MINUTES OF A PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD 8TH OCTOBER 2020

33/20-21 Attendance, Apologies and Leave of Absence Requests

a. Attendance:

Present were Cllr H Khan (Chairman), Cllr S Hanif, Cllr H Ilyas (20:00) and Cllr B Maun.

The meeting began at 20:00.

b. Apologies for Absence

Cllr Ilyas sent apologies for being delayed by traffic.

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr M Rehman (work) and Cllr G Razaq (Family).

c. Requests for Leave of Absence

None had been made.

34/20-21 Declarations of Interest & Dispensation Requests

a. Declaration of Interest:

None were made.

b. Dispensation Requests:

None were made.

35/20-21 Minutes of the Last Full Council Meeting

Council resolved to accept previously circulated draft minutes for September as an accurate record of the meeting. The Chairman signed them as such.

36/20-21 Third Party Reports

a. County Councillor:

Nothing had been received.

b. Borough Councillor:

Nothing had been received.

37/20-21 Clerk's Report

The report was noted. The following gave rise to discussions.

a. Casual Vacancies:

Two casual vacancies had arisen under the 6 month rule.ie not attending a Council meeting in six months (Local Government Act 1972 s 85). Council resolved to co-opt to restore a full complement of Councillors as soon as the statutory period for parishioners to request a by-election has passed.

b. Town Deal Board:

Council briefly reviewed the information available from the presentation held 1^{st} October. The Public consultation opened on 3^{rd} October. All Councillors were encouraged to make personal responses. Council resolved that its response was to focus on the Anglesey Neighbourhood Development Plan and the policies supported and highlight policies not supported.

c. Uxbridge Senior Forum Christmas Event:

Council resolved to provide a £5 per member towards the provision of a £10 food voucher for up to 20 members, £5 from the Forum's own funds and £5 from the Parish Council. The payment is to be made in November.

38/20-21 Website Project

Council agreed to the timetable proposed. Councillors agreed to:

provide head & shoulder photographs

details of Community Groups for inclusion

photographs of the parish

the proposals for the logos are to be circulated and decided by Councillors response help with the promotion of the Facebook page.

39/20-21 Tablets for Councillors

Council accepted the Clerk's needs assessment and comparability investigations. Tablets are to be provided with internet access, headphone port camera & microphone. The budget is up to £250 per unit.

Council Resolved to adopt the User Policy as drafted.

40/20-21 Finance

a. Financial Statements:

The financial statements for the year to date were approved.

b. Payments:

The following payments were authorised.

PAYEE	FOR WHAT	AMOUNT GBP	CHEQUE NUMBER
The Clerk	Net Salary and Expenses Month 7	£823.99	1177
HM Revenue & Customs	Month 7	£183.35	1178
Staffordshire Pension Fund	Month 7	£243.31	1179
Perennial Landscapes Ltd	Landscape Contractor	£78.00	1180

c. Grant Applications:

None had been received.

d. Remembrance Day Wreath:

Council resolved to purchase a wreath for the Anglesey Stone as in previous years.

41/20-21 Correspondence Received

a. Planning:

i New Applications

Application Number	Site Address	Development Description	Date Registered
P/2020/01018	90 Oak Street DE14 3PS	Change of use, of residential reception room to (Class 3, dwelling house) into a Barber Shop (Class A1 Hairdressers	01-10-2020
P/2020/0882	172 Branston Rd DE14 3LL	Change of use, of residential dwelling (Class 3) into Children's Home (Class C2)	08-09-2020
P/2020/00776	King St	Demolition of existing workshop & erection of 2 x semi-detached dwellings	08-09-2020

ii Decisions:

Application Number	Site Address	Development Description	Date Registered	Decision
P/2020/00856	93 Napier St DE14 3LL	Prior Notification for the erection of a single storey rear extension, 5.7m from the original rear wall, 2.8m to the highest point of the roof and 2.5m to the eaves	20/08/2020	Prior Approval not required
P/2020/00557	73 Uxbridge St DE14 3JU	Change of use of ground floor from Accounts Office (Class B1) to Hot Food Take Away (Class A5)	13/08/2020	Refused - Delegated
P/2019/00628	2 St Matthews St DE14 3DT	Crown reduction in height of 2 ash trees (TPO 152) by 50% to previous cutting points	03/08/2020	Conditional Approval - Delegated
P/2020/00161	Anglesey Allotment Cambridge St	Retention of an existing shipping container used as a tool lock up.	31/07/2020	Conditional Approval - Delegated
P/2020/00624	Land Adjacent to No.175 All Saints RdDE14 3PJ	Demolition of existing store and erection of a two storey building to form 4 bedsits	28/07/2020	Conditional Approval - Delegated
P/2020/00608	Torrington House 75 Branston Rd DE14 3BY	Prior Approval for the change of use from office (Class B1(a)) to 13 one bedroom flats and one 2 bedroom flat (Class C3)	15/07/2020	Prior Approval Given

Application Number	Site Address	Development Description	Date Registered	Decision
P/2020/00554	263 Uxbridge St	Subdivision and change of use of	25/06/2020	Conditional
	DE14 3JU	part of ground floor from dwelling		Approval -
		(Class C3) to a shop (Class A1)		Delegated

iii Other:

ESBC –Tree Preservation Order 416 is to be made on a tree at 262 Blackpool Street.

42/20-21 Other Correspondence

a. Blocked Right of Way:

A parishioner had asked about but not clearly identified. In the absence of the precise site Council is unable to assist in this matter.

43/20-21 Items of Information:

Date:

The items listed in the meeting papers were noted.

The national guidance from NALC remains to hold virtual meetings

The next meeting is scheduled for November 12 th , 2020.	
Chairman:	