

EARL SOHAM PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Minutes for ESPC 02/03/17

Attending Chairman David Grose and Councillors Lucy Murrell, Mark Rutherford, Celia Peacher, Andrew Patterson, Neil Warden, John Starke, Peter Russell and Anna Goymer
Public; 6 members of the public (names held by chair)

1 No apologies or absence

2 Declaration of interest: A declaration of interest was made by councillor Neil Warden as Mr Hinton is his landlord

3 Minutes of the last parish council meeting of the 9/01/17 were approved and signed

4 Application for the position of Clerk to the Parish Council: A unanimous vote was made to accept Guy Harvey's application to be Clerk to Earl Soham Parish Council. Mr Harvey then volunteered to take the minutes of the meeting.

5 Public comment: None

6 Planning application DC/17/0492/FUL received no objections and is recommended unanimously approved

7 ES Business Centre Mr Hinton has been in touch with Mr Nicholass to arrange a meeting to find some common ground to move the project forward before the proposal is put to the village a meeting to take place before the end of March
AG-School should be involved in some way. PR-Asked about dates to be advised but more likely to weekend as Mr Nicholass works in London during the week NW-Asked if traffic survey had been carried out?

8 Neighbourhood Plan DG,MR,NW had a meeting with Gillian Benjamin at Suffolk Coastal about starting the process of setting up a N.P. DG-Looking to set up a committee asap put a notice on the board and the parish magazine, this needs to be done by the 12/3/17, asking for anyone who wants to be involved to put themselves forward AG-asked to set up a notices on Website / Leaflet drop as this might be more proactive and get better coverage MR-Setting up survey cost of £200 to use the software any ideas about questions JS Is there any time limit? AG-Can we set up a dedicated email address ESNP MR-will talk to Chris Hall about this
AG-Thought we use Facebook as well and will look into this AG-Can a playground be in the ESNP. PR-SILLS money is for maintenance and not for erecting LM-there is £2/3000 available to use but not sure how to access it

9 LM-Suggested Headway could be a new charity to donate to, after discussing agreed to put into next years budget 2018

10 Traffic issues Jewsons lorries using B road between Easton Brandiston and Earl Soham and should be using A roads from Framlingham Trading Standards Lorry Watch scheme is there a cost to the ESPC. DG- to talk to Sue Neil at Highways re traffic management.

11 Cllr R Vickery unable to attend but advised DG- that we cannot have bollards around the village green because of access
PR-advised that lorries etc are using the Brandiston end of the green as a place to U turn and damaging the green he advised that it is possible to double the height of the curbs to discourage this
Cllr C. Hudson unable to make it
No report report from the School

12 DG- We received £80 for the burial of Mary Jane Field

13 Correspondence since last meeting: All received – no comments

14 JS- asked if planning application at Yew Tree Court could be on the next agenda as the objection did not get put on the council planning committee.

15 Next meeting 11/05/17

Meeting concludes at 20.27hrs