

Chislet Parish Council

Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on 19th July 2018 at 7.30 pm in The Chislet Centre, Chislet

Present : Cllrs Fee (in the Chair), Chandler, Keir, Huckstep & Stoward

In attendance : Mr. G Eaton, Clerk to the Council and KCC Cllr Marsh

Cllr Fee opened the meeting by confirming that Richard Jones had resigned from the Parish Council primarily due to the removal of trees at Holmleigh, Chitty Lane, a conservation area, and CCC's unwillingness to enforce this breach. Richard had served on the Parish Council for over 30 years and his hard work and efforts during that period were noted as was the significant contribution he had made with his in depth knowledge of the Parish and planning matters in particular. It was unanimously agreed he will be greatly missed

1 Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Cllrs Wilkinson Brant & Higglesden and CCC Cllr Taylor

2 Declarations of Councillor's Interests in items on the Agenda

Cllr Huckstep declared an interest in the payment to the litter picker

There were no other declarations of Cllrs interests regarding items on the Agenda

3 Public discussion

There were no members of the public present

4 Minutes of the last Meeting

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 21st June 2018 were agreed and signed

5 Matters arising

There were no matters arising of note

6 To discuss correspondence received

Email from KCC re Rights of Way Improvement Plan consultation

Email from KCC re PROW surface vegetation clearance

Letter from Pilgrims Hospice re Vintage Tea & Fair

Letter re Canterbury South Urban Extension

Letter from CCC re boundary changes

Email re 'Battle's Over' – 100 years of remembrance on 11th Nov 2018

7 To consider Planning and Enforcement matters

A Planning Applications

18/01279 – Change of use to private members club
Unit 4d Sparrow Way, Hersden

There were no objections to this application

17/01866 – mixed use development including 900 dwellings
Land at Hillborough, Sweechbridge Road, Herne Bay

After a discussion it was agreed that a letter be sent to CCC objecting – loss of green space when there are brown field sites available, adverse effect on wildlife, will add to traffic congestion, overdevelopment and too large

Clerk

B Decided applications

17/02699 – Side and rear extensions
Meadow Cottage, North Steam

GRANTED

18/00986 - two storey rear extension
The Old Bakery, North Steam

GRANTED

8 To consider Finance matters & Accounts for payment

A The following accounts were approved for payment

	£	
Cheque No 1129 G Eaton, Clerk's salary & expenses	360.75	
Cheque No 1130 Inland Revenue, Clerk's tax	76.00	
Cheque No 1132 Harmer & Sons, grass cutting	558.00	incl VAT of £93.00
Cheque No 1131 S Huckstep, litter picking	265.33	
Cheque No 1128 KSS Air Ambulance	100.00	

B Finance Report: April – June 2018

This item was deferred to the next meeting

9 Any Other Business

After a brief discussion it was agreed to elect the Vice Chair at the August Meeting

It was agreed that the Clerk should make arrangements to update the Bank mandate - to add new signatories and remove others

Clerk

10 Date of next meetings

It was agreed that the next Parish Council Meeting would be held on **Thursday 16th August 2018** at 7.30 pm in The Chislet Centre, Chislet

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.40 pm

Emails sent to CCC/KCC awaiting a response

KCC – Parking issues at The Glen, Nethergong Hill