



STUTTON PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 11th DECEMBER 2023

The Chairman welcomed everyone and the meeting opened at 7.30 pm.

ACTION

MEMBERS PRESENT: Councillors: Darren Cooper (Chair), Oliver Brazill
Adrian Garnham, Emma Woollard, Adrian Gray,
Mike Hems, Chris Leach, Nigel Watts

IN ATTENDANCE:

Jayne Jones – Clerk
Cllr Harley
Cllr McLaren
1 Member of the public

228/PC/23 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:

John Pallant -accepted

229/PC/23 REGISTER OF INTERESTS:

None

230/PC/23 APPLICATIONS FOR DISPENSATION:

None

231/PC/23 OPEN DISCUSSION

The seat outside the village hall is broken. Cllr Leach will repair it.
Alms houses require funds for repairs – to be added to next months
Agenda

Cllr Leach

COUNTY COUNCILLORS REPORT:

Cllr Harley's report has been circulated to all Councillors and a copy is on the website.

DISTRICT COUNCILLORS REPORT:

Cllr McLaren's report has been circulated to all Councillors and a copy is on the website.

232/PC/23 TO APPROVE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS:

The November's minutes were approved and signed by the Chairman as a true record.

233/PC/23 MATTERS ARISING:

SCC will take no action on the flooding on Bentley lane or the tree roots on the path by the school.

234/PC/23 CORRESPONDENCE:

2/12/23 Telephone box light – the electric is out on the phone box this has caused the battery to die. Cllr Cooper will contact UK Power network as this may be a result of the work carried out on the Old Post Office.

Cllr Cooper

24/11/23 Birketts – Transfer of Land behind Community Hall conformation – Clerk will ask Birketts for a copy of the plan.

Clerk

235/PC/23 FOOTPATHS:

None

236/PC/23 HIGHWAYS:

Church Rd development – There is some uncertainty over if the road will be adopted, Cllr Brazill will follow this up with the contractor.

Cllr Brazill

On the 1/12/23 when the Orwell bridge was closed SID register 700-800 more cars traveling through the village (One way) than normal. The average speed of traffic going through the village between 6 and 9 AM is 38-42mph, while the average during the day is 35mph

237/PC/23 PLANNING:

DC/23/05209 Holly Cottage, 24 Manningtree Rd, Stutton, IP92TE – Erection of single storey rear extension – **Recommend Approval**

Babergh District Council has granted permission to:

DC/23/04511 Cold Store, Manor Farm Business Centre, Manor Lane, Stutton

238/PC/23 GREENWAY

The plans are with SCC for quotes which should be back sometime January. Landowner has questioned the indemnity insurance responsibility of the Greenway.

239/PC/23 STREET LIGHT ON POST OFFICE CORNER

Awaiting meeting with highways for a quote. Remove from agenda till further news to report

240/PC/23 PENINSULA ALLIANCE OF PARISH COUNCILS:

Awaiting more information

241/PC/23 AGREE ANNUAL PRECEPT AND BUDGET:

Council agreed a budget of £11980.00 and a precept of £11580.00

242/PC/23 HOUSING NEEDS SURVEY:

Agreed to remove from agenda

243/PC/23 WAR MEMORIAL HEDGE:

Council agreed to go ahead with having the hedge cut at a cost quoted of £280

244/PC/23 ACCOUNTS:

Clerk Salary: £365.04 (chq no1568)

Stutton Community Association: £60.00 (chq no1569)

F Masters Ltd (New names on War Memorial): £582.00 (chq no1570)

Stutton & Holbrook 1st Responders (donation): £270.00 (chq no1571)

245/C/23 ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING'S AGENDA:

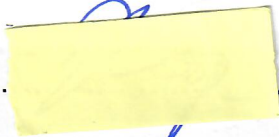
Alms Houses
Play area surface access

227/PC/23 DATE OF NEXT MEETING:

Monday 8th January 2024

The meeting finished at 8.20 pm

Chairman: ..



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Date:

8/1/24.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Councillors: Darren Cooper (Chair), Oliver Brazil, Adrian Genthorn, Emma Woollyall, Adrian Gray, Mike Harris, Chris Leach, Nigel Waite

IN ATTENDANCE:

Jayne Jones – Clerk
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John Palford: accepted.

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