# Uffington Parish Council Meeting Monday 10th December 2018

#### **MINUTES**

- 1. Chairman's Welcome. The Chairman welcomed all to the meeting.
- 2. Declarations of Pecuniary Interest; There were none at this point
- 3. **Present** Councillor L Padmore-Chairman; Councillor P Daimond-Vice-chairman; Councillor R Davies; Councillor E Strawbridge; Councillor A Blake; Shropshire Councillor L Picton L Pardoe clerk to the council and J Jordan from Sundorne Estates.
- 4. Public Session. There were no members of the public to speak
- 5. **Police Report:** Please note these will now be done bi-monthly due to PC Walton's workload. They would be forwarded to members when received by the clerk and put on the website for the public to see. Members reported that there had been visits from the Speed Control vehicle and that several people had been caught speeding on camera.
- 6. Council to agree minutes of meeting held on 12<sup>th</sup> November 2018; it was agreed that these were a true and accurate record of the meeting; proposed by Councillor L Padmore seconded by Councillor P Daimond and agree by all members present.
- 7. Clerk to report on matters from the minutes not covered elsewhere on the agenda. The clerk reported that she had attended a meeting of the Town & Parish Council Forum at the Shirehall and been able to speak to Steve Brown, Head of Highways at Shropshire Council, who had agreed to attend the Parish Council meeting in January to speak to members on the Sundorne Roundabout. She had contacted all the prospective sponsors and explained the situation to them and invited them to attend the January meeting to hear what Steve Brown has to say and possibly contribute to the discussion.
- 8. To receive Reports from Shropshire Councillor L Picton; Councillor Picton had also spoken to Steve Brown about the roundabout and asked him to bring some proposals to the January meeting.

There are likely to be Boundary reviews in 2021 and this may lead to a reduction in the number of parish councils.

The financial situation is still in a bad way although Shropshire Council has received some £7.3 million for highways.

Councillor Picton wished all members of the Parish Council a Merry Christmas and left the meeting after making her report.

## 9. Sundorne Roundabout update. See above

## 10. To receive reports from

- Neighbourhood watch;
- Any other meetings attended by members; the clerk had attended two meetings on behalf of the council. The SALC Area Meeting and the Town & Parish Council Forum. She explained to the members the benefits if attending the SALC Area Meeting as it was a very useful place to meet other Councillors and hear what is happening in other parishes in the area. The Town & Parish Council Forum was where current matters that were relevant to the sector were spoken on and often had speakers on topics. It was a place to bring matters up of concern and try to get them taken back to the relevant department at Shropshire Council.

## 11. Highway Matters

Councillors to report any Highways matters: The potholes have still not been dealt
with and are getting much worse. The clerk to chase these up again with Colin Blower
and Ian Walshaw of Shropshire Council.

## 12. Planning:

- i) Clerk to update previous applications.
- ii) Ref: 18/04244/ASMP. Land adjoining Manor Farm Uffington. Awaiting decision Ref:18/02705/FUL: Weir at Sunderton Pool. Uffington. Awaiting decision Ref:18/04179/FUL Ebury Hill Caravan Site .Awaiting decision Ref:18/04878/FUL. Hillside Farm, Uffington Awaiting decision
- iii) Council to consider new applications. There were none.
- iii) Council to consider applications received after the agenda is published. There were none.

### 13. Finance

Council to agree and pay accounts as presented by the clerk: It was agreed to pay
the accounts as presented by the clerk. Proposed by Councillor P Daimond;
seconded by Councillor R Davies and agreed by all members present.

Cheque Number	Payee	Brief Description	Amount
000709	HMRC	PAYE	45.60
000710	L Pardoe	S/O diff & Exp	41.77
Standing Order	L Pardoe	Salary	256.39
000711	E-on	Light repair	85.45
		Total	429.21

- ii. Council to accept Bank Reconciliation as presented by the clerk; It was agreed to accept the Bank reconciliation as presented by the clerk. Proposed by Councillor P Daimond; seconded by Councillor R Davies and agreed by all members present
- iii. Council to receive papers in preparation of the budget and precept setting in January. These were given to members
- 14. Correspondence: This was noted.

### 15. Parish Matters

- Councillors had nothing to report.
- 16. Date and time of Next meeting It was agreed that this would be held on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2019 at 7.30pm at Uffington Village Hall.
- 17. The Chairman thanked all for attending and after wishing everyone a Merry Christmas closed the meeting at 8.15pm