SUTTON WEAVER PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting of Sutton Weaver Parish Council held at St Peter's Church Hall on Wednesday 2 November 2016 at 7.30pm

Sequence 152 Commenced 7.30pm

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Present	R Austin(RA)B Starkey(BS)P Huskisson(PH)A Griffiths(AG) P Parry(PP)I Derbyshire(IAD)	Action
Apologies	W Watson	
Minutes	The minutes of the last meeting were approved unanimously and signed by the chairman	
1. Items Raised by the Public	Dog Fouling. List given to IAD from Graham Gregson of car registration nos. Irresponsible dog owners not clearing up after their dogs. It is thought that several of the culprits work at the Eye Vets. IAD had spoken to the business in the past month and they advised that they didn't walk their dogs. Information given at the meeting suggests it's the employees' dogs. IAD had also been in contact with the dog warden at Ches West. They need actual addresses of these people, who would be paid a visit, pointing out their responsibilities and if this was ignored then penalty notices would be issued. More stickers have been ordered from Ches West to put around the village and we have also asked them to consider another bin in the area. On this matter, they are still to get back to us. IAD had also written to A Talbot to advise that people were trespassing on his property but had had no response. It is thought that the culprits are non residents of the village. M56 Resurfacing Work Clive Davies asked if we had had any more response to this work. IAD advised that apart from an email advising the work had been postponed to 17 October nothing else had been received. Nobody was certain if this work had now taken place.	IAD to contact Eye Vet. Pass on reg nos. to PCSO. Chase litter bin query.
	M56 Noise Fence Clive Davies asked if there had been any update to these works.	IAD to chase
	NoticeBoard Lorraine Jones asked if one of the local councillors could also have access to the noticeboard as a resident had asked to put up a notice about a gardening club. Spare key passed to BS.	IAD to order more keys and for each councillor to have one
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Items raised by the public	Complaint received that the resident at Sutton Lodge Farm, Chester Road was again not clearing the pavement outside their house after hedgecutting. The path is very narrow here and makes walking difficult and dangerous if not cleared. Due to the damp weather fungi was now growing through the path.	IAD to contact Ches West to report the resident
	Lorraine Jones asked if there could be a Christmas light competition. Agreed. 1 st prize £50,2 nd prize £30 and 3 rd prize £20. Judging to take place from Dec 22 nd onwards. Photographs of the winners' houses to be displayed	PE to ask Joe Halpin from Gleaves to judge
	on the noticeboard.	
2. Matters Arising	M56 Junction 11a. 159 petition letters were sent to Highways England objecting to the new junction. Highways England had responded and offered to attend December meeting. Suggestion made that they attend January 2017 meeting which gives PC time to advise all Sutton Weaver residents of their intended visit and their chance to put their point across. Notice to be inserted in December newsletter. BS reported that he had had a response from Graham Evans who appears to be against the new junction also although RA advised that a lady had contacted her to suggest that Graham Evans was for it.	IAD to contact England. IAD to invite Graham Evans and Ralph Oultram to meeting when date decided.
	Bus Stop. At present Ches West are refusing to move the bus stop on Chester Road as they feel the issue of buses obstructing are caused by Arriva. Arriva have now informed us that they have re-scheduled times and buses should only stop to pick up, drop off and move on. New timings will not happen until Jan 2017. Church Hall area Discussion around the church's offer of 5 free pc meeting sessions of the hall in return for the pc taking over the tidying of the land around the church hall all year round. 5 free sessions costs the PC £150 and it was thought that the land could not	Situation to be monitored IAD will advise church that PC will not be taking

	be managed for this sum. Was it worth getting some costings for the work and then re-negotiating with the church? Concensus was to leave it for now. SID — At last month's meeting Ralph Oultram stated he would speak to Cheshire West on our behalf regarding obstacles which appear to be putting in front of us all the time regarding the speed indicator device. Have asked Mr Oultram for an update but had no response so far. Coincidentally, another SID supplier had been in contact with IAD asking if they could quote again. Quote received for over £3K which is far higher than one given by Sidsigns.co.uk. Ches West could supply us with a sign but their price was over £6K.	Page 3 PP to speak to Ralph Oultram
	Speed Camera Signage – PCSO advised that Ches West have refused this signage for Chester Road on the basis that PCSO uses a speed gun there periodically. Playground – fungi. PP advised that Darren Wilson and John Baldacchino had visited the playground but no decision had been made on how best to remove it. 20mph signs on internal roads. IAD advised that Ches West are in the first year of a 4 year programme of doing this action throughout the borough. Sutton Weaver is scheduled for the 4 th year. Order of preference is due to factors like population, schools, accidents. Cedar Road sign Ches West advised that new sign has been ordered.	IAD to chase
3. Community Pride Competition	IAD was pleased to announce that Sutton Weaver had been awarded a "Little Gem Award" for the area around the telephone box and post box.	Certificate to be displayed on noticeboard
4. Newsletter	Anybody who had any newsworthy items for the December newsletter please let parish clerk know asap.	PP to ask Richard Whittle if he would like to place a notice regarding dog walking issue
5. Christmas Tree	IAD to instruct Gleaves to deliver tree around Nov 30 th . Speak to Mike Pusey who is in possession of the lights and key to the electrical supply. If need be	IAD

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6. Accounts for	Defib stickers £33.60/I Derbyshire £145.80 (tax	
Payment	refund) 2 x black ink cartridges £42.88/playground	
	inspection £54/KDE £144 for Tel Box light.	
7. AOB	Complaint had been received about the occupant of	IAD to
	22 Cedar Ave. Dead rats seen at the premises.	contact
	Neighbours complaining that the house smells.	Social
	Resident does not appear to be looking after himself. Playground PP asked if it would be ok for Sutton	Services
	Weaver Community Group to do monthly	
	inspections. Agreed.	
	RA advised that she had been invited to have tea	
	with the mayor of Frodsham later in the month and	
	asked if there were any issues the council would like	
	raised. None.	
Date of next	Wednesday 7 December 2016	
meeting		
	Minutes subject to approval at the new PC meeting	