

Minutes of the proceedings of Pittington Parish Council held in the Village Hall, 7pm, High Pittington on Tuesday 21 June 2016

Present: Councillors: D Turnbull (Chair), J Lee, G Patton,
B Whitaker, B Fenwick

Also in attendance: M Toal (Parish Clerk), 1 Member of the public

77/16 Apologies

Councillors: J Steer, D Hall, R Newlove
Apologies accepted and approved

78/16 Declarations of Interests

Councillor Patton had declaration of interest regarding agenda item 11.

79/16 Minutes

Minutes of 3 meetings 18 May 2016 approved and signed.

80/16 Updates/Matters arising

Cemetery Valuation letter read out. Questionnaire to be filled out by April 2017, relating to area, burials and plot vacancies.
Post Office mobile service proposal announced with service to be announced to begin in July 2016.
Police report read out: as follows
Overnight 26 May 2016 incidents of crime across the area – 4 garages broken in to (Priors Grange, St Lawrence Close, Church Vale and Hallgarth Lane). Various damage caused and property taken. Locks and doors forced. Vehicle damage over the same night.- Low Pittington, not believed to be connected.
No reports of anti-social behaviour.

81/16 Planning

Reference	DM/16/01531/FPA
Alternative Reference	Not Available
Application Received	Wed 11 May 2016
Application Validated	Wed 11 May 2016
Address	Land North of Pittington Bridge High Pittington DH6 1AA
Proposal	Retrospective planning permission to retain boundary walls and gates
Status	Pending Consideration
Appeal Status	Unknown
Appeal Decision	Not available

Reference	DM/16/01773/VOC
Alternative Reference	Not Available
Application Received	Fri 27 May 2016
Application Validated	Mon 06 Jun 2016
Address	East Durham Cathedral farm High Pittington Durham DH6 1EY
Proposal	Variation of condition no.2 (compliance with approved plans) pursuant to planning permission DM/15/01403/FPA for extension to existing building and new amenity building
Status	Pending Consideration
Appeal Status	Unknown
Appeal Decision	Not Available

Reference	DM/16/01894/FPA
Alternative Reference	PP-05221873
Application Received	Thu 09 Jun 2016
Application Validated	Mon 13 Jun 2016
Address	23 Priors Grange High Pittington Durham DH6 1DA
Proposal	Erection of two storey extension to front and side and single storey extension to rear of existing dwelling
Status	Pending Consideration
Appeal Status	Unknown
Appeal Decision	Not Available

82/16 Finance

Cheque/Cash	Date	Recipient	Details	Amount
DD	03/5/16	UK Fuels	Fuel	£20.70
Charge	06/5/16	Co-Op	Fee Copy Item	£16.00
DD	16/5/16	UK Fuels	Fuel	£22.59
Deposit	17/5/16	PPC	Allotment Fees 2017	£420.00
201465	23/5/1995	Employee	Wages	£448.00
201466	23/5/2016	Employee	Bulbs/Ink	£98.62
201464	25/5/2106	PVH	Donation	£5,000
DD	31/5/2106	UK Fuels	Fuel	£23.26
DD	31/5/2016	Employee	Wages	£405.60

Balance Current Account £20,804.65 ending 31/5/2016

83/16 Correspondences

01/5/2016/Letter/Valuation Office/Cemetery Valuation

03/05/2016/Email/Prestige Tree Surgery/Services Offered

04/05/2016/Email/Co-Op Funeral/Interment Details
05/05/2016/Email/Peter Dunn/War Memorial
06/05/2016/Email/Coronation Press/Newsletter
10/5/2016/Letter/SLCC/Membership Renewal
11/05/2016/Email/Public/Allotment Waiting List
11/05/2016/Email/Shell/Invoice
12/05/2016/Email/Public/Enquiry Speedwatch
14/05/2016/Email/Public/Family History Enquiry
16/05/2016/Email/Public/ Enquiry Speedwatch
17/05/2016/Email/County Hall/Church Vale Land
17/05/2016/Email/CWGA/Commonwealth War Grave Application
18/05/2016/Email/ICO/Ongoing FOI
20/05/2016/Email/NIB/Judging date 19 July
25/05/2016/Email/Citizens Advice/Volunteering Opportunities
26/05/2016/Email/MDT Forestry/Services Offered

84/16 Section 106 Grant

Section 106 Grant received for £3,000 from Ramside Estates.
Development of footpath 17. Possibly £500 needed to complete work.
Pittinton Parish Council agreed a sum of £500 available if needed.

85/16 Councillor Vacancy

No applications received. Council agreed to extend Co-Option.
AP* Clerk to approach previous applicants to enquire if they would be interested.

86/16 Cemetery

Clerk met with MDT Forestry for quotation of removal of rubble in corner of cemetery. Awaiting quotation. Application forms received for a Commonwealth War memorial Sign to be erected at entrance of St Laurence Church. War memorial headstone currently damaged AP* Clerk to contact War memorial to report it.

Exclusion of Press and Public in accordance with the provision of S1 of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, as amended by S100 of the Local Government Act 1972, the Council do now exclude the press and public for the remaining items of the Agenda by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted since publicity would be prejudicial to public interest.

87/16 Personal Issue

Personal issue discussed regarding police matter/investigation

88/16 Date and time of next meeting

19th July 2016 at 7.00pm

Cllr D Turnbull, Chairman

***AP Action Point**

