

STANSTED MOUNTFITCHET PARISH COUNCIL**FULL COUNCIL**

MINUTES of a Meeting of the COUNCIL held at 7.45pm on Wednesday 21 November 2018 in the Day Centre, Crafton Green, Chapel Hill, Stansted Mountfitchet, Essex

PRESENT: Cllr M Caton (Chairman), Cllrs J Hudson, M Jessup, J Kavanagh, J O'Brien, F Richards, J Salmon, G Sell, V Trundle and D Wallace-Jarvis

ATTENDING: Mrs R Clifford - Clerk
Mr T Lloyd - Assistant to the Clerk
Three members of the public

288 APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs C Dean, S Dunn and P Jones. Dist. Cllr A Dean

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

A member of the public spoke on the UDC Planning Committee meeting which approved the Airport expansion planning application.

A member of the public spoke about Essex County Council's consultation on the future of library services in the county.

A member of the public congratulated Stop Stansted Expansion for the work they did in opposing the Airport expansion application.

A lady registered her concerns about the dangers of crossing Lower Street and enquired as to when the new pedestrian crossing would be in place.

289 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST - None

290 MINUTES OF THE FULL COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 17 OCTOBER 2018

The minutes of the Full Council meeting held on 31 October 2018 were approved.

291 MATTERS ARISING

292 CHAIRMAN'S REPORT - Attached.

The Chairman read a letter that she and the Clerk had written to the ECC cabinet member responsible for library services stating the case for retaining library services in Stansted. Copies have been sent to all cabinet members and she suggested copies should also be sent to the media, posted on the Parish Council website and social media platforms. It was agreed we need to work with neighbouring villages who use Stansted Library as well as villages across the county who are fighting to retain their library services. It was agreed to ask our County Councillor and our MP to press our case with ECC.

293 QUESTIONS TO THE CHAIRMAN- None

294a DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORT

Cllr A Dean's report is attached

Cllr Sell reported that the planning committee had approved an application from Bloor Homes to build on the triangle of land at the High Lane and Cambridge road junction. It didn't appear that the comments made by the Parish Council had been given much consideration. S106 money could be used to improve pedestrian routes into the village centres but nothing specific has been agreed.

294b COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT - Cllr Gooding did not attend the meeting and didn't submit a report.

295 PAYMENTS

The list of payments for approval was not yet complete and would be forwarded after the meeting.

296 PLANNING APPLICATIONS

1 UTT/18/2721//FUL - Elms Farm, Church Road

Change of use from agricultural land to non-residential children's outdoor nursery

No Comment

2 UTT/18/2852/HHF - 5 Cawkell Close

Proposed 2-storey side extension with car port

No Comment

3 UTT/18/2905/HHF - 18 Park Road

Single storey front extension, garage conversion and alterations to existing conservatory

No Comment

4 UTT/18/2950/FUL - Sworders Fine Arts Auctioneers, Cambridge Road

Part Section 73A retrospective erection of log cabin for retail use

No Comment

297 LIST OF CORRESPONDENCE - none.

298 PLANNING APPLICATIONS DETERMINED - list circulated with agenda.

299 CLERKS' RECORD OF PLANS - available in the office .

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Meeting closed at 9.15 pm