

# WROUGHTON PARISH COUNCIL



## PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Minutes of the meeting held on 19 August 2019 at 7.30pm  
in The Ellendune Community Centre.

### Present

Cllr H Dosanjh  
Cllr J Hewer (Chair)  
Cllr H Hodd  
Cllr D Hooper  
Cllr D Phillips  
Cllr P Bhardwaj  
Cllr G Overbury  
Cllr G Ratcliffe  
Cllr A Richards

### Clerk

Emma Freemantle (Deputy Clerk)

### FC/078

#### Apologies

Apologies were received from Cllr A Spry, Cllr L Campisano, Cllr D Martyn and Ward Councillor Cllr C Martyn.

### FC/079

#### Declarations of Interest & Applications for Dispensation

There were no declarations of interest nor applications for dispensation.

### FC/080

#### Public Questions

There were two members of the public present.

A member of the public asked questions in relation to agenda item 9. A question was asked the Council if the new Cricket Pavilion proposal for the Hills site at North Wroughton would be a multi-use facility. He asked if the Cricket Club have owned up to the fact that they only have up to nine games at home each year and that the usage of the pavilion is unlikely to be maximised.

**Agenda item 6, Information from Borough Councillors was moved forward.**

### FC/081

#### Information from Borough Councillors

Members received a verbal update from Cllr Brian Ford.

Cllr Brian Ford informed the Parish Council that they are trying to stay as neutral as possible with the Maunsell Way plan involvement. Cllr Ford advised that he attended the latest Parish Council Sports & Youth Facilities Working Party to gain an understanding of the "other sides" perspective and noted that Pre planning has now been received. He was sorry that such bitterness has been caused over social media between those concerned and wants to make sure that everyone is satisfied with the outcome.

Cllr Ford explained that emergency work had been carried out on the Swindon Road and that the traffic is improving. Signage has been poor in comparison to the speed in which the works had been implemented. Cllr Ford explained that he will be carrying out a wash up meeting of the event and will report back to the Parish.

**The Chair suspended standing orders.**

A member of the public Mr Economides spoke with regards to the Maunsell way Pavilion developments. Mr Economides congratulated the Council on the results of the Parish Poll and asked that all residents remain updated with future plans of the new Pavilion. The Chair advised that over one hundred positive emails were received and roughly twenty negative. The Swindon Advertiser have been in touch with residents and will be asking for their comments, the Chair advised that he is speaking to the Swindon Advertiser on Thursday 22 August.

**Agenda item 11, Maunsell Way Pavilion Project was moved forward.**

**FC/082**

**Maunsell Way Pavilion Project**

Members **NOTED** that the pre planning application for the Maunsell Way Pavilion was submitted on 01 August 2019.

Members **NOTED** the results of the Parish Poll held on Wednesday 14 August 2019, a copy of which appears as Appendix A in the minute book.

Members **NOTED** the report of the Sports and Youth Facilities Working Party meeting held on Friday 16 August 2019, a copy of which appears as Appendix B in the minute book.

**FC/083**

**Minutes of Previous Meeting**

Members **RESOLVED** to approve the minutes of the Parish Council meetings held on 15 July 2019.

**FC/084**

**Community Safety**

There were no updates available.

**FC/085**

**Parish Council Representatives' Report**

There were no representative reports available.

**FC/086**

**Chair's Report**

The Chair gave a report, a copy of which appears as Appendix C in the minute book.

**FC/087**

**Land at North Wroughton, Hills Development**

Members **NOTED** a report of the Chair to the Planning, Safety & Highways Committee Cllr H Dosanjh, a copy of which appears as Appendix D in the minute book.

**FC/088**

**Memorial Policy**

Members **RESOLVED** to defer reviewing the Parish Councils Memorial Policy.

Members **RESOLVED** to agree that the office contact Ms Hodges in response to her request for the placement of a memorial plaque.

Members **RESOLVED** to agreed that Ms Hodges can have her memorial plaque installed on an existing bench within the Parish.

- FC/089**      **Planning Safety & Highways Committee**  
 Members **RESOLVED** to elect Cllr David Martyn and Cllr Gary Ratcliffe on to the Planning Safety & Highways Committee.
- FC/090**      **VE Day**  
 It was **NOTED** that the May 2020 Bank Holiday has been moved to Friday 08 May.
- Members **RESOLVED** to agree that the Office contact Swindon Borough Council and other Parish Councils to learn what involvement they are having with VE Day in 2020.
- FC/091**      **Youth Club**  
 Members received a verbal update from the Deputy Clerk regarding the latest outreach sessions in Wroughton with Youth Workers Aaron Webb and Natasha Perrett.
- Members **NOTED** the update from the Youth Club Working Party held on Monday 19 August 2019, a copy of which appears as appendix E in the minute book.
- FC/092**      **Exclusion of Press and Public**  
 To resolve in accordance with Standing Order 3 (d) that ‘in view of the confidential nature of the business about to be transacted, it is advisable in the public interest that the press and public be temporarily excluded and they be instructed to withdraw’.  
 Reason: Contractual Matters
- FC/093**      **CCTV Installation**  
 Members **NOTED** a verbal update from the Deputy Clerk regarding the CCTV installation at Maunsell Way.
- Members **RESOLVED** to agree that the quote from FSR Security is approved a copy of which appears as Appendix F in the minute book.

The meeting closed at 8.45pm

Signed.....

Date.....

Chairman of the Council