

ARDLEY with FEWCOTT PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Ardley with Fewcott Parish Council on Monday 15th November 2021 in the Norman Fraser Room of the Village Hall.

Present: Cllrs H Jenkins, N Lewis, A Killick and J Mills.

Apologies: Cllr I Corkin (CDC/OCC)

In Attendance:

Members of the public: 2

27. Parishioner's Issues

The parish council was asked to consider what role it could play in climate change, including asking for conditions to be imposed on planning consents to mitigate the effects of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere. The Parish Council agreed to consider adding a paragraph to this effect in its responses on planning applications.

The Council were advised that trees from Bunkers Hill would now be ordered for planting as soon as possible.

28. Declarations of interest

None.

29. Minutes of the meeting of 13th September 2021

The Council agreed that the minutes of the meeting of the 12th July 2021 were an accurate record of the proceedings except that the "welcome back" party took place on 23rd July, not August 2021.

30. Progress on Parish matters

- a) Speeding traffic
OCC have just started a "20 is plenty" initiative, which the Council agreed to investigate further.
- b) Strategic Railfreight Interchange(SRFI)
The clerk was asked to invite the developers to a meeting with the Parish Council at 7.00pm on 10th January 2022.
- c) Flooding
The items to store materials to mitigate flooding and agreed as part of the resilience grant will be purchased shortly.
- d) Ardley Woods
The Parish Council supported the purchase of trees and agreed to cover the costs involved.
- e) Posts by the Church
It has been reported to the Parish Council that posts on the verge by the Church have been knocked over. Cllr killick reported that he had held discussions with OCC and had been advised that OCC would not support the erection of further posts as there was insufficient verge. It was agreed that he should approach OCC again to ask for advice as to suitable verge protection measures.
- f) Development of the Fox and Hounds

The site has now been boarded up, but there were concerns expressed that this was blocking sight lines from the Bucknell Road.

- g) The Clerk was asked to refer issues of lorries turning round at the B430 road junction to access the waste facility as they have approached from the wrong direction as the access is unidirectional. Councillors were asked to advise the Clerk should this activity be observed. The Clerk was also asked to remind OCC that the Liaison Group needs to be re established.
- h) VAS
The posts will shortly be installed, and the device will then be erected.

31. Finance

The Council noted the financial report contained in Appendix 1 and authorised the following payments:-

<i>Cheque Number</i>	<i>Payee</i>	<i>Reason</i>	<i>Amount</i>
100821	CDC	Dog bins	481.14
100822	Mrs A Davies	CI salary	274.94
100823	HMRC	CI tax	69.00
100834	nursery	trees	592.00

The Parish Council agreed to close their planning and savings accounts and authorised the Clerk to start the process of changing banks.

32. Planning

- [21/03666/TCA](#) Fewcott Lodge Fritwell Road T1 x Lime tree - Fell because of excessive shading.
Fewcott OX27 7NZ Replant with tree of higher amenity value
- [21/02982/F](#) Field Cottage Fritwell Road Application for the retention of a timber clad potting shed
Fewcott OX27 7NZ on agricultural land.
- [21/03397/TCA 5](#) Land On The North Side Of FIVE DAY NOTICE T1 -T2 Sycamore- Fell
Water Lane Fewcott
- [21/02566/TCA](#) Backwater Cottage Fritwell Road T1 x Birch - 4.0m reduction on the top, up to 1.0m reduction
Fewcott OX27 7NZ on the sides. T2 x Birch - 2.0m reduction on the top, up to 1.0m reduction on the sides. T3 x Ash - Reduce towards boundary up to 2.0m.
- [21/03625/F](#) 2 Orchard Road Ardley Proposed conservatory & small extension to rear of dwelling.
- [21/03266/F](#) OS Parcel 2636 NW Of site clearance, construction of new access etc
Baynards house Ardley

33. Items for information or next Agenda

The Clerk was asked to register the defibrillator at the White lion on the National Register.

34. Date of next meeting

The next meeting will be Monday 10th January 2022 in the Village Hall.

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