

## BEYTON PARISH COUNCIL

### Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 3 June 2019

Present: Cllrs G Jones (Chair), A Alderton, J Clark

In attendance: Dist Cllr W Turner, one member of the public

19/019	<p><b>APOLOGIES NOTED:</b> P Lamb (Clerk), Cllrs A Pope, M Orsler, T Ridyard, Co Cllr P Otton, P Dow (Acting Clerk)</p> <p>In the absence of a Clerk, there was no agenda and it was agreed to follow the main points from the minutes of the previous meeting. Cllr Alderton agreed to take minutes of the meeting.</p>	
19/020	<p><b>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:</b> None</p>	
19/021	<p><b>COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT:</b></p> <p>Cllr Jones ran through the main points of Cllr Otton's report highlighting the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Suffolk County Council children's services had been rated "outstanding" by OFSTED, one of only seven counties with that rating in the UK. However, the Council still struggled to fill social worker vacancies.</li><li>• There was a rise in the number of care leavers being housed in unregulated accommodation in Suffolk.</li><li>• Cllr Otton had raised a motion asking the Council to acknowledge an Europe-wide report into poverty, but had been voted down.</li><li>• Changes were being made to what could be recycled from the household collections, with Tetrapak and other items only being recycled at recycling centres.</li></ul>	
19/022	<p><b>DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORT:</b></p> <p>Dist Cllr Turner reported that the Council had been formed, with Conservative councillors being appointed to all cabinet positions. There were no matters of note in relation to Beyton.</p>	

19/023	<p><b>PUBLIC FORUM:</b></p> <p><b>Stonemeade</b></p> <p>A member of the public questioned whether the proposed meeting between the neighbours of Stonemeade and Kisimul, the owners of the property, was going ahead.</p> <p>Cllr Jones updated the PC on the situation to date and summarised the ongoing correspondence between himself and Kisimul. At the previous meetings, it had been reported that some dates in April had been agreed for a potential meeting between the neighbours and Kisimul, at which two PC members would be in attendance. Kisimul failed to confirm these dates, which had now passed. Meanwhile, Kisimul requested to meet with Jo Churchill MP, suggesting that the meeting with the neighbours be delayed until after that meeting. The PC had been invited to the meeting with Jo Churchill.</p>	
	<p>Discussion ensued over ongoing issues with noise from both staff and residents at the property, which the PC agreed were operational issues best dealt with through a meeting between the neighbours and the directors of the company. However, the PC did consider it would be beneficial for its members to attend the meeting with Jo Churchill and to continue to press for a follow-up meeting with close neighbours, in order to resolve ongoing issues.</p>	
19/024	<p><b>APPROVAL OF MINUTES:</b> The minutes of the meeting held on 13 May 2019 were approved.</p>	
19/025	<p><b>MATTERS ARISING:</b> None</p>	
19/026	<p><b>FINANCE:</b></p> <p>The accuracy of the first half of the precept payment remained a concern and it was not known whether this had been resolved. This would be followed up at the next meeting.</p> <p>It was agreed to continue with the existing insurance provider. As this was due to run out on 15 June, Cllr Jones would liaise with Mrs Lamb to ensure a cheque was paid over before that date.</p>	
19/027	<p><b>ADMINISTRATION</b></p> <p><u>Village Green Lease</u>: No new information</p> <p><u>VETS</u>: No new information</p>	
19/028	<p><b>PLANNING</b></p> <p>No new planning matters had been reported to the PC.</p> <p>It was noted that good progress was being made with the Neighbourhood Plan.</p>	
19/029	<p><b>DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING</b></p> <p>Monday 1 July 2019 at 7:30pm in the Vestry, All Saints Church, Church Road.</p>	

