

ROSEMARKET COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held at the Village Hall, Rosemarket on Monday 02/11/09

Apologies : None.

Present : C’llrs Evelyn Poar, Tony Young, Rhys Jones, Barbara Summons, M.B.E., David Wildman, Alan Taylor (Chairman); Peter Horton (Clerk).

Minutes of the October monthly meeting

The minutes were agreed as an accurate record, and signed by the Chairman (Proposer C’llr David Wildman, seconder C’llr Evelyn Poar). The September minutes were also signed, which had been held over from last month to allow for corrections

Matters arising.

Bus shelters. Members were informed that it was hoped that the work on the bus shelters would be completed this week. Note made for a letter of thanks to be sent to Mr. Colin Taylor following completion.

Plans

There were no plans for discussion this month.

Accounts

Children’s Fund. Members were informed that £19-27 was left in the Children’s Fund. Members agreed that this should be given as a donation to Llangwm School, rounded up to £20. Clerk to arrange this with a covering letter.

Payments

Llangwm School	:	£20-00
Milford Haven Royal British Legion	:	£15-00

The above items were approved by Members (Proposer C’llr Rhys Jones, seconder C’llr David Wildman).

Correspondence

- 1) P.I.P.P.A. – Newsletter – passed to C’llr Barbara Summons for perusal.
- 2) P.C.C. – Draft Off-Street Parking Order for consultation – [NOTE – C’llr David Wildman declared a personal interest in the matter, as a Cabinet Member involved in the decision making process, and refrained from participation in the debate]. Members agreed that a letter of objection should be sent to the proposals for car parking charges on the basis of the detrimental effect on local businesses.

Discussion of condition of Neyland Road

Members discussed the poor condition of the road. C’llr David Wildman informed Members that the Chief Engineer Mr. Hugh Marriott had inspected the road, was generally happy with its condition, and did not feel that any immediate significant remedial work was required. However, C’llr Barbara Summons was concerned that the road was gradually sinking. Matter left in abeyance for the time being.

Discussion of rubbish bin provision, Sardis

C’llr Rhys Jones mentioned that the bin being positioned so close to the bus shelter in Sardis was causing problems of smell, etc. He felt that it should be moved further from the bus shelter. It was mentioned that the moving of the bin would have to be paid for.

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Some Members felt that the cost should be shared with Burton Community Council. C'lr David Wildman undertook to put in a request via the Contact Centre to have the bin cleaned out and disinfected. It was felt that a request to move the bin might seem unreasonable given that it had been in situ for a number of years.

Discussion of problems of parking / overgrowth, Back Lane

C'lr Barbara Summons commented that it was in a bad state. Members noted that it is still a road, so P.C.C. Highways Department should keep it open. C'lr Barbara Summons also expressed concern over alleged annexation of some Highway land by a local resident. However, it was felt that without definitive photographic evidence it would be difficult to pursue this matter, and it was agreed that it should simply be noted. C'lr David Wildman to pursue with P.C.C. the clearing of overgrowth long the lane.

Discussion of school playground boundaries

Members noted the ownership of the triangle as being in R.C.C. ownership. However, it was recognised that a previous undertaking had been given that the triangle would belong with the Old School House henceforth. Clerk to write to the owner offering to transfer the land if they pay the Land Registry fee.

Members discussed the needed clearance of the growth along the playground boundaries. Some Members wished to burn it on The Beacon. Other Members felt that this was not a good option environmentally. Members agreed that a quotation should be obtained for the two options. C'lr Alan Taylor to arrange to obtain the necessary quotations. C'lr Barbara Summons drew attention to the boundary wall. She commented that this was not in the Community Council's ownership. However, it was recognised that cutting back overhanging growth was allowed.

Any other business

There was no Other Business this month.

Public forum

There were no members of the public present.

The meeting concluded at 7-40pm. Next meeting, Monday 7th December, 2009, 7pm.