

BUCKHORN WESTON & KINGTON MAGNA PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Held on Monday 7th July 2014 at 7.30pm in Buckhorn Weston Village Hall

Item	Present: Parish Councillors Mr K Aldred (Chair) Ms Pippa Chapman (PC), Mr Bob Dolan (BD), Mr Tim Wilton (TW), Mr John Havil (JH),	Action
	In attendance: Members of the public 8	
21/14	Apologies: Parish Clerk: Sophie Franks, Mr Nigel Osborne (NO), Mr Anthony Jenner (AJ), Vice Chair Mrs Christine Wynne (CW), Mr Graham Hinks (GH)	
22/14	Declarations of interest: None	
23/14	Minutes of previous meeting: All agreed a true record	
24/14	Matters Arising: None	
25/14	District County Councillors report: None present.	
26/14	County Councillors report: None present	
27/14	Police report: None present	
28/14	NALC Financial Regulations: To be deferred to the September meeting.	
29/14	Fracking: No further correspondence yet received.	
30/14	Public Session: Elma Floyd reported dog fouling on the footpaths. John Havil said the NDDC have offered to collect dog bins, we do have the power to fine £80. Is the dog warden the person we should report dog fouling to? Separate dog bins may be collected by NDDC. Action Clerk to enquire. John Havil suggested that dog bins are added to the precept. Elma said that the travellers are back at Five Bridges, however this is being dealt with. Anne Ledgerwood reported that noisy dogs and music being played at Court Cottage has been a problem since May this year. John Havil said that in the past he has rented a property there. Anne Ledgerwood asked what the next step would be, John Havil said that the best course of action would be to keep the peace as it could make the situation worse. However this is noise pollution. John Havil also said it is virtually impossible to impose action for	SF AJ

	<p>unacceptable behaviour and said to leave well alone until after an event, however please take notes. We are with you with your concerns.</p> <p>Carol has reported fly tipping on footpaths in Kington Magna. Report all incidents on Dorset for You website.</p> <p>PC suggested that an item be written for HearHere pointing out that dog owners are required by law to “poop-scoop” on public paths and in public areas (such as the recreation ground) and that they can be fined if they do not do so. Furthermore, if the Parish Council has to buy, install and get NDDC to come and empty dog waste bins, inevitably that will mean that every resident has to pay for it, via the precept. Bagged dog waste can be put in household rubbish bins for collection.</p>	PC
31/14	<p>Chairman's report</p> <p>Since our last council meeting on 12th May we have eventually managed to get the road works started to resurface most of Church Hill. This is due to the persistence of some residents and of course Councillor Nigel Osborne. Several planning applications have been submitted with only one of these not being approved. Our Clerk Sophie has recently had an operation and is recovering well. I am pleased to say that everything in the villages seem to be okay at this time.</p>	
32/14	<p>Responsible Financial Officers report:</p> <p><u>15.1 Bank reconciliation</u> – the Current Account balance is £10,752.42</p> <p><u>15.2 Payments</u> – A total of £2132.81 made in payments so far this year.</p>	
33/14	<p>Clerk's Report:</p> <p>Nothing to report.</p>	
34/14	<p>Other Reports:</p> <p>Highways: Nothing to report</p> <p>Public Footpaths: Nothing to report</p> <p>Public transport: Nothing to report</p> <p>Parish burial ground: Nothing to report</p>	
35/14	<p>Kington Magna Conservation Area:</p>	
36/14	<p>Items for next agenda:</p> <p>NALC Financial Regulations</p> <p>Fracking</p> <p>Sophie to contact Andrew Cattaway.</p> <p>Kington Magna Conservation Area</p> <p>Nigel to contact District County Councillor regarding next meeting</p>	
37/14	<p>Date of next meeting</p> <p>Monday 1st September 2014 Kington Magna Village Hall 7.30 pm</p>	
	<p>Meeting closed at 20.24.</p> <p>SignedChairman Date</p>	