY ROAD, CLOWS TOP, KIDDERMINSTER, DY149HE.

RESOLVED to recommend refusal. Its overdevelopment of the existing site. The Garage conversion should be separate and not linked to the existing dwelling. If the Planning Committee are minded to approve a condition that the conversion is not sold separately to the existing dwelling and permitted development rights should be removed.

022 Application No: 11/0282/TREE
Valid Date: 12/05/2011
Application for: Removal of oak tree at ROUSBINE CARAVAN, CALLOW HILL ROCK, ROCK, KIDDERMINSTER, DY149DB.

RESOLVED to approve this application provided 3 oak trees are planted on the site in place of the one proposed to be felled.

998 County & District Councillor's Report

Councillor Godwin had circulated a written report. In the absence of County Councillor Campion there was no report.

999 Correspondence Sheet

Council noted the updated correspondence sheet.

1000 Approval for Meeting Dates 2011-12

Council RESOLVED to accept the dates for the next municipal year.

1001 Appointment to Working Groups

Council RESOLVED to appoint the following members to working groups;

- a) Finance Working Group (Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Councillor Perkins, Mrs Pain & Alan Brookes)
- b) Emergency Working Group (Chairman, Councillors Turner, Hadler, Perkins, Mrs Pain & Mrs Harvey)
- c) Planning & Parish Plan (Councillors Price, Perkins & Mrs Harvey)
- d) Councillors Miss Sue Morris & Mr John Turner to the Bliss Gates Play Fields.
- e) Councillors Keith Perkins & Pat Pain to CALC Worcestershire.

1002 Appointment of Representatives to Bliss Gate Play Fields

Council RESOLVED to approve payment of invoices amounting to £1,034.98. Council noted the internal audit was carried out by Mr Keith Bannister and a meeting with the clerk was arranged for tomorrow to review his findings and take any action recommended.

1003 Queens Diamond Jubilee 2012

Council discussed various options to commemorate the Queens Diamond Jubilee in 2012. Various councillors agreed to price items up and bring the results back at the June meeting.

1004 Date of the next meeting

It was noted the date of the next meeting of 25th July 2011 this being the AGM Meeting.

Chairman.....
27th June 2011