

BARWELL PARISH COUNCIL
PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
7th FEBRUARY 2019, AT 7.00 PM.
HELD AT THE COUNCIL OFFICE, HIGH STREET, BARWELL.

Present: Cllr Mr B Granger (Chairman),
Mr J Buck, Mrs A Jones, Mrs T Bannister, Ms M Nash and Mrs C Green

1 Member of Public

Clerk: Mrs D Deighton

88/19 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies received and accepted from Cllr Mr G Davies, Mr A Baines, Mr R Roberts, Mr H Williams & Mrs H Smith. Apologies also received from County Cllr Mrs J Richards

89/19 DECLARATIONS AND DISPEATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS

None.

90/19 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

91/19 COUNTY COUNCILLORS REPORT

Apologies received from Cllr Mr W Crooks who sent in a written report which was read out by the Clerk.

Cllr Mr J Buck joined the meeting

92/19 BOROUGH COUNCILLORS REPORT

Nothing to report.

93/19 MINUTES

It was RESOLVED that the Minutes of the meeting held on the 10th January 2019 be approved and signed by the Chairman

94/19 CLERK'S REPORT

The Clerk reported the following to the members:-

- SLCC Parliament Tour
- Practitioners Conference 14th and 15th February 2019
- Elections Workshop update
- Orchard Park faulty Street Lighting Column
- Waterplus bill dispute
- Section 137 spending limit for 2019-20

95/19 CAPACITY OF GRAVE PLOTS

Members considered the Capacity of Grave Plots as per the Guidelines and concluded that they must be strictly adhered to. The Clerk to write to the deed holder of the Exclusive Rights of Burial advising them there can be no variation in the Guidelines.

96/19 UPDATED STANDNG ORDERS

Members RESOLVED to accept the updated Standing Orders.

97/19 COMMITTEE REPORTS

Members received reports from the following Committees: -

a) Planning & Highways

- East Green is still ongoing
- St Marys footpath – ongoing
- Objection raised on 87 High Street application
- Objection raised on Residential Care Home on Hinckley Road
- New Crematorium no objections raised
- Section 106 maintenance money for Dovecote and Kirkby Rec has been requested

b) Cemetery, Parks and Recreation

- PCIF applications submitted for the following projects: -
 - a. Cemetery Roof Renovation
 - b. BMX track in Tip Park
 - c. Wet Pour on Kirkby Rec and Boston Way
 - d. Hand Dryer for Disabled toilets

- Cemetery Car Park ongoing
- Boundary Wall dispute still with Solicitors
- Gantry delivered for the safety of memorials in Kirkby Cemetery
- Stones and Memorabilia on grave plots final letters sent deadline 31st March 2019
- HBBC to establish sites for replacing dog bins with black litter bins in Barwell
- Street Lighting Column on Brockey Close has now been repaired
- Finial for the War Memorial ongoing
- New Bench for Tip Park ordered with a dedication to non-councillor member Mr David Peace

c) Parish Council Events

- Meeting being held on Monday 11th February 2019 at 2:00pm

d) Finance and General Purpose

- Nothing to report

e) Staffing

- Nothing to report

f) Outer Bodies

- The Clerk and Chairman attended the Heritage Forum
- The Older Voice Forum will be meeting on Monday 25th February 2019 at 2:00pm. Chairman and Clerk to attend.

98/19 COMMITTEE MINUTES

Members noted the following committee minutes:-

Planning Committee 17th December 2018
 Finance and General Purpose Committee 12th December 2018
 Cemetery, Parks and Recreation Committee 25th October 2018

99/19 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Thursday 7th March 2019

(The meeting closed at 8:15pm.)

Chairman's Signature.....