

Chaddleworth Parish Council

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Minutes from the meeting on Tuesday 2 October 2018

Present : Cllr Murphy (Chair), Cllr Wilson (Vice Chair), Cllr Ballard, Cllr Mills, Clerk K Lloyd, and Cllr C Hooker District Councillor (2 members of the public attended the meeting)

1. **Apologies** - Cllr Mcallister

2. **Declarations of Interest** - None

3. **Open Forum- un minuted**

Some highlights from Cllr Hooker's report were that £21,000 to date has been saved from the new green bin waste system.

£17.000 saving from not paying for postage, previously planning applications was posted to councils now applications are viewed online.

4. **Planning** - 18/02169/HOUSE - Heads Farm

Proposed two storey side/rear extension and associated internal works at Heads Farm
After a full discussion it was agreed to support this application. Cllr Mills said as he had not visited site he felt he could not support but had no objections.

5. **Minutes of the meeting of the 4 September 2018 to be agreed, proposed and signed.**

Cllr Mills proposed and Cllr Ballard seconded the minutes to be a true representation of the meeting. Cllr Murphy signed the minutes.

6. **Finance**

a) Bank Accounts

Balances 7 September 2018

Parish Council	£11,712.01
Bakers Trust	£7,607.69
Reserve Fund	£159.16
Football Field	£1,261.71

b) Cheques to approve in meeting

S/O	Kim Lloyd (Parish Clerk)	£402.35
S/O	Mrs H Anderson (Litter picking)	£20.00
S/O	Chaddleworth Village Hall	£25.00
100521	Kim Lloyd (Stamps £6.96 +£3.37 folder/divides	£10.33
100522	Autela Group Limited (payroll)	£47.52
100523	GMG Service & Solutions Ltd.	£170.00

7. Norris Lane footpath update

Cllr Murphy is taking advice from the Rights of Way Officer on West Berks Council and the local landowner and asking if a barrier can be erected to prevent further damage. It was also agreed to write to Brightwalton Stud to highlight the matter again and ask them to make other arrangements to gain access to the field in which they keep their horses.

Clerk/Cllr Murphy

- 8. Home to School Transport update** Cllr Murphy had received a reply from the educational department who said we will need to take this up with the local authority directly, via their formal complaints procedure if necessary. On-going. -**Cllr Murphy**

9. S106 Contributions update

Cllr Murphy reported he was still waiting for a reply from Nick Carter the Chief Executive Officer of WBDC. Cllr Murphy had asked to see a definitive statement regarding the criteria by which the outstanding contributions can be spent.

10. Playground Fence Posts and Bark quote

The Clerk previously emailed a quote to PC from GMG for £189 for the 10 posts that need replacing including the concrete. £440 for labour was also quoted to replace the posts and make an access into the playground as discussed in the previous meeting. A total cost of £629.00.

After full discussion it was agreed by all to accept this quote.

The Clerk said she had also spoken to GMG concerning the bark under the climbers that need topping up, they estimated around 2 ton of bark would be required. GMG recommended a supplier- on discussing costs Cllr Mills said he may get the bark cheaper. Cllr Mills was asked to provide a quote for the bark. The Clerk said GMG had quoted £70.00 to spread the bark if PC wanted this option.

Cllr Mills/Clerk

11. Councillors Questions and Reports

Cllr Ballard said how sad he was to hear the closing of the village shop.

12. Clerk's Correspondence

None

13. Matters for future consideration

None

14. Date of next meeting - Tuesday 6 November 2018 – Close 8.40pm