Arrow with Weethley Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 11th September 2019 at 6.45pm at Arrow Village Hall

Present: Cllrs W Baldwin, I Thompson, J Dowell, P Havard, S Hunter, M Cargill, Clerk C Baldwin

Apologies: None

Elaine Johnson and Emma Smith gave us a presentation on behalf of the Parenting Project, Alcester.

After a very interesting presentation detailing the work by the Parenting Project the council were left to discuss the possibility of making a donation to the project. It was left that Carol would present at our next meeting the amount of monies remaining in our donation allocation.

1. The minutes of the last meeting were adopted and signed as a true record.

2. Matters arising from those minutes. Layby Weethley: Joan has had some progress whereby the pot

holes have been identified. A Gully Sucker has been and cleared

all drains in the lay-by. Awaiting further progress.

3. Declaration of Interest. None.

4. Planning Matters:

New Application: Felling of Trees – Ragley -information only

Decisions: A Williams Hawthorn House – Access granted with conditions

The Grange - Weethley Permission granted

5. Finance:

Payments: Arrow Village Hall £15.00

Clerks Salary £606.75 Inland Revenue £151.80 Zurich Ins. £257.60 Thomas Fox £324.00 WCC. (Street Lamp) £470.64 S.D.C. (Elections) £100.00 Village Tubs £17.00 Tapcast (Printer) £89.00

Receipts: Interest £4.57
Bank: as @21/08/2019 £16,655.31

6. County Cllr.& District Report:

No go on a mini-island at the junction of Arrow Lane/Evesham Road.

Evesham Street – Mark has reported the request for it to be changed to Evesham Road.

Reserved Sites: This is due to go through cabinet shortly – we are obliged to have reserved sites for overspill in the event of losing 5YHLS.

Transformation programme about "right-sizing". This is all about the funding levels expected from Government Grants have already fallen and not sure what the future will bring.

Cherry Trees Care Home: subject of an investigation by the CQC over allegations of abuse of residents.

Climate emergency: this will have an impact on all residents of the district, Will affect SDC policy decisions.

Rural Broadband: Sill exploring this issue, currently working with BDUK. Croft Lane Power Station: As of 9/9/19 the applicants are awaiting Highways England's response to the application.

A46 update: The SUA2 scheme is with the planning department.

.Binton/Billesley cross roads- a meeting with the developers who have provided supporting evidence of their scheme. Mark taking advise on how to maintain his opposition to the scheme.

7. Correspondence:

WCC: Paper sent to all Parish Clerks on the subject of Bullying in some Parish Councils.

SDC. Site allocation Plan: Consultation period ends 20th September.

UBUS Community Transport Service: Currently subsidised by SDC. Posters have been

displayed in Parish Council Notice Boards and leaflets distributed.

9. A.O.B. British Legion Donation agreed to be the same as last year.

Lamp on the Toll House (corner of Arrow Lane/Evesham Road) reported. Will be

addressed shortly.

Road Sign – Arrow Lane- reported to highways awaiting notification.

Meeting closed at 8.30pm

Date of Next Meeting Wednesday 4th December

PLEASE BRING DIARIES FOR NEXT YEARS MEETING DATES