

WIGSTON PARVA PARISH MEETING

Minutes of a meeting held at the Council Offices, Narborough

MONDAY, 8 JULY 2019

Present:-

M Bucknall
S Davies
BJenkins

J Jenkins(Chairman)
P Maguire
R Masterson

S Masterson
B Naylor
V E Smith

Officers present:-

Diane Johnson – Democratic Services Officer

Apologies:-

S & J Brown
T Jenkins
Cllr Iain Hewson
Cllr Sheila Scott

1. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

The Democratic Services Officer invited nominations for the election of Chairman of the Wigston Parva Parish Meeting.

DECISION

That Jack Jenkins be elected Chairman of the Wigston Parva Parish Meeting until the Annual Meeting 2020.

2. MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 9 May 2018 ,as circulated, were approved as a correct record.

3. **MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES**

St Mary's Church, Wigston Parva

The Chairman thanked Brett and all of the organisers for arranging a garden party to raise funds to renovate the Church.

Due to the fundraising the Church has now been restored to a satisfactory standard.



4. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

Fosse Villages Neighbourhood Plan

The Chairman reported that the Plan was now with Blaby District Council awaiting approval at a full Council meeting.

Village Green

The Chairman advised the meeting that the village green had been registered as a village green.

A5/M69

The meeting discussed the proposed warehouse on B578 . The Chairman was appalled with the situation and he said that Blaby District Council and Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council need to make the point that allowing the DPD Distribution Centre to be built together with various housing developments at the Burbage end of the road too has caused a massive deterioration in the road surface and needed to ensure that the road is in a roadworthy condition to take the extra vehicle movements. The road is badly potholed and local residents just have to suffer.

A resident reported that there were possible environmental issues due to water being sprayed onto the road to keep the dust down.

Garden Village Whetstone Pastures

The Chairman requested information on the planned Garden Village development and how it would affect Wigston Parva.

The Democratic Services Officer spoke to Cllr Maggie Wright who confirmed that the Garden Village development could be at least 30 years away and that it shouldn't have any affect on Wigston Parva.

Rail Freight Terminal

The Chairman and the residents discussed the proposed Rail Freight Terminal, the Chairman and most of the residents had received a letter together with a survey questionnaire from the local MP Alberto De Costa who opposed the development.

The Chairman advised the residents to complete the survey and said that he would help them should they require assistance.

Village Pump

Brett enquired if there would be a grant available to restore the Village Pump, the advice given was to contact Zoe Coulson the Funding and Grants Officer at Blaby District Council.

Village Defibrillator

The residents discussed the possibility of a defibrillator being installed in the village and decided that this would be looked into in respect of costs and where it could be sited.



5. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The date of the next meeting to be arranged in consultation with the Chairman for a date in May 2020.



THE MEETING CONCLUDED AT 7.05 P.M.