

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON
THURSDAY 24th JUNE 2021 AT 2:45pm in the Events Centre Main Hall.**

Present: Cllr. D. McGregor, Cllr Smith, Cllr. J. Wells, Cllr. C Gilfillan, Cllr E. Glassey, Cllr J. Bend, Cllr R. Turner, Cllr K. Jones, Cllr P. Richardson, Cllr J. Clifton

Also in attendance: R Nunn (Clerk) A. Ward (Asst to Clerk) 1 x Member of the public

17. Public Participation

Cllr M. Yates reported on the work he has been undertaking within the Creswell Area. He reported that some residents had come forward with concerns regarding lorries accessing the landfill site without a wheel wash. He then referred to the walk he had undertaken with the police and issues of concern regarding speeding. Cllr Yates hopes to set up a speed watch group, and is also looking in to the potential for organising a voluntary litter picker group.

Cllr McGregor put forward issues regarding the continuation of looking into a one way system for traffic at Model village and other emails he had received that were County issues.

18. Apologies for Absence

Cllr N. Sanders

19. Declarations of Interest

None declared

20. Motions to Vary Order of Business

Item 7 – Event Centre Report moved to Item 5

21. Events Centre Report

The manager of the Events Centre reported to the Council that events from June and July have been rescheduled and he is in the process of creating a new 'What's on' guide. He also provided a list of events from the end of July 2021 to March 2022 and reported that an advertisement for part time bar staff has been put out. The Event Centre Manager did request that the heating quotes for the electric heating following the Air Conditioning be placed on Julys agenda for consideration and approval.

A request by the Council to the event centre manager to provide a report to Julys Meeting on weekly ongoing activities and a report on the financial viability for opening up in between the ongoing activities for 'café' use.

Moved by Cllr D. McGregor, seconded by Cllr C. Gilfillan

**Action Event Centre Manager
All in Favour**

22. Police report

22.1 Roy Percival update

PC Percival sent his apologies, and wishes to attend a meeting in the near future. A letter was provided from PC Percival to all the attendees regarding the latest updates on how the British Transport Police are working with Derbyshire police force to tackle ongoing concerns in the village.

An update was also received from PC Gelsthorpe on recent activity together with a summary of outcomes.

Suggestion was made to invite the new police and Crime commissioner to the Parish Council meeting in order to raise the concerns of local policing issues.

Moved by Cllr. D. McGregor, seconded by Cllr J Bend

**All in Favour
Action Clerk**

23. To approve the minutes of:

23.1 The Parish Council meeting held 27th May 2021

Moved by Cllr D. McGregor, seconded by Cllr S. Smith

**All in Favour
Action Clerk**

24. Open Spaces

The Miners Memorial in the Skinner St cemetery has now been removed ready for the roadway to continue through the centre of the cemetery. The Memorial is to be rebuilt and relocated to a position adjacent to the current location. Work on the new roadway is due to start on 2nd August 2021. Cllr Smith advised that the information regarding the miners memorial be placed on the Parish website in order to keep the community up to date with the progress, alongside a notice informing the public that the cemetery extension is to be a "lawned" cemetery similar to the one at Clowne.

Suggestion of a further bin needed at the cemetery made by Cllr Smith and a request for this to be approved.

Moved by Cllr Smith, seconded by Cllr C. Gilfillan

**Action Clerk
All in favour**

25. Financial Matters

25.1 To approve financial report – May 2021

The Clerk highlighted elements of the financial report, which indicates no concerns at this stage, but would like it noted that furlough grant is due to end in September and that the amount of grant will reduce as staff return to work on a phased basis.

Moved by Cllr D. McGregor, Seconded by Cllr E, Glassey

**All in Favour
Action Clerk**

25.2 Approval of Payments – June 2021

The Clerk answered several questions about individual payments, including the cost of fly tip removals on Parish Land

Moved by Cllr Smith, seconded by Cllr C. Gilfillan

**All in favour
Action Clerk**

26. Planning

26.1 Two storey & single storey extension to side and single storey extension to rear, 86 Skinner Street Creswell Worksop S80 4JW.

26.2 Single storey extension to rear, first floor extension to side and loft conversion with dormer, 11 Eyre St, Creswell.

26.3 Proposed care home with associated gardens and car parking for 6 people with learning disabilities and Autism, Land south of Creswell Business Park Colliery Road, Creswell.

No Comments to be logged

27. Correspondence

Letter received from the allotment association Chairperson regarding the councils allotment plot, and action needing to be taken to clear the waste

Cllr D. McGregor suggested that the removal be undertaken by an external contractor so that our maintenance staff can focus on other priorities.

Moved By D. McGregor, Seconded by Cllr S. Smith

**All in favour
Action Clerk**

There being no other business the Chairperson declared the meeting closed at 4:20 pm

Signed

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