

# Penkridge Parish Council

## Minutes of the Penkridge Parish Council Meeting held On 11<sup>th</sup> January 2018 at 7.30 pm at the Haling Dene Centre

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### PRESENT

Councillor	David Oldfield [Chairman]
"	Bevan Craddock
"	John L Eastwood
"	Mrs Isabel G A Ford
"	Brian Heathcote
"	Mrs Petula M C Hughes
"	Victor Kelly
"	Andrew Lenz
"	Alan Smallwood
"	Mrs Vivienne Smith
"	Calvert Stonehouse

Also in Attendance Ms L Hough

There were three members of the Public in attendance

### Part I - Public Session

#### 3600. APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from Cllrs Andrew Adams, Miss Chloe Burns, Mrs Hilary Hughes and Anthony Minshall.

#### 3601. PERSONALIA AND EVENTS

The above was received for December 2017.

Councillors thanked Cllr Mrs Vivienne Smith for providing and decorating the Council's Tree at the Christmas Tree Festival to match the Chairman's chosen charities.

#### 3602. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

#### 3603. DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTEREST (DPI)

There had been no DPI requests received.

#### 3604. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Mrs Dorothy Briggs of Cannock Road said she watched a TV programme with regard to traffic on the previous evening.

Mr Walter Anstiss of Nursery Drive advised that he had received a letter from McCarthy Stone with regard to a new development and he was going to attend their public meeting on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January at the Haling Dene.

Cllr Kelly said he had received a request from a prospective resident requesting a copy of the Parish Plan.

Cllr Craddock said there was a copy of a letter on the table from SCC with regard to the Library changes and asked if Council could meet with Friends of Penkridge Library before the next meeting.

The Chairman advised that the PA would arrange a meeting with FoPL and interested Councillors and who would then make a recommendation of suggested comments for Council to consider at their February meeting.

3604. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION [Cont'd]

Cllr Lenz said he had been approached by residents who lived on Vale Gardens and Otherton Brook who found the pavements, after the recent snowfall, were very slippery which restricted the elderly residents having access to the village.

Cllr Heathcote said he had been approached by Mrs Sue Gray, Chair of the Civic Society, asking if she could come and talk to Councillors. Cllr Heathcote said he advised she speak with the PA.

3605. POLICE MATTERS

[a] PCSO Andy Poxon attended the meeting and presented a police report containing incidents reported during December 2017 and January 2018. He also answered Councillors questions on various topics.

[b] An email was received dated 12<sup>th</sup> December from South Staffordshire Council's Planning Enforcement and Community Safety following the Locality 1 Police Accountability Forum.

**Resolved** that:

[i] Items 1 to 3 on the email details to be placed on the Council's website.

[ii] A letter to set to Insp Meadon giving the Council's support for the introduction of the ANPR to all exit points of the village.

[iii] Posters be obtained from SSC with regard to 'Kill Speed' and these be placed on the Council's Bus Shelters.

3606. MINUTES

**Resolved** that:

The Minutes of the meeting held on the 14<sup>th</sup> December 2017 be confirmed and signed as a true and correct record.

3607. COMMITTEE MINUTES

The minutes were noted of:-

[a] Planning Meeting of the 14<sup>th</sup> December 2017.

3608. WORKING GROUP MINUTES

The minutes were received of the Highway Liaison Group meeting dated 7<sup>th</sup> December 2017.

**Resolved** that:

[i] The PA write a letter to Argos as per the Action under item 4[a].

[ii] The PA write a letter to the schools asking that parents park in a considerate manner and consider the safety of pedestrians as per the Action under item 4[b].

[iii] The PA speak to SCC Mark Keeling with regard to funding available for Speed Roundels.

3609. OUTSIDE GROUPS WITH PC REPRESENTATION

The minutes were received from the Penkrige Sports & Recreational Centre [Monckton] meeting dated 13<sup>th</sup> December 2017.

3610. ACCOUNTS

**Resolved** that:

[a] The accounts for payment be approved for the month of December 2017.

[b] The expenditure summary print outs for December 2017 be approved.

3611. CLAY STREET CAR PARK

A letter was received and considered dated 8<sup>th</sup> November 2017 from South Staffordshire Council with regard to Limit Wait Restriction for the above.

**Resolved** that:

[i] A letter be sent to SSC Engineering Services Officer requesting that consideration be given to implementing restricted time limits to the parking spaces on the rear section of the Methodist Church car park that is currently identified for people with disabilities.

[ii] A letter be sent to Carnell asking that they are considerate to residents when parking their vehicles around the village.

3612. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2018 at 7.30 pm

The meeting closed at 9.15 pm

Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_