Welney Parish Council

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MINUTES of the meeting of Welney Parish Council Held on Friday 3 September 2019 at 7.30 pm in The William Marshall Centre, Hurn Drove, Welney, PE14 9SD

Present:

Cllr J LOVEDAY – Chairman Cllr A GILES – Vice Chairman Cllr M BARKER - Apologies Cllr D LOWRY - Apologies Cllr D HARVEY Cllr R GILES Cllr K GOODGER Cllr B STEELE - Apologies

Also Present:

CCIIr Rose DCIr D Pope 12 members of public

Members of the public raised the Speeding in the Village as a matter of urgency and that more need to be done and other measures needed to be introduced before there was a major accident.

Also, the issue around the William Marshall Centre needed to addressed. Document highlighting issues and timescales supplied by resident is attached.

19/20.38 CHAIRMAN'S WELCOME

The chairman welcomed councillors and members of the public.

19/20.39 APOLOGIES

Cllr D Lowry – Apologies – Accepted Cllr M Barker – Apologies - Accepted

19/20.40 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Cllr K Goodger – Marshall's Charity

19/20.41 TO RECEIVE VERBAL (OR WRITTEN) REPORTS FROM DISTRICT COUNCILLORS

19/20.42 TO RECEIVE VERBAL (OR WRITTEN) REPORT FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR

19/20.43 TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING OF 2 JULY & EXTRAORDINARY 9 AUGUST 2019.

The Minutes of Parish Council meeting of 2 July 2019 and the Extraordinary Meeting 9 August 2019 were confirmed as a true record and duly signed by the Chairman.

19/20.44 CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Chairman gave clarification that the Management Team of the William Marshall Centre had been temporarily disbanded while the proper procedures and terms of reference are being put in place and this would be revisited once these have been agreed.

The Clerk was liaising with EON to address the issue of the Feed-In Tariff as this appears to have not been claimed for around 18 months.

All Councillors were reminded that they were elected and need to work together to address issues and to make sure they are put right.

19/20.45 FINANCE:

- 045.1 Financial Statements
- 045.2 Confirm payments from 2nd July to 3 September 2019 to be tabled
- 045.3 Authorise signing of orders for payments

19/20.46 SPEED MONITORING

After discussions with reference to the SAM speed monitoring Cameras not currently being manage since change of electorate it was decided that Cllr Loveday and Cllr R Giles would now take responsibility for the maintenance and monthly downloads for this

Also taking on board the concerns raised by the public at the beginning of the meeting the Clerk will contact Highways to ask if the sign could be moved to the opposite side of the road as it should have been originally and would then free up the current post for the SAM speed monitoring equipment to allow this to be moved within the village and to also enquire about additional speed road markings.

19/20.47 WILLIAMS MARSHALS CENTRE – FOOTINGS ADVICE FROM SOLICITOR

Discussions were held on options of moving forward and that it was time to move forward with the issues around the footings. The documentation would be pulled together and an initial meeting with the solicitor would take place to ascertain the best route of action.

19/20.48 FREEBRIDGE COMMUNITY HOUSING

Freebridge Community Housing gave a brief presentation around the Freebridge Housing that needs to be developed. This could be to rebuild or restore.

19/20.49 WILLIAM MARSHALLS CHARITY REPRESENTATIVE

The Parish Council have put Cllr A Giles forward for the William Marshall's Charity after voting had taken place and the Chairman had to take the deciding vote. The clerk will notify William Marshall's Charity to update them and a letter of thanks would be sent the Lanre Bombata thanking him for all is hard work.

19/20.50 PLANNING MATTERS

19/01385/F - Single storey side extension at Waterside Back Drove Welney Wisbech Norfolk – Approved.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.47 pm.

Next meeting: 8 October 2019

Signed: Chairman