

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF GOREFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

HELD AT THE COMMUNITY HALL ON TUESDAY 6TH NOVEMBER 2018

Present: Councillors: A Holt, Mrs K Hall and Mrs J Hunns

Apologies: Councillors M Humphrey, Ms P Reynolds, S King and Ms S Clark

102/18 **Public Participation**

No members of the public attended the meeting

103/18 Minutes of previous meeting held on 2nd October 2018 were confirmed and signed

104/18 There were no extra items to be discussed

105/18 None of the Councillors had a personal or prejudicial interest to declare

106/18 **POLICE MONTHLY UPDATE**

Will forwarded on to Councillors

107/18 **MATTERS ARISING ON THE AGENDA**

Bus Incident

Councillor Mrs Hall has again seen the bus turning around in West End and has reported it via the Stagecoach web site.

(1) **Highway Matters**

There was nothing to report other than outstanding pot holes some of which have been marked out with yellow paint but have still not been filled.

(2) **Co-Option of new Councillor**

Unfortunately since the last meeting Councillor Mrs Robinson has decided to resign her position due to personal reasons. This will be reported to Fenland DC so the necessary papers can be issued.

There is now one person who is interested in taking on the role vacated by Councillor D Humphrey. To be asked to write a letter.

(3) **Play Equipment**

Clerk has purchased two basket ball nets, which the Chairman will put on shortly. Councillor has spoken to someone about getting the trees cut back.

(4) **Extension to Community Hall**

The planning application has now been submitted and a cheque is required for the planning fee.

(5) **Web Site**

An e-mail was received from Tin Fish back on 9th October which urgently needs responding to. Councillor Humphrey will do so on receipt of any comments from this meeting. Photographs are needed for all the Council members. These to be done at the next meeting. The Chairman's telephone number is incorrect. The Gallery of photographs should be up to date photographs of the village not old ones as these are already available on the Gorefield in the Past Face Book page. Volunteers are needed to help with the site and undertake the training that is to be provided.

108/18 **CORRESPONDENCE**

Copies of all other correspondence will be circulated to Councillors

109/18 **PLANNING MATTERS**

There were no planning applications to be considered.

The Chairman and Councillors Humphrey and Mrs Hall attended the planning training provided by Fenland DC. The clerk has received copies of the power point presentation delivered on that evening. The Chairman asked if all Councillors could be given a copy of the Material Consideration to be taken into consideration when looking at planning applications.

110/18 **FINANCIAL MATTERS**

Accounts to be paid:

	Cheq No	Nett	VAT	Gross
Fenland DC (rent for Churchill Rd allotments)	100952	£50.00	0.00	£50.00
Poppy Appeal (two wreaths)	100953	£50.00	0.00	£50.00
Fenland DC (planning fee)	100954	£693.00	0.00	£693.00

Balance of Accounts

Current account	£31,794.08
Business Premium account	£21,185.93
High Interest account	<u>£803.42</u>
	£53,783.43

111/18 **REPORTS FROM COUNCILLORS**

Remembrance Sunday two wreaths to be laid by Councillor Mrs Hall one in the church and one on the memorial in the Chapel yard. Wreaths in the church to be laid at 11 am followed by the bell being rung 100 times.

Doug Ward a member of the Leverington and Gorefield Parish Council and an inaugural Councillor on the first Gorefield Parish Council died recently. A letter of condolence to be sent to his family.

At the next meeting a new vice chairman should be elected.

Date of next meeting – Tuesday 6th December 2018

Signed Date