

LANEHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on
Monday 8th June 2015, 7.15 pm at the Village Hall, Laneham.

PRESENT: Parish Councillors: Cllr E Collier (Chair), , Cllr F Clark, Cllr T Williamson, Cllr G.Sumnall
In attendance: T Callaghan (Clerk), Mr G Scrini.

1. APOLOGIES

Cllr G Woodfield, Cllr D Myers, Cllr J Cobb, Cllr K Isard, Cllr I Isard

2. DECLARATION OF PERSONAL AND PREJUDICIAL INTERESTS.

Cllr T Williamson & Cllr F Clark-Village Hall
Cllr J Cobb & Cllr F Clark- Poor Close
Cllr G Woodfield & Cllr F Clark-St Peters Church, Laneham

3. POLICE REPORT

The Clerk read out an e-mail from PC Bailey, advising that due to reductions in officer numbers, he was unlikely to be able to attend monthly meetings. He also advised that it was likely that the rural beats would in future be conducted by PCSOs alone, although it was also likely that their numbers would be reduced. Councillors expressed concerns at the current level of local policing and referred to previous correspondence with the Police Commissioner which did not appear to provide much reassurance.

4. MINUTES OF MEETINGS HELD 11th May 2015

The minutes of the Annual Parish Council meeting were agreed to be a true record, proposed by Cllr T Williamson, seconded by Cllr F Clark.
The minutes of the Monthly Parish Council meeting were agreed to be a true record, proposed by Cllr T Williamson, seconded by Cllr F Clark.

5. MATTERS ARISING

(a) Outstanding Items List:

- (i) Village Hall Heating-Cllr E Collier has followed up Clifford Heating regarding survey & quote. Awaiting Clifford Heating.
- (ii) Village Signage . .Clerk to contact Notts CC regarding improvements-awaiting photos.
- (iii) Helenship Lane Passing Places-.Ongoing. No developments. Await funding agreement.
- (iv) Lengthsman Scheme-Cllr Woodfield to liaise with Dunham and report back. It was noted that the Dunham Clerk position had recently been advertised, the current incumbent retiring.
- (v) Alterations to Bank Accounts-Mandates confirmed as changed. Awaiting access to on line banking. Cllr Collier contacted Nat West regarding complaint and offer of compensation. They were to contact clerk but no contact made. Cllr Collier to pass details to Clerk.
- (vi) Street lighting-no faulty lights reported
- (vii)Broadings Lane. Await contact from Strawsons Farms regarding commencement of works to village end. Notts CC have advised that damage caused by vehicular traffic which is not supposed to be on lane, it being designated a Bridleway only. Clerk to contact Notts CC to investigate options.
- (viii) Grass Cutting. First cut completed at village entrances. Cllr Sumnal will continue to maintain at a maximum cost of £50 per cut. Cllr Sumnal has also cut the Trentside area at £110.00

(b) Nat West Accounts –update. See item (v) above

Meeting closed 7:27 pm

6. PUBLIC DISCUSSION:

Mr G Scrini updated the meeting on progress and current situation regarding the Archaeological Survey, confirming that a tender had been agreed on following a thorough process to ensure best value, submitted by Mercian. Councillors agreed their support for the project. Clerk to investigate setting up separate banking facilities for the Heritage Lottery Funding if successful. Councillors thanked Mr Scrini for his input and efforts on the project to date.

Meeting recommenced at 8.00pm

7. ACCOUNTS

(a) Payment of Accounts

Clerk presented invoices to the meeting. The following cheques were agreed and signed:

M Fanthorpe	1107	£358.33	Maintenance
T Callaghan	1108	£155.70	Clerk's Wages
T Callaghan	1109	£9.35	Expenses

Clifford Heating	1110	£90.00	Village Hall Heating
J K Walker	1111	£60.00	Grass Cutting
GMS Services	1112	£160.00	Grass Cutting (Trentside & Village Entrances)

8. PLANNING

15/00802/HSE-West View, Dunham Road- The council felt they wished to raise concerns over the increase in floor area proposed, and in addition wish to raise concerns over the proposed development being out of character with the nature of the village. Further it was brought to the Council's attention that works would appear to have commenced on the project before full consent considered or granted, the consultation period still being ongoing.

9. CORRESPONDENCE

Incoming correspondence passed to Chair, consisting of catalogues and sales literature

10. LANEHAM LAST MONTH

A brief discussion on the future of Broading Lane field ensued, and it was agreed to place the issue on the agenda for the next (August) meeting.
Councillors thanked Cllr Sumnal for his work around the village.

11. Any Other Business

None

Meeting closed 8.40 pm

Next meeting 7.00 pm at Village Hall, Laneham on Monday 10th August.