

STALMINE-WITH-STAYNALL PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 10 November 2020 at 7.00pm via Zoom video conference.

Present: Cllrs T Williams (Chairman), D Booth, F Cardwell, A Morton, S Pelham, J Wilson.

In attendance: Alison May, clerk to the council.

72(1) Apologies for absence

None.

73(2) Declaration of interests and dispensations

Cllr Williams, Cllr Pelham, Cllr Booth application 20/01026/FUL.

74(3) Minutes of the last meeting

Councillors **resolved** to approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 13 October 2020.

75(4) Public participation

Resolved to close the meeting to allow members of the public to speak.

The problem of anti-social behaviour on the playing field and playing field car park was raised. The clerk reported that a letter had been sent to Lancashire police requesting an update on the action taken regarding problems earlier in the year and a response was being chased.

The issue of walkers straying from the public footpath on to private land at the Heads was raised. The clerk reported that signs were on order from LCC to ensure the route is fully waymarked. LCC had reported that the signs have been delayed because of the need to create signage for the pandemic and that the second lockdown meant that Covid signage had to take priority. Councillors plan a site visit at the Heads once lockdown measures are eased.

Resolved to reopen the meeting.

76(5) Planning

Application number: 20/00993/FUL

Proposal: Single-storey side extension

Location: Damson Cottage, Back Lane, Stalmine, Poulton-le-Fylde, Lancashire

Resolved: The council raised no objections to this application.

Application number: 20/01026/FUL

Proposal: Change of use of land for the siting of two holiday chalets (re-submission 20/00369/FUL)

Location: Field west of New Road, Wardleys Lane, Stalmine, Poulton-le-Fylde FY6 9DX

Cllrs Williams, Booth and Pelham left the meeting

Resolved: The council objected to this application on the grounds that it believes the development would detrimentally impact the visual amenity of the area and harm the rural character of this countryside location. The implied benefits to users of the chalets do not

81(10) Request for assistance

Resolved: to postpone this item for discussion until the December meeting.

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY**82(11) Reports from outside bodies/councils**

Cllr Booth reported that she would be attending Hambleton Flood Forum on 10 November.

83(12) Clerk's report

Councillors **noted:**

Road closure

Temporary road closure on Union Lane, Out Rawcliffe, from 0900 on 26 October until 1700 on 13 December or until completion.

Tree work

The second phase of the work to remove diseased and dying trees and to thin out the undergrowth has been postponed until the ground conditions are suitable for the machinery to gain access.

Planters and beds

The plantsman has partially filled the beds with well-rotted horse manure and topped them up with compost ready for replanting. He has started an autumn prune of established beds.

The lengthsman has replaced the wooden surround on the waterwheel bed ready for planting.

84(13) Questions for councillors

Cllr Pelham updated councillors on her attendance in a personal capacity at the November Wyre planning committee meeting.

Cllr Pelham asked if it was possible to discuss the recent planning application for Occupation Lane and was informed that it was already on December's draft agenda.

Cllr Morton raised the recent item from Wyre Council regarding suitable locations for establishing off-road vehicle charging points. It was suggested that the village hall met the necessary criteria, however problems with parking in the hall car park mean that consideration is being given to closing it off to non-village hall users. It was suggested that Ashleigh Close may be a suitable location if part of the grass verge is taken away.

85(14) Items for next agenda

Councillors were asked to raise matters to be included on the agenda for the next meeting of the Parish Council either at the meeting or by notifying the clerk at least 10 days prior to the next meeting (**Friday 27 November at the latest**), with a summary of the reason for raising the matter.

86(15) Date and time of next meeting

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on **Tuesday 8 December 2020** at 7.00pm via Zoom.

There being no other business the chairman closed the meeting at 8.40pm.