

BRADLEY PARISH COUNCIL



THE BI-MONTHLY MEETING
Of
BRADLEY PARISH COUNCIL

held on

THURSDAY 1st July 2021

at 7pm

at

St Michaels Church, Great Coates Road
Grimsby

MINUTES

Agenda

21/21 Present

Cllr Val Turner
Cllr Barry Turner
Cllr Andrew Poppleton

In Attendance

Ward Councillor David Hasthorpe
Clerk for Bradley Parish Council

No members of the Public

21/22) Apologies

Cllr David Bryden
Ward Councillor Henry Hudson

21/23 Declaration of Interest

There were no declarations of Interest

21/24 Minutes of the Previous Meeting

The Minutes to the AGM and the Bi-monthly Meetings held on 6th May 2021 were agreed and signed by the Chair.

Public Forum

There were no members of the public present so the meeting was not suspended.

21/25 Police Matters

A Police Crime report had been received by Bradley Parish Council and in the month of May there had been four crimes within Bradley – three assaults and one minor public disorder incident in Bradley Woods. There were three reports in June one assault at the Care Centre, one attempted burglary on Bradley Road and one burglary on Church Lane after forcing a garage lock. There were two calls regarding ASB relating to illegal motorbikes within the village.

Chair reported a recent reoccurring problem concerning vehicles parking over the entry/exit to the Bridleway at the end of Church Lane. This is an offence and the Highways department at NELC and the Police have been informed. There are serious concerns that this activity could cause major problems if a Fire Engine or Ambulance needed to gain access to this area of Bradley which is likely, due to the Bridleway being used regularly by local Horse-riding schools and there are a number of dog walkers and residents in the area. This is going to be monitored closely and reported immediately to the relevant parties.

21/26 Planning Matters

Chair reported that an objection had been submitted on behalf of BPC regarding Planning Application Number DM/1084/20/REM (relating to the amendments made for 66 dwellings on Bradley Road).

Chair continued to report that part of the 'approved with conditions' relating to Shepherds Purse (DM/0881/20/FUL) for the Foul Drainage had been applied for within the timescale allowed, and it had been approved though had not been seen listed on the Planning Meeting Agenda.

There was nothing further to report regarding the progress on the Poultry Farm Road (EN/0829/20).

21/27 E-Banking Update

Cllr Poppleton reported that he had not had chance to look into the possibility of e-banking for BPC. It was agreed that we would send an email to the Bank that Bradley Parish Council use to look into this further.

21/28 Facebook Progress

Chair reported that the clerk had been asked to research information about Facebook and how to run it securely and effectively. Clerk continued by reading a report on all the information found and Bradley Parish Council decided to vote if BLC should have a Facebook page. It was proposed by the Chair, seconded by Cllr B Turner and agreed unanimously to proceed with the setting up of a Facebook page for Bradley Parish Council.

21/29 Finance

Clerks wages were paid and a donation for the use of the Church for the bi-monthly meeting was also paid. The invoice for the Printer Cartridges purchased on the BPC Bank Card was also given to the RFO from Chair. Cllr B Turner enquired about the printer but RFO has not been able to look at repairing it yet. RFO reported that the AGAR is done and has been submitted and will be uploaded to the website soon.

Chair reported that after a lot of research, the contribution that BPC make towards the maintenance of the Church yard may not be able to continue. After further discussion at this meeting it was agreed that an email would be sent to the Church explaining why as a Parish Council we will no longer be able to do this.

21/30 Clerks Update

Clerk reported that the stickers for the Church Bins has still not been resolved. One Bin Sticker was received but two are required. Ward Councillor Hasthorpe said that he would look into this on our behalf.

Clerk had received information relating to a membership for SLCC (Society of Local Council Clerks) and it was agreed that she will look into the benefits of this society before the next meeting for discussion on whether it is worth the fee to join.

21/31 Information Exchange

As discussed at the last meeting an email was sent to those concerned, relating to a funding application for St Georges Church. Chair reported that estimates, plans and discussions are in progress with the Church Committee and the relevant people.

There has still been no reply from Vision ICT regarding the yearly maintenance fee for the website and this will be addressed again and reported on at the next meeting.

Chair updated the Council on the progress with the Accessibility Statement required for the BPC website and it was concluded that this cannot be looked into any further until the Chair and Clerk are able to physically work together (unable to do so due to Covid restrictions).

Chair also reported that there has been no response from ENGIE regarding the quote for yearly maintenance fees for the CCTV in the village and this will be followed up in the next few days.

Cllr Poppleton mentioned the verges had not been cut for some time down Church Lane and it was concluded that due to the weather conditions it is the same in all areas of NELC.

21/32 Date of Next Meeting

It was agreed that the next Bi-monthly meeting would be held on Thursday 2nd September 2021 at 7pm subject to updates regarding Covid 19.

The Meeting closed at 20:34

Signed *V Turner* **Date** **1st July 2021**

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