

**MINUTES OF DALE ABBEY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
HELD ON THURSDAY 18.3.21 VIA ZOOM DUE TO COVID-19**

PRESENT: Councillors Smith (Chair), S Bown, C Just, K Tribbensee, Parish Clerk, Councillor C Hart (DCC), Councillor D Cox (EBC), Councillor R Mee (EBC), 3 members of the public

20/183 APOLOGIES

Councillor Davies

20/184 VARIATION OF ORDER OF BUSINESS

None

20/185 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

None

20/186 PUBLIC SPEAKING

A parishioner reported about the amount of dog poo bags/waste in the Parish. It was confirmed that YUK signage could be requested free of charge from DCC via their website. Dog fouling issues can also be reported to the EBC Dog Warden, details are available on their website.

A parishioner reported that the planted area at the bottom of The Village is becoming damaged by vehicles and suggested some kerbing.

A parishioner raised concerns about the drainage issue outside The Park on Moor Lane. This had been dealt with by DCC for the past 10 years but now they were saying it was the riparian landowner. Councillor Hart offered to follow up.

Councillor Hart reported that Covid cases are coming down. The testing station at West Park Leisure Centre had undertaken 1700 tests and 12 to date had been positive. It was suggested that if you are going into work get tested to help stop transmission. There are plans to get a mobile testing station in Ilkeston. Reminder for social distancing and masks. The elections are coming up in May. If you are interested in working on the elections get in touch with EBC.

20/187 MINUTES OF MEETINGS HELD 11.2.21

RESOLVE That the Minutes of the meetings held on the 11.2.21 were approved and will be signed by the Chair.

20/188 CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

None

20/189 TO DETERMINE WHICH ITEMS, IF ANY, FROM PART 1 OF THE AGENDA SHOULD BE TAKEN WITH THE PUBLIC EXCLUDED

None

20/190 PLANNING

Applications

- ERE/0321/0001 Proposed replacement agricultural building to store hay and straw Cat And Fiddle Farm Cat And Fiddle Lane - No objections
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- ERE/0321/0025 Retrospective planning permission for the use of the site as Farm Park Visitor Attraction and retention of existing buildings ancillary to the operation as Farm Park Visitor Attraction Bluebell Dairy Ltd Brunswood Farm Locko Road - No objections
- ERE/0321/0001 Prior notification of proposed replacement agricultural building to store hay and straw Cat And Fiddle Farm Cat And Fiddle Lane - No objections

Approved

- ERE/0720/0015 Change use of outbuildings to cafeteria with new built link, external decking and associated parking Windmill Farm Windmill Farm 1 Cat And Fiddle

20/191 THE PINFOLD

No further update.

20/192 A6096 CONCERNS

There had been no further update from DCC. Councillor Smith reported that the cross roads sign reported to DCC 15.1.21 is still down.

20/193 DEFIBRILLATOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT REQUEST FROM COMMUNITY FORUM

Due to Covid the community forum had struggled to raise funds towards the Community Heartbeat Trust. Annual Support cost of £135 + VAT for the defibrillator. A parishioner checks it on a regular basis and The Gateway pay for the electricity costs. It was resolved to pay for this year's annual support cost.

20/194 HANGING BASKET CONTRACT

Due to the increase of 30% on the 3 year hanging basket contract it was resolved to reduce the number of hanging baskets by one making five at Dale Abbey and five at Kirk Hallam on a further three-year deal.

20/195 ANNUAL PARISH MEETING PROPOSAL TO HOLD IN APRIL

It was resolved to bring the Annual Parish meeting forward to 22 April before the Parish Council meeting.

20/196 PLAY EQUIPMENT ANNUAL INSPECTION REPORT REVIEW

It was agreed to organise a new litter bin with EBC following the report that the lid is very cracked. All other items to be monitored on an ongoing basis.

20/197 CLERKS REPORT

- Damaged drain cover on the triangle in The Village reported again to DCC 12.3.21

20/198 CORRESPONDENCE FOR ACTION

- Former Stanton Ironworks - Consultation on Scoping Report for EIA. No comments

20/199 FINANCE

Monthly accounts circulated

RESOLVE: That the Accounts listed below be accepted for payment

Payee	Expenditure	£
L Storey	Salary/Expenses	759.14
HMRC	PAYE	3.40
The Community Heartbeat Trust	Defibrillator annual support	162.00
The PI Co Ltd	Play Equipment Inspection	83.40
TOTAL		1007.94

20/200 ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

- DALC March newsletter
- Minutes for Planning Committee, Wednesday, 3rd March, 2021, 5.30 pm
- I write with reference to your enquiry regarding a drainage issue on Moor Lane, Dale Abbey and apologise for the time taken to reply. Our senior technician advises that following investigations with the jetting unit on 17 February, 2021 all Derbyshire County Council highway drainage assets were found to be clear to the outfall into the open ditch. The ditch and converted section at the vehicle entrance to an adjacent property was found to be restricted/full. As such, this is a private maintenance concern for the responsible riparian landowner and therefore, a letter will be sent to the landowner asking them to attend to the maintenance of the ditch.
- Meeting Thursday, 25th March, 2021, 6.00 pm, Extraordinary Council
- Agenda for Council, Thursday, 4th March, 2021, 6.00 pm
- Meet Your Commissioner Event - Erewash Wednesday 3rd March 2021 Reminder
- Agenda for Council, Thursday, 4th March, 2021, 6.00 pm Agenda for Planning Committee, Wednesday, 3rd March, 2021, 5.30 pm
- Read the latest insights from Came & Company Local Council Insurance
- Kirk Hallam March Magazine, Dale Abbey Version
- DCC Community Newsletter 22 Feb 2021
- DCC New local health apps library
- Notes from meeting with MHCLG regarding playgrounds

- DIS 981 and Funding Bulletin
- Notes from the forums on Wednesday.
- How to Conquer Town & Parish Council Accounting & Stop Worrying - Training Webinar - 3 March 2021 - 10am - 11.30am
- Road Closure: Arbour Hill, Dale Abbey.
- The Carpenters Arms Asset of Community Value nomination
- Guidance on the Possible Return to In Person meetings
- Minutes for Planning Committee, Wednesday, 3rd February, 2021, 5.30 pm
- DCC Community Safety Update

20/201 DATE, TIME AND VENUE OF NEXT MEETING

Annual Parish Meeting followed by the Parish Council meeting Thursday 22.4.21 via Zoom 7.30 pm

Part 2 CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS

Meeting closed 8.15 pm