Newbourne Parish Council Minutes

2nd October 2017

Members of the village came to discuss the planning regarding the Fox Inn Newbourne Susan Harvey confirmed that the planning permission for the Fox Inn was not going to go to committee and the planning would go ahead. An amendment was made to the planning which the parish council and village where not aware of and the barn was no longer going be knocked down as this was a concern of some of the people in the village. The issue of parking at the Fox Inn was also discussed again and it was discussed that planning may be put in again for the field opposite pub to be used as car park but as no planning application submitted as yet this can’t be discussed as yet.

The local plan was also discussed with Susan Harvey.

Pat Frost also asked if the parish council could get a price on a new dog poo bin.

The parish council meeting started at 8.20pm

Present Charlotte Gammons, Susan Harvey, Lionel Scott, Mick Frost, Jim Wicks, Tony Finch, Erica Pattison and Kwini Lusher

1. Apologies Patricia O’Brien, Susan Pollard and David Milbourne

2. Update from Susan Harvey

Report District Councillor’s for Kirton Ward October 2017 Susan Harvey

The ongoing consultation on the Issues and Options Document is the priority, responses have to be in by 30th October. Over 40 Parish and Town Councils have sought one to one meetings with officers which is a good way forward and I recommend that to you, I know at least two of my parish councils have arranged these. If in doubt please arrange a meeting.

Suffolk Coastal and Waveney have an excellent apprenticeship scheme running and 43 young people have been trained since 2012 with 70% of them in the last three years remaining with the Councils to develop their careers. 13 new people have started earlier this month getting experience in several departments including:

HR, planning, housing, finance and legal.

The A12/14 villages by pass consultation is running until 25th October. This offers 2 options the first being a single carriageway the second being a dual carriageway. Details can be seen and comments registered at:

 [www.suffolk.gov.uk/consultations](http://www.suffolk.gov.uk/consultations)

 Speed watch has been very busy in some of my villages and some of the volunteers are very committed to ensuring safety on our country roads. There are some permanent Speed watch signs which can be attached to existing poles to make people aware. The sign indicates that one is entering a Speed Watch Area.

If you are interested in these let me know and I will investigate the cost.

I asked clerks of some of my Parish Councils to investigate sharing static cameras which could be moved around from place to place. There again if any villages are interested we could perhaps join up with other areas. There is still some money available in Waldringfield Parish Council’s account for speed related items.

Last month I mentioned the amount of income we get from tourism in the Suffolk Coastal area and I was asked about the unsatisfactory tourist information available at Felixstowe Library. I am still investigating this. There seems to be a problem.

We have 2 major planning applications coming up in October one being the Old Council Offices and the other being Adastral Park.

 Suffolk Coastal is passing applications for 465 properties a year which is the desired delivery to comply with the Objectively Assessed Housing Need set by government until 2035.

3. No report from Patricia O’Brien we will have a update next month

4. Declarations of disclosable pecuniary interest **-** none

5. Minutes from previous meeting all ok

6. Planning

 DC/17/1435/OUT Adastral Park 2000 homes we have made our comments before regarding the highway issues.

Please find response about Adastral Park via the email I sent.

Local plan – Local sites discussed in the village, possible sites for new housing. Will arrange one to one meeting to discuss the local plan in more detail, Charlotte, Lionel, Tony and Jim have volunteered to go to meeting.

 7. Cheques

Revelry - £30.00 SCL landscape Management 2069

Community - £30.00 SCL Landscape Management 2068

8. Any other business – Clerk to get up to date bank statements

9. Agenda points for next meeting

* Feedback from local plan one to one meeting
* Dog poo bin price
* Speed awareness camera – joint venture

10. Lottery winner Erica Pattinson

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