MINUTES OF A MEETING OF HOLLIGTON PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON MONDAY 6^{TH} February 2017 AT 7.30PM IN THE RED LION, HOLLINGTON

PRESENT Cllr J Sowerby, Cllr C Roome, Cllr J Polglass and Cllr C Ward, J Simpson, S Holbrook, A Butler

Mr George Upson (Clerk)

16/80 APOLOGIES

None Received

16/81 DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS INTERESTS

None

16/82 APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON 12^{TH} December 2016

The minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 12th December 2016 were unanimously approved and signed by the Chair.

16/83 Broadband Update

Cllr Ward updated the meeting regarding the progress made to date. His meeting with Kerry Bailey had been postponed until the 10th February Overall some home in the village had been connected, but it was reported that the Business Park was having some issues.

Cllr Ward undertook to provide an update at the next meeting.

Action Cllr Ward

16/84 Bulb Planting

Following a discussion about the possibility of planting more spring flowering bulbs in the Village, the Clerk undertook to provide a link to the District Councillors web page regarding the possibility of applying for a community Grant

Action Clerk

16/85 Village Notice Boards

The Chair said that the one at the bottom end of the Village had been removed, but the other had been repaired. The meeting agreed to investigate the cost of providing a new notice board

16/86 Village Bench

The Social Committee had agreed to fund a replacement bench but were looking to the District Council for some support.

16/87 Village Green Fencing and Posts

Cllrs agreed with the action of the Social Committee to remove the chains and posts from around the Village Green given their bad state of repair. However Cllrs were of the view that the chains should be put into storage for possible future use.

16/88 Almshouses

Cllr Ward reported that the accounts had now been approved

Other Issues

Speeding through Village

Councillors undertook to raise with PCSO

Potholes Clerk stated that the procedeure was to raise potholes through the Derbyshire County Council Highways website and if no action has been taken he would raise formally with Clr Bull the County Councillor.

16/89 NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Cllr Ward gave an update on the limited progress made.

16/90 VILLAGE PROJECT

Footpaths

Cllrs agreed to look at holding a footpath walk to review the state of footpaths as other villages did. A suitable time would be agreed later in the summer

The Clerk said he would contact the footpaths team at the County Council to see if digitised footpath maps were available.

Defibrillator

Cllr Simpson undertook to explore with the BHF the possibility of grants being available for a defib machine in the village and took look at purchasing a machine later in the year

16/91 FINANCE

PRECEPT

The Clerk reported that he had submitted an application for a precept of £1785

Planning Decisions

APP/P1045/W/16/3159479

Unit 1, The Cedars, Main Street, Hollington, Ashbourne, Derbyshire DE6 3HA 16/00643/FUL Appeal allowed

16/93 CORRESPONDENCE

Correspondence was noted

16/94 OTHER MATTERS

There were no new matters raised

16/95 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

It was RESOLVED that the next meeting be held on Monday 10^{th} April 2017 at 7.30pm at the Red Lion.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.30 pm.