

East Tuddenham Parish Council

Minutes of the Meeting held 13th January 2020

Attendees: Chantal Childs (Clerk), Lynsay Barrett, Bill Borrett (NCC), Anna High, Ian Payter (Chairman), Bryan Meeks, Sarah Mugford

Apologies: Alexandra Leaney, Ian Martin (BC)

(The meeting opened at 7.30pm in the Village Hall)

1. The minutes of the meeting held on 9th December were approved and duly signed.

2. Matters arising from those minutes

- **Highways Rangers Tasks: -**

The pot hole on the road to Mattishall, located on the bend after the Local Authority houses has been repaired. There is a new pot hole on the same road between East Tuddenham and Mattishall, located on the left if coming from Mattishall. This will be reported to Highways. CC has already reported a blocked drain on the double bend on Mattishall Road opposite the Old Post Office. LB mentioned that the ditches opposite the local authority houses have still not been dug out so CC will chase this.

- IP has been liaising with Breckland regarding affordable housing in the village. Four different Housing Associations are keen on taking this forward so IP and AH will meet and make a choice. They are all aware of the proposed size of the site and it's most likely there will be a mixture of properties for people connected to the village.

- IP is due to receive a charity land map to identify who owns the land for the overgrown footpath from the church to the wood.

- Two meetings with Highways took place before Christmas regarding the A47 North Tuddenham to Easton Dualling Improvements, including one in East Tuddenham and also a multi parish meeting.

Highways are visiting East Tuddenham again (date to be advised) to discuss the side roads concerned. An officer from Norfolk County Council is due to attend as well. IP has named the side roads to be discussed, including Church Lane, Sandy Lane, Berry's Lane and Mattishall Road where it will join the A47 past Honingham.

- Charles Barker has officially resigned from the Parish Council, therefore there is a space on the Parish Council for a new member to join.

3. Finance:

- Cheque signing took place for the following cheques:
 - Tony Bradfield – East Tuddenham Website - £30.00
 - C Childs – Clerk Remuneration - £347.40
 - Westgarth Turner – Payroll Expenses - £18.75

4. Planning:

- 3PL/2018/1492/O – Low carbon dwelling – Land between Felgate Farm and Willow Cottage - **Approved**
- 3PL/2019/1445/LB – Replacement wood effect UPVC windows – Vassars, Common Road – **Approved**

5. Correspondence

- Breckland Council have asked if the parish would like a street name plate put up for Hall Lane. IP suggested that a street sign that reflects that the road is a 'dead end access only' or 'farm track' or 'no through road' would be best.
- CC received an invite for representatives from the Parish Council to attend a Paris Paths Seminar to

explore practical ways in which Norfolk County Council, parish and town councils and local volunteers can work together for the benefit of public paths. It was agreed that the Parish Council already do a good job in regards to public paths.

6. Updates from Councillors

- *Bill Borrett (Norfolk County Council) provided some updates including the work he is involved in to try and get more joined up working between the NHS and Social Care. The aim is for earlier interventions from Social Care to take place for our ageing population, which will help retain their independence and help the NHS financial crisis.
There is also going to be a upcoming boundary review for the District Council divisions as some have 30% more population due to high developments.*
- *SM brought it to the attention of the PC that the scheduled roadworks near to the Norfolk Showground will affect bus routes including the No.4 bus. CC will check with Konnect for the new route.
UPDATE – since the meeting, the roadworks have been postponed until further notice.*
- *It was agreed that the April Parish Council Meeting would be postponed a week due to Easter Monday falling on our normal meeting date. The Parish Council will therefore meet on Monday 20th April instead.*

7. Items for the next agenda

- *No items*

Dates for the next three meetings are: 10th February, 9th March and 20 April at 7:30pm

(The meeting closed at 8:30pm)