



# **STUTTON PARISH COUNCIL**

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## **MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 10<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2024**

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

### **ACTION**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Councillors: Darren Cooper (Chair),  
Adrian Garnham, Emma Woollard, Mike Hems,  
Nigel Watts, John Pallant, Adrian Gray, John Pallant.

### **IN ATTENDANCE:**

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

### **96/PC/24 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:**

Chris Leach - accepted  
Oliver Brazill – accepted

### **97/PC/24 REGISTER OF INTERESTS:**

None

### **98/PC/24 APPLICATIONS FOR DISPENSATION:**

None

### **99/PC/24 OPEN DISCUSSION**

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Clerk will contact Jay Hood, to ask for the grass to be cut.

Stutton Close grass needs to be cut; Cllr McLaren will pass this on to Public Realm.

Stutton Grows has re-negotiated contract, they will now maintain the strip between the two new wooded areas. They have also received funding and will purchase two benches, and put-up starling boxes in the woods.

### **COUNTY COUNCILLORS REPORT:**

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**100/PC/24 TO APPROVE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS:**

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

**101/PC/24 MATTERS ARISING:**

Tendering Travel have replied to our complaint regarding the coaches driving through the village.

**102/PC/24 CORRESPONDENCE:**

21/5/24 Ron Bailey -Safety of Lithium-ion batteries and e-bike and scooters  
- No action

**103/PC3 FOOTPATHS AND GREENWAY:**

F/P 8 is very overgrown.

Greenway opened 17/5/24, safety checks have been completed.

**104/PC/23 HIGHWAYS:**

None

**105/PC/24 PLANNING:**

DC/24/02148 Old Methodist Chapel, Manningtree RD, Stutton, IP9 2TA –

Variation of a condition following grant of planning permission DC/23/03225

– recommend refusal. Comment: The height of the wall impedes neighbours' line of sight access to the road and council was concerned where the wheelie bin access would be.

Babergh DC has granted permission to:

The Old Shop, Church RD, Stutton

**106/PC/24 STREETLIGHT REPLACEMENT FOR POST OFFICE CORNER**

Cllr Cooper will contact Highways.

Clerk will advise Highways regarding the removal of the light

Cllr Cooper

Clerk

**107/PC/24 SPEED WATCH**

Council agreed to remove item for them moment.

**108/PC/24 REMOVAL OF NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH POST ON CORNER OF CATTSFIELD**

This is now on the list for Highways to complete.

**109/PC/24 DOG BIN REVIEW AND ADDITIONAL DOG BIN ON THE GREENWAY**

Cllr Cooper will produce a plan of the dog bins for next month.

Cllr Cooper

**110/PC/24 ANNUAL GOVERNANCE STATEMENT**

Council agreed to the new Financial Regulation 2024

Council agreed annual governance statement.

**111/PC/24 AGREE END OF YEAR ACCOUNTS**

Council agreed end of year accounts.

**112/PC/24 ACCOUNTS:**

Clerk Salary: £361.64 (chq no1595)  
G R Lawson (Audit): £198.00 (chq no1596)  
Stutton Community Asso. (hire of hall): £90.00 (chq no1597)  
Asset Education (Play area): £2454.00 (chq no1598)  
Clear Insurance: £568.76 (chq no1599)  
Information Commissioner: £40.00 (chq no1600)

**113/G/24 ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING'S AGENDA:**

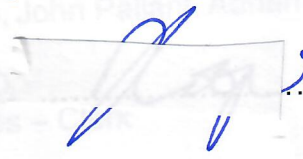
None

**114/PC/24 DATE OF NEXT MEETING:**

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2024

The meeting finished at 8.07pm

Chairman:



Date:

8/7/24

**12/PC/24 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:**

Chris Leach - accepted  
Oliver Brazil - accepted

**17/PC/24 REGISTER OF INTERESTS:**

None

**18/PC/24 APPLICATIONS FOR DISPENSATION:**

None

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