

**SWALLOWCLIFFE PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF A MEETING**

held at

Swallowcliffe Village Hall

on

Wednesday 16 December 2015 at 7.00pm

Present: Cllr. D Atkins (Acting Chairman) (DA)
Cllr. S Banas (SB)
Cllr. N Cooke (NC)
Cllr. P.J.d'A. Willis (PW)
Cllr J Green (JG) County Councillor

Apologies: PCSO

In Attendance: Mr C Johnson (PC Clerk)

Members of the Public: 2

<p>15/34 <u>Item 1. Acceptance of Apologies for Absence:</u> PCSO sent their apologies for not being able to attend.</p>	
<p>15/35 <u>Item 2. Declarations of Interest:</u> Nil Declared</p>	
<p>15/36 <u>Item 3. Adoption of Minutes.</u> The minutes of the previous Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 7 October 2015 were considered and passed as a true reflection.</p>	
<p>15/37 <u>Item 4. CC Report.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. <u>Emergency Planning.</u> All Parish Councils have been encouraged to produce emergency Planning documents. b. <u>Project Clean for the Queen.</u> This clean up campaign has been set up by such organisations as Country Life to encourage local communities to clean up their areas. The clean up date is scheduled for 6 March 2016. c. <u>Sure Start Centres Review.</u> A review of the Sure Start Centres is currently under way with plans for the Tisbury Centre to move to the new campus (now to be called the Nadder Centre) 	
<p>15/38 <u>Item 5. PC Reports.</u> NTR</p>	
<p>15/39 <u>Item 6. Parish Council Reports</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. <u>Chair.</u> NTR b. <u>SWAB.</u> NTR. c. <u>TCSP.</u> Andrew Murrison (our MP) attended this meeting, the meeting was informed that there was a slight chance of delay to the project and that the centre will now be renamed The Nadder Centre. d. <u>Transport.</u> PW informed the meeting that the next CATG meeting is scheduled for 20 January 2016. e. <u>Footpaths.</u> PW informed the meeting that the Tisbury Footpath Club have agreed to work together to improve the footpath between Swallowcliffe and Tisbury, in particular the SW15 route. 	

<p>f. Highways. SB informed the meeting that Gigant Street has been resurfaced with Higgins Lane the next priority. This will require cutting back of overhanging trees by landowners.</p> <p>SB informed the meeting that three lengthy speed checks were conducted in the village by the police. The issue appears to be whether 30MPH is right for the village. 20MPH zones may be required to calm speeding traffic. The issue is to be raised with CATG.</p> <p>g. Village Hall. DA informed the meeting that the last VH meeting took place on 10 November, it has been recognised that some maintenance work is required for the outside area.</p>	<p>SB</p>
<p>15/40 Planning. Planning permission 15/10152/FUL Middleton, Rookery Lane has been received with a comment cut-off date of 14 January . CJ to send planning documents to all.</p>	<p>CJ</p>
<p>15/41 Finance. CJ informed that meeting that the PRECEPT form 2016 needed to be set, it was agreed to raise the PRECEPT by 1.5%. CJ to send new calculations to all for approval.</p>	<p>CJ</p>
<p>15/42 AOB.</p> <p>Co-option of New PC. Cllr. Gerald Blundell has volunteered as a new PC. CJ is to provide GB with appropriate paperwork: Declaration of Interest and Disclosable Pecuniary Interest forms.</p> <p>BT Phone Box. SB informed the meeting that there was strong village support to retain the phone box. Renovation work is promised be carried out by BT over the summer of 2016. This will not include vertical straightening as there is no risk to persons or property. BT would not approve of a community effort to do this.</p> <p>Ticket logged with BT to repair broken glass - completed.</p> <p>Village Defibrillator. It was agreed to proceed with the purchase of the defibrillator and to procure a secure box once received. Jeremy Little has kindly agreed that it can be mounted on an outside wall at the Royal Oak.</p> <p>Emergency Planning. PW has proceeded a draft version of the village emergency plans, all are to pass comments to PW.</p> <p>AGM CJ is to identify date for next AGM</p>	<p>CJ</p> <p>CJ</p> <p>ALL</p> <p>CJ</p>
<p>15/43. Date of Next Meetings</p> <p>16 Mar 16 15 Jun 16 14 Sep 16 14 Dec 16</p>	<p>ALL</p>

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