

**Minutes of Osmaston and Yeldersley Parish Council held on
Tuesday 27th March 2018, 7:30pm, in The Shoulder of Mutton, Osmaston**

18/21 To consider for approval – draft Minutes of Tuesday 16th January 2018 and the draft Minutes of the extraordinary meeting held on Monday 5th February 2018.

Cllrs welcomed to the meeting. Cllrs approved the draft minutes for Tuesday 16th January 2018 as an accurate record. The Minutes were signed off by Cllr Hall.

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18/22 In attendance & apologies

In attendance: Cllr Cranstone, Cllr Hall, Cllr Naylor,

Apologies: Cllr Moseley, Cllr Woodrow, Cllr Wright, County Cllr Bull

18/23 Declarations of Interest

None

18/24 Public Participation

No parishioners were in attendance.

Cllr Cranstone raised the issue of businesses no longer being able to pay their business rates by cheque. Businesses are now expected to make payments electronically.

However, for parishes where internet connection isn't reliable this is very difficult.

Action: Clerk to contact DDDC and raise this issue

18/25 County Cllr & District Cllr Updates

County Cllr Bull was unable to attend.

Cllr Shirley sent the following update via email on 27th March 2018:

I am sorry, but I will not be able to attend the meeting this evening, please could you record my apologies. As councillors will be aware DDDC have now adopted the local plan, which should stabilise the planning situation within the district. Whilst it identified areas which the Parish were not happy with the outcome should be better for the district than the Secretary of State imposing a local plan, which is happening to some other councils. DDDC is now considering the Leisure review which looks at the part privatisation of the Leisure centre operation. The basis of this review is to maintain delivery of leisure services without an increase in cost or loss of provision but a financial saving to the Council. DDDC is currently reviewing the levels of discretionary non domestic rate reliefs that it gives to charities and non-profit making bodies. The matter is out to consultation and all affected bodies will be written to and will have an opportunity to respond - it is important that they do. As you will know the decision was taken by DDDC to increase Council Tax this year after several years of their being no increase. With a reduction in central government funding it has become impossible to deliver the current level of service without an increase in Council Tax. The Council is also exploring other commercial property investment opportunities to diversify its income whilst at the same time maintaining supporting the economy of the district. This is at a very early stage and a working group of councillors and officers has been formed to consider the scope of this policy. Please let me know whether there are any issues I need to follow up on. Many thanks, and I am sorry that I am unable to attend

18/26 Police Update

There were no updates. Cllrs were invited to comment but had nothing to report.

18/27 Update – Vital Earth

Cllr Naylor had nothing to report. There are no meetings with Vital Earth scheduled at the moment.

18/28 Highways / Rights of Way

Update on jobs reported to Highways

Vehicle Activated Sign

There has been no response to the request for a meeting. Cllrs reported that the sign still functions erratically. *Action: Clerk to follow up with Cllr Bull*

Traffic Light controlled access (A52) Link Road

The Clerk wrote to DCC with Parish Council concerns about the impact of the proposed traffic light controlled access. Cllr Spencer, Leader of DCC, responded as follows:

Thank you for your email. We will discuss this with officers and revert back to you in due course.

18/29 Items for reporting to Highways

Potholes reported on Quilow Lane, Moor Lane and Ladyhole Lane.

Action: Clerk to report to DCC Highways

18/30 Finance

The current account bank balance at 27th March 2018 was £3,247.23.

The savings account was £4,649.76.

Invoices for payment – Cllrs agreed to postdate the cheques to 4th April 2018 at the Clerk's request, as they will not be able to post them out until early April.

000163 - £351.47 (Clerk's salary – January, February, March 2018, Annual stipend, Printing)

000164 - £40.00 (DALC – Annual Return training course for Clerk)

000165 - £15.00 (Aviva – Clerk pension contribution)

000166 - £99.47 (DALC Annual Subscription 2018 – 2019)

000167 - £34.00 (Royal British Legion – wreaths)

000168 - £70.00 (Ashbourne Secretarial and Printing Services – defib leaflets)

General Data Protection Regulations

The Clerk asked if they could attend the DALC GDPR training in April.

Cllrs agreed. *Action: Clerk to book place*

18/31 Parish Projects

Information Board

The Clerk has been in touch with the Osmaston and Yeldersley History Group and they are interested in working with the Parish Council on the Information Board. The Clerk suggested to the History Group that they apply for a grant from the Parish Council towards the cost of publishing the book.

Action: Clerk to liaise with History Group

Clerk and Cllrs discussed purchasing membership of a mapping service to provide a map for the information board and also of the parish, including Rights of Way. The cost would be £36.00. Cllrs approved this purchase.

Action: Clerk to register with Parish Online

Flyer for how to use Defibrillator

The Clerk provided the defibrillator flyer for Cllrs to distribute in parish.

18/32 Planning

Applications:

There were no applications for consideration.

18/33 Correspondence

DDDC Community Infrastructure Levy

DDDC sent out a letter notifying Parishes about the proposed Community Infrastructure Levy consultation. This is a planning charge which will replace, in part, Section 106 funding requirements which will help councils “... help deliver infrastructure to support the development needs of their area.”

<http://www.derbyshiredales.gov.uk/planning-a-building-control/planningpolicy/2639-community-infrastructure-levy-consultation-on-preliminary-charging-schedule>

Cllrs were concerned that this levy would be used for new developments rather than improving of local facilities.

Action: Clerk to respond as above

18/34 Parish Council Meetings

Meetings will stay at Tuesday for May, July and September. The matter will be discussed again at the September meeting.

18/35 Items for next Agenda

Discussion - replacement noticeboard for Yeldersley

18/36 Next Meeting:

Annual Meeting of the Parish Council / Parish Council Meeting / Annual Meeting of the Parish - Tuesday 15th May 2018, 7:30, The Shoulder of Mutton

18/37 Discussion re informal inter parish meetings

Cllrs asked Clerk to contact Shirley and Bradley Clerks to ask if the PCs should get together informally to discuss shared issues / concerns such as Police/DDDC/Planning. In addition Cllrs would like Cllr Shirley, DDDC to attend.

Action: Clerk to contact Clerks and Cllr Shirley

The meeting ended at 21:00