

**Uffington Parish Council
Meeting
Monday 9th March 2020**

MINUTES

1. **Chairman's Welcome** the chairman welcomed all to the meeting
2. **Declarations of Pecuniary Interest;** there were none at this point of the meeting.
3. **Present:** Councillor L Padmore-Chairman , Councillor P Daimond-Vice-chairman , Councillor A Blake, Councillor R Davies, Councillor E Strawbridge , Shropshire Councillor L Picton ,L Pardoe Clerk to the council and one member of the public & Apologies were received from Barbara Ashton
Standing Orders were suspended to allow the members of the public to speak.
4. **Public Session** Jason Jordan from Sundorne Estate reported that they are looking at what to do with Sundorne Castle. There is some restoration work needed doing to it.
Haughmond Hill is becoming a bit of a problem with anti-social motor biking on it. There is an issue with the Shropshire Way. Shropshire Way does not have permission for access to Haughmond Hill.
There is also an issue with some residents in Uffington who have put a gate in the Sundorne fence for access to a field they have no access to.
The Estate is looking at identifying some sites for disabled fishing.
Standing Orders were re-instated.
5. **Defibrillator Report: Councillor A Blake to report on status of the defibrillator sited in Telephone box opposite the Village Hall.** The new defibrillator pads had been installed in the cabinet and were ready for action should they be needed.
6. **Council to agree minutes of meeting held on Monday 10th February 2020**It was agreed that these were a true and accurate record of the meeting, proposed by Councillor L Padmore, seconded by Councillor R Davies and agreed by all members of the council.
7. **Clerk to report on matters. All matters were covered on the agenda.**
8. **To receive Reports from Shropshire Councillor L Picton.** Councillor Picton reported that there were now 16 crews working throughout the county to repair the potholes. These repairs would be carried out by the teams on the first visit to the site.
9. **Traffic Calming proposals for the village;** see item 11 re the VAS
10. **Council to receive reports from**
 - Neighbourhood watch; there was nothing to report
 - Any meetings attended by members
11. **Highway Matters**
 - Councillors to report any Highways matters.
 - The Chairman had received complaints that the VAS were not coming on in time. Clerk to follow this up with G Johnson at E-on. The clerk reported that she had witnessed them coming on at 35mph from the B5062.
 - The clerk reported that Shona Butter was waiting for Rangers to look at the footpath but they are somewhat inundated with jobs to do following the recent flooding issue. They were very busy dealing with bridges.
12. **Planning:**
 - i) Clerk to update previous applications.
Ref: 19/04727/PMBPA, Bridge Farm Uffington. Awaiting decision
 - ii) Council to consider new applications
Reference: 20/00895/FUL
Address: The Old Vicarage, Uffington Shrewsbury.SY4 4SN
Proposal: Erection of a single storey rear extension following demolition of conservatory and rear extension to garage. After discussion it was agreed that the Parish Council fully supported this application. Proposed by councillor A Blake, seconded by Councillor R Davies. Three members were in favour of this,there were two abstentions. The motion to support the application was carried.
Councillor E Strawbridge left the meeting at this point.
13. **Finance**
 - i. The chairman proposed that the cheque to E-on be held over until the VAS signs were working at the correct distance, this was seconded by Councillor P Daimond and agreed by all members present.

| Cheque Number | Payee | Brief Description | Amount |
|---------------|-------|----------------------------|---------|
| 000746 | Staff | Admin & Defibrillator pads | 21.25 |
| S/O | Staff | Salary | 322.51 |
| 000747 | E-On | VAS & Street Lights | 8431.34 |
| | | Total | 8775.10 |

- ii. 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 A Blake and agreed by all members present.
- iii. Council to consider giving a donation to the Church towards the resurfacing of the footpath in the churchyard. It was agreed to defer this to the April meeting.
- iv. 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 R Davies, seconded by Councillor P Daimond and agreed by all members present.

14. Correspondence: This was noted.

15. Parish Matters

- Councillors had nothing to report at this point.

16. Date and time of Next meeting it was agreed that this would be held on Monday 20th April 2020 at 7.30pm at Uffington Village Hall.

17. The Chairman thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting at 8.30pm.