



LONG CRENDON PARISH COUNCIL

Sports Pavillion, Chearsley Road, Long Crendon, Buckinghamshire, HP18 9BS

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Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held in the Sports Pavilion, Chearsley Road on Monday 2nd March 2020 at 19.30

PRESENT: -

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| Paul Davies | Councillor & Chairman Parish Council (Chairman of this meeting) |
| Sandy Hooper | Councillor |
| Alex Griffiths | Councillor |
| Barbara Smith | Councillor (Chairman for planning items) |
| Candy Cozens | Councillor |
| Bill Meredith | Councillor |
| Joe Weaver | Junior Councillor |
| Mike Hawkett | AVDC District Councillor |
| Greg Lismore | Parish Clerk |
| Trevor Bullock | Advisor |

2020.23 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE – None

2020.24 DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS - None.

2020.25 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION - Seven members of the public was present. Sally Cowly addressed Council relating to a request to include Sandy Lane in the speed awareness exercise. Cllr. Hooper will follow up.

2020.26 MINUTES and MATTERS ARISING. The minutes of the meeting held 3rd February 2020 were signed as a true record of proceedings.

2020.27 CLERK'S REPORT AND ACTION LIST.

- The field gate at Harroell to the amenity/dog walking field is defective. The Clerk will arrange for it to be repaired once all the other security works have finished. The pavillion car park lights have been replaced as have the movement activated lights on the gable of the pavillion facing the road. The replacements are more suited to the types of movements that actually occur and should address the complaints received.
- Street Lights – A further number of bulb failures have been reported across the village. The Clerk has issued further work requests to Aylsbury Mains and UK Power Networks as necessary.
- Re CCTV at Skate Park / Dog Walking field / Allotments – The works have commenced and the ground works should be complete before the end of March 2020. There have been some issues with unstable ground. The uneven nature of some of the grounds following vehicle movements is being addressed with our various contractors and where the ground has dried up a bit will be looked at again.
- Defibrillator at the School entrance – The local resident who is leading this project on behalf of the Parish Council has now received costings and it's installation location agreed with the County Council and the School. – C/F



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- Fencing around the Bowls Club on the recreation grounds – The order to carry out the works has been placed. Works should commence on 23 March 2020 and take approx 2 weeks.
- Replacement Bus Shelter on Thame Road- this project will be allocated to a local resident for progression – C/F
- 2020 Parish Council elections. The Clerk will receive the nomination papers before the end of the month and will issue to anybody requesting them.

2020.28 PLANNING –

20/00549/APP Rectory Homes at Lower Wainwrights – Objection (with comments)

2020.29 FINANCE

The cheques and online debits drawn for February 2020 were approved for payment and the transaction listing noted.

2020.30 Non-Transactional CORRESPONDENCE –

Letter from Bill Locks w.r.t additional crossing on Chearsley Road adjacent Burts Lane. Cllr Hooper explained to the Council that this had been looked at by the County Council (the statutory Authority for Roads) and it was not a safe place to put a controlled crossing. Cllr Hooper will write back to the requester informing them of the details. For information it was confirmed that the safe crossing planned adjacent Pinner's Way on Chearsley Road is being funded from S106 Roads funds from SPITFIRE Ltd and supplemented by the Parish Council.

2020.31 UPDATES.

- **2020.31.1 Road Safety** – in progress by Cllr Hooper – further revised positions for the new speed awareness signs were proposed. Cllr. Hooper has received costings and terms from the County Council which are very different from those expected following discussion and meetings with the County Council. Cllr. Hooper will re-engage and report back. - Carry forward.
- **2020.31.2 Village Emergency Plan.** - in progress by Cllr Hooper - carry forward.
- **2020.31.3 S106 Sports & Leisure Project at recreation Grounds** - in progress by Cllr. Paul Davies. Further work needs to be done by the Architect to flesh out the full proposals. £1000 was approved for professional fees. - carry forward.
- **2020.31.4 Possible medical facility on land at Chearsley Rd.** No change since last report. - Carry forward.
- **2020.31.5 Sub Committee w.r.t Oxford/Cambridge Express way.** In progress by Cllr. Sugden – Tno update as Cllr Sugden not present. It is believed the Government has “paused to the project” - Carry forward.
- **2020.31.6 Safe Road Crossing on Chearsley Road – S106.** In progress by Cllr. Smith. The updated diagrams have been received and the Parish Council approves. The Clerk will confirm this to TfB and BCC. Carry forward.



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2020.32 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- Cllr Hooper has completed the County Council request form to reduce the speed limit along Thame Road between the industrial estate roundabout and the County border with Oxfordshire from 60MPH to 40MPH. Cllr Hooper will await a reply and let Council know what the cost, and other implications might be for the Parish Council.
- Cllr Bill Meredith update Council on the ongoing work on the website replacement possibilities. Further work is required.
- The part of the tree fallen down in Friars Furlong was reported to BCC by Cllr. Smith.
- Council approved the retrospective spending that was required in an emergency situation to call in a private sludge tanker to unblock street gullies which had not been dealt with by the County Council. A full report is now available and the County Council will assess a way to prevent this kind of emergency recurring. County Councillor Clive Harriss attended Meadow Bank Close and supports further permanent repairs.
- Following adverse comments in the local newspaper the Clerk was requested to write to the Editor clarifying the facts of a few matters which were not in the public domain and to refute some written statements.

The Chairman closed the meeting at 21:06

Print Name:

Signed..... Date.....