

Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday 14th March 2019.

Present: Cllrs. Daw (Chair), Humphreys, Betts, Straw, Powell, Preece & Rainbow.

Apologies: Cllrs. Bailey (RBC),

Declaration of interest: None.

Acceptance of minutes of the meeting of the 14th February 2019. These were agreed and signed as a true record.

Matters arising:

Enforcement Officer update – Clerk confirmed that Mr Muter had spoken with the landowner, who was willing to move the vehicles by the summer. However, some were owned by another party, Mr Muter to contact.

Telephone box painting – Clerk confirmed BT to complete this by September.

Village Archive update – Cllr. Straw gave an update on the first meeting. 9 people attended. Next meeting 30th April 2019.

Snowdrops – It was proposed to purchase snowdrops for the Churchyard now, also daffodils for the greens in the autumn. Agreed.

Correspondence:

WRS quote to grind the stump on Sutton Lane Green had been received for £240. Cllrs. voted to reject this at the moment.

Town & Parish Forum:

Cllrs. Humphreys and Rainbow reported on the recent forum.

Planning:

For consideration:	19/00272/FUL	Sunset Barn, Sutton	No Objection.
	19/00536/FUL	Ivy House Farm, Granby	No Objection
	19/00499/LBC	Highfield House, Sutton	No Objection.
	19/00498/FUL	Highfield House, Sutton	No Objection

Elections:

Clerk gave out nominations forms. Cllrs. to speak with anyone who has shown an interest in standing for Council.

Annual Parish Meeting:

To be held on the 9th May 2019. Different format this year, with a talk by Lesley Taylor Recycling & Education Officer. Cllr. Humphreys to do flyer.

Finance: Current account balance: £16,150.03 Bank Reserve Acct Balance: £10365.51

The following accounts were approved for payment:

Accounts for payment.	(excl VAT)
E on (Gas)	£10.80 DD
E on (Elect)	£21.13 DD
A Coy (salary)	£709.86
N Rains (salary)	£276.10
HMRC	£76.40

A Coy	£79.56 (Green bin, tel, ink, windows)
CHT	£235.00 (Battery Sutton)
Water Plus	£10.36 (Cemetery)
E Humphreys	£59.59 (Tree Sutton Lane Green)

Councillors' reports:

Cllr. Betts requested to purchase a frame for the 1910 photograph taken of the villagers and to display this in the village hall. Approved.

Cllr. Humphreys confirmed the tree for Sutton Lane Green had been ordered and would be delivered week commencing 22nd March.

Cllr. Daw gave his apologies for next month's meeting. Cllr. Rainbow to chair.

Date and time of next meeting: 11th April 2019 at 7.30pm.

Meeting closed at 20.35 p.m.