

# Ivinghoe Parish Council

## Minutes of the Ivinghoe Parish Council Meeting held at Ivinghoe Old School Village Hub on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2022 at 7.15pm.

### **PRESENT:**

Ivinghoe Parish Councillors: Chairman K Groom, Vice Chairman C Bamber, P Jellis, S Lott, C Ketteridge and P Roach, Buckinghamshire Councillor P Brazier and Ivinghoe Parish Clerk Mrs B Knight.

Three members of the public.

### **C/028/22. Chairman's Welcome.**

The Chairman opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.

### **C/029/22. Public Question Time.**

An Ivinghoe Aston resident enquired about the Ivinghoe Parish Council plans for the Jubilee and whether funding is available for the event planned for Ivinghoe Aston. The Chairman explained that the parish council reserves are earmarked and following the wishes of Her Majesty two trees will be planted to form part of the nationwide green canopy.

### **C/030/22. Apologies for Absence.**

Apologies were received from Councillor Bexson.

### **C/031/22. Declarations of Interest or Dispensations from Councillors Relating to this Meeting.**

Councillor Jellis declared an interest in Planning Application 22/00324/APP.

### **C/032/22. To receive Reports from the Buckinghamshire Councillors.**

Councillor Town had circulated a report prior to the meeting and there were no further comments. A resident enquired about the timeframe for the double yellow lines project and Councillor Brazier confirmed that the preliminary work is starting next week.

### **C/033/22. To Approve the Minutes of the Ivinghoe Parish Council Extra Ordinary Meeting held on the 24<sup>th</sup> January 2022.**

The minutes were approved by the Council and the Chairman signed the minutes as true and accurate.

### **C/034/22. Planning Applications:**

22/00324/APP – Householder application for two storey side extension and front porch – 1 Wellcroft, Ivinghoe, Buckinghamshire, LU7 9EF.

No Objection PROPOSED BY Councillor Bamber and SECONDED BY Councillor Lott and carried unanimously.

### **C/035/22. Highways, Streets and Transport (including Lighting and Speedwatch).**

Councillor Lott reported that the Swan Close Streetlight had been tampered with and the repair cost is £152. Due to the tampering the guarantee for this light is no longer valid and Ivinghoe Parish Council will need to fund repairs and ongoing maintenance which should have been covered by the ten-year guarantee.

Councillor Brazier confirmed that over 50 per cent of the gullies have been cleared and he will continue to check on the progress of the gullies in Ivinghoe parish. Councillor Brazier will be taking photographs of the gutters and footpath in Ford End to forward to Buckinghamshire Council.

Councillor Lott gave a report about the Car Parking Consultation in Station Road and Ladysmith Road. The following was agreed:

To remove the parking bays in Ladysmith Road on the planned proposals.

To regularise the ad hoc parking on Station Road as per the planned proposals for Bay 2 (Station Road parking bays).

To relocate the Ladysmith Road parking bays onto Station Road if room and costs allow.

No comments have been received with respect to the restrictions proposed that the PC moves ahead with the restrictions for Bay 2, i.e. max half hour parking during the day with no restriction overnight.

That if costs and space allow, to provide a footpath from the parking Bay 2 on Station Road to join up with the entranceway to the public footpaths

PROPOSED BY Councillor Lott and and SECONDED BY Councillor Bamber and carried unanimously.

Ivinghoe Speedwatch is fully operational with volunteers to being trained.

**C/036/22. Footpaths, Bridleways, Trees, Playgrounds and Parish Events.**

Councillor Lott confirmed that some trees have been cut back on the Whistlebrook which has been undertaken by a contractor and paid for by residents, this is a matter for Pitstone Parish Council.

It was agreed to allow the Beacon Community Choir to display a banner for their event in April.

The Chairman reported that Ivinghoe Aston Recreational Ground hedge will be cut.

**C/037/22. Allotments.**

The allotment terms and conditions keep blowing away and will be re-fixed, this will be monitored.

Councillor Jellis has removed the metal rubbish from the allotment site and the neighbouring resident will replace the damaged fencing.

**C/038/22. Ivinghoe Beacon Magazine.**

The magazine has been distributed with no further comments.

**C/039/22. Ivinghoe Rag Pits.**

No update.

**C/040/22. Internal Auditor.**

It was resolved to appoint Trevor Beeches as Internal Auditor of Ivinghoe Parish Council with a fee of £85.

**C/041/22. Clerk's Report.**

A discussion took place about correspondence relating to street names in Ivinghoe Aston. This will be added to the March agenda. The Clerk has received confirmation that UKPN have amended their records to reflect the LED lighting scheme.

**C/042/22. Financial Matters.**

The following list of accounts were approved for payment:

Payee	Description	Total Paid
Buckinghamshire Council	Bin rental & emptying	£19.65
Clerk	Reimburse expenses & allowance	£25.83
Anglo Dutch	Payroll services - invoice 03221404	£36.00
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Sparkx	Swan Close Light Repair	£152.56
SLCC	Clerk's Practitioners Conference	£75.00
Karen Groom	Office Mobile	£41.06
Litter Collection	Litter Collection	£125.00

<b>02.02.22 Bank Balance</b>	
Community Account	£87,791.98

**C/043/22. Meeting Dates:**

7th March, 4<sup>th</sup> April, 9<sup>th</sup> May, 6<sup>th</sup> June, 4<sup>th</sup> July, 1<sup>st</sup> August, 5<sup>th</sup> September, 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 7<sup>th</sup> November and 5<sup>th</sup> December 2022 at 7.15pm in Ivinghoe Town Hall.

The meeting closed at 8.05 pm.