

Studley Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held in the Council Chamber, Studley Village Hall on 2nd September 2014 at 7:30 pm.

1. Chairman declared the meeting open.

Present

Chairman Cllr J Ingram. Vice- Chair Cllr Mrs M Rickhards, Cllr E Holder, Cllr M Redman, Cllr P Beaman, Cllr Mrs S Redman, Cllr Mrs M Woodrow, Cllr T O'Hanlon & Cllr A Smith

In attendance

Assistant Clerk Mrs L Stanton & County Councillor C Rickhards

2. Apologies for Absence.

Cllr J Bacon, Cllr Mrs Sandra Crofts, Cllr M Roskell & Parish Clerk, Mrs Lesley Gailey

3. Declarations of Interest

Members are asked to declare personal interests in any item on the agenda. Members are reminded that the Code of Conduct which took effect from 7 August 2012 provides that they should declare the existence and nature of their personal interest at the commencement of the relevant item (or as soon as the interest becomes apparent). If that interest is prejudicial they should withdraw from the room and not seek improperly to influence a decision about that matter.

There were none.

4. Public Forum

There were none

5. Matters Arising (for information only)

There were none

6. Items for Discussion

Min: 89 Tools to address speeding on the High Street & Station Road

To be deferred till after the Road Safety meeting on the 29th September 2014.

Min: 90 Reminder of road safety meeting on the 29th September 2014 at 11am in Studley Village Hall.

Cllr P Beaman, Cllr M Redman, Cllr E Holder and Cllr Mrs S Redman will attend meeting.

Min: 91 CCTV- Annual Review & payment

Assistant Clerk informed Council a precept of £2000.00 has been allocated for the CCTV contribution for 2014/2015. The Parish Council has increased the contribution by £1000 from previous year's contribution.

Proposed Cllr J Ingram, seconded Cllr A Smith voting unanimous for Assistant Clerk to confirm with Mr T Perks at SDC on the Parish Council's contribution.

Min: 79 Sustainable Communities Act – 'Barrier Busting Form'

Cllr J Ingram explained to Council on how the 'Barrier Busting Form' can be used to raise concerns on the proposed Redditch Borough Council Plan 4. Cllr J Ingram has agreed to complete the form on behalf of the Parish Council.

The following points will be raised regarding the Redditch Borough Council Plan 4;

- Lack of consultation with neighbouring Parishes.
- Impact on amenities in the surrounding area.
- No forward planning by Redditch Borough Council.

Cllr J Ingram, Cllr P Beaman and Cllr C Rickhards have agreed to get together to discuss and formulate a response to use in the form. Cllr C Rickhards will not be able to attend the meeting on the 9th September due to a prior engagement but he is happy to support any decision made by Cllr J Ingram and Cllr P Beaman.

Proposed Cllr J Ingram, seconded Cllr Mrs S Redman, voting unanimous for Cllr P Beaman and Cllr J Ingram to discuss concerns on the Redditch Borough Council Plan No: 4.

Min: 92 Diamond Bus Services

Cllr Mrs M Rickhards informed Council that the changes made by Diamond Bus Services will not have much effect on Studley residents. There will still be several regular bus services into Redditch.

County Councillor C Rickhards reported the following bus services will be running in Studley;

- Bus no: 26 will be operated by Stagecoach with no changes to their timetables.
- Bus no: 143 will become Bus no: 67 the service will operate from Studley to Redditch only.
- Bus no: 247 - There will be no changes to this service.

Cllr C Rickhards will try to find out further information on the cancellation of the bus service during the school term time.

7. Planning Applications for consideration

None

8. Planning Decisions Received

14/01612/FUL: Studley Methodist Church, Alcester Road, Studley, B80 7NJ

Proposed erection of new entrance porch and internal alteration

Permission with Conditions

14/01623/FUL: Aldi Stores Ltd, 2 Birmingham Road, Studley, B80 7BG

Proposed extension to existing food retail store car park, incorporating the change of use of part of the rear gardens of no: 6 Birmingham Road, Studley to car parking.

Permission with Conditions

9. Notification of Planning Appeals & Planning Committee Meeting

There were none.

10. Correspondence

Min: 92 Studley Village Hall- Defibrillator re- training 10th Oct 2014, 2 pm- Studley Village Hall

For Circulation

Min: 93 Alcester North Safer Neighbourhood Team- Community Newsletter- August 2014

Min: 94 SDC CCTV Forum Meeting

Min: 95 SLCC- Notice of Annual General Meeting- Friday 10th Oct 2014 in the Bristol Suite at Bristol Marriott Hotel City Centre.

11. Approved Accounts for payment

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	Ian Geddes	Website update	541	£64.35
	P A Janes	Litter Pick- millennium park and car park	542	£380.00
	PA Janes	Maintenance Work to play equipment following play inspection report	543	£2245
	J Vale	Ground contractor	544	£999.00
	Linda Stanton	Purchase of beverages for the Awards Evening	545	£348.49

Proposed Cllr E Holder, seconded Cllr Mrs S Redman voting unanimous for schedule of cheques be approved and signed.

12. Date of the next Parish Council Meeting: 16th September 2014

Meeting closed 8:15 pm