Rhodesia Parish Council

Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on 7th March 2018 in Rhodesia Village Hall

Present:

Councillor Margaret Leadbeater (Chair)

Councillors Audrey Samuel, Gordon Hall, Peter Ratcliff.

District Councillor Pressley

M Welch (Clerk)

There was one member of the public present.

During the public forum dog fouling was discussed and the ongoing problems. A reply received had been circulated to councillors.

Salt being spread down the lane was also discussed.

1. Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from County Councillor Sybil Fielding and Councillor Belton.

2. Declaration of Interest

Councillor Pressley declared an interest in the quarry.

3. To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 7th February 2018

Councillor Samuel proposed the minutes of the meeting held 7th February be approved as a true and correct record, seconded by Councillor Hall.

4. Matters arising from the previous minutes

a) Co-option to Council

This was deferred as the people interested did not attend.

b) Quarry

Nothing further has been heard.

c) A1 Housing Office

The legal side is now being dealt with.

d) Events in Village Hall

Councillor Samuel had approached people regarding whist and dominoes. Councillor Leadbeater had put a notice up and will arrange for it to go on Facebook to see what response we get.

e) Noticeboard

Details had been circulated and Councillor Hall suggested a board be fastened onto the railings although there was uncertainty as how it would be attached. Councillor Leadbeater offered to request the catalogue and find out how it could be fastened.

f) Quad bikes on the recreation area

Councillor Hall had received a notice which has been put up in the noticeboard. He had met with Gerald Connor and also discussed the situation with John Dale PCSO who is also looking into this.

g) Royal British Legion Lamp post poppies

Councillor Belton was looking into this and questions were asked about who would fix them on the posts. District Councillor Pressley will try and find out how they are fixed and who would fix them.

h) Caretakers/Village Hall

It was agreed that until we see if more people use the hall we should keep doing as we are for the time being.

i) Dog Fouling

This had already been discussed and the additional leaflets had been requested.

5. New Business

a) GDPR

Details have been circulated and a Data Protection Officer will need to be appointed before this comes into force in May. Councillors will look into this discuss this further at the next meeting.

6. Planning

Councillor Pressley reported that the first phase of the Asda and Vesuvious application will hopefully start soon.

7. Finance

- a) Balance the clerk reported that the balance in the current accounts is £1575.60.
- b) Cheques the following cheque was signed M Welch £392.34 salary.

8. County and District Councillors

District Councillor Pressley reported that Nottinghamshire County Council had been approached regarding gritting and issues were raised we need to wait and see what happens.

A1 have asked tenants if they want to go back to the District Council, the consultation has already started.

9. Correspondence

Correspondence received has been circulated.

The clerk gave details of the interim review of polling places. It was agreed that the village hall is the most suitable place.

10. Date of next meeting

Wednesday 4th April 2018

The meeting closed at 8.20p.m.