

Anderton Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday, 19th November, 2019 at the Community Centre, Railway Road, Adlington at 7.30p.m.

Present: Cllrs. I Horsfield T Blackburn N Smith P Pilling B Shaw
Clerk D Hesketh

Apologies: Cllr J Appleyard

Cllr. Horsfield opened the meeting and reminded members of their responsibility to declare any personal interest in respect of matters arising on the agenda. There were none.

The minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 24th September 2019 were taken as read (all councillors provided with copies prior to meeting) and approved. The minutes were then signed by the chairman.

2) Reports

- a) Chorley Liaison meeting held on Wednesday 16th October 2019 attended by Cllr. Horsfield.
- b) Report on Anderton Scouts AGM held on Friday 27th September 2019 attended by Cllrs Horsfield, Blackburn and Shaw.
- c) Report on Headless Cross information board meeting held on Sunday 27th October 2019 attended by Clerk and Cllrs Horsfield, Blackburn, Smith and Pilling. Response from Bernie Heggarty at Chorley Borough Council re lack of permission from Lancashire County Council noted. Resolved Clerk to continue to seek reasons from CBC for Lancashire County Council refusal of permission.

3) Matters arising from the minutes:

- a) Flooding and drainage issues on Bolton Road. – Parish Council have raised this with CBC and LCC. Resolved Clerk to report back constituent.

4) Financial Matters:

Current a/c £6697.83 Deposit a/c £6873.11

- a) Clerks expenses £102.66 - approved for payment
- b) Estimated costs for contested and un-contested elections. - noted
- c) Invoice for £42 dated 10th October from RP Smith and Co for payroll services. – Noted previously paid.
- d) Invoice from Adlington in Bloom – approved for payment
- e) Costs for Windows 10 and printer upgrades to clerks computer – resolved to pay £100 towards cost
- f) Cil report for 2018/2019 – chairman to provide report to clerk.
Clerk to arrange for the form to be posted on the web site and submitted to Chorley Borough Council.
- g) Invoice from 123Reg for domain name renewal £35.96 approved for payment
- h) Invoice for £120 from Andy Cubbins for gardening services. - approved for payment

5) Correspondence:

- a) Email re Cosy Homes scheme in Lancashire noted.
- b) Email regarding Ward drop-in events for the Central Lancashire Local Plan Issues and Options Consultation. - noted event in Adlington scheduled for 4-7pm on 14th January 2020 in the community centre on Railway Road..
- c) Emails re junction of Rossendale Drive and Bolton Road - noted
- d) Request for a grant from Chorley and South Ribble Shopmobility – resolved not to support a grant.
- e) Request for funding re the provision of illumination at the war memorial on Railway Road resolved clerk to inform Bernie Heggarty at CBC that Anderton Parish Council are unable to provide funding due to our own SE Lincs initiative still being ongoing.
- f) Notice of forthcoming Planning in Practice meeting on 10th February 2019. – Cllrs to inform clerk at next meeting if they wish to attend.

6) Planning Applications:

a) 19/00958/ADV Installation of halo illuminated and non-illuminated signage Coop Late Shop Bolton Road.
Councils response noted.

7) Matters of Report:

a) Chairman, Councillors and Clerk attended Remembrance Sunday on 10th November.

8) Other matters:

a) Dates for 2020 meetings. – resolved clerk to book Tuesdays March 24th, May 19th AGM. July 21st, September 22nd, November 24th and January 26th 2021.

b) Clerk to send Christmas greeting cards to Adlington, Blackrod and Heath Charnock councils and to Sir Lindsay Hoyle.

The meeting closed at 9.18 pm. Next meeting – Tuesday 21st January 2020- at 7.30 p.m.