BUCKLAND NEWTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Meeting Tuesday, 9th February 2010 at 7.30 pm in The Parish Room

Present: Chair - Trevor Marpole (TM), Nicki Barker (NB), Stephen White(SW), Chris Osmond (CO), Mark Needham (MN), Andrew Stone (AS), Alan Foot(AJF), County Councillor – Jill Haynes

Clerk: Vanessa Wellstead (VW)

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Item	Detail	Action				
1.	Apologies: Andy Foot (ARF), Doug Morse (DM)					
2.	Declarations of Interest: Cllr Barker and Cllr Stone - Affordable Housing					
3. 1.	Democratic Half Hour: Paul Bongers de Rath and other village representatives attended the meeting to discuss the Traffic Regulation Order to implement a 50 mph speed limit on the C12 through Cosmore. The councillors advised the residents to support the order even though they would prefer the speed limit to be reduced further. Any objections would delay the implementation of a reduced limit and therefore the residents were advised that future campaigning should only be carried out once the new speed limit is passed. Parish clerk to do letter supporting new speed limit	VW				
2.	Jacqui Cuff was present at the meeting to request whether it would be possible for the Parish Council to support the idea of an Annual Community Award to be given to a local resident who has provided an exceptional service to the local community. The Councillors suggested that it may be possible to use some of Sir William Ackroyd's remaining legacy to finance the award and would therefore be a lasting tribute in his name. Proposed NB Seconded MN AIF	VW				
	Parish clerk to research for next month's meeting.	l vw				
4.	Minutes of Last Meeting held 12 th January 2010: Passed Agreed & Signed					
5.	Planning Applications					
1.	1/D/10/000001 Brockhampton Green Farm, Brockhampton Proposed outbuilding consisting of study, utility & carport Parish Council Consultation by 06 February 2010 – No Objections with comment					
2.	1/D/09/001908 and 1909 Bladeley House, Locketts Lane New extension. Reinstate verandah. Internal and external alterations. Approval of Planning Permission/Listed Building Consent					
3.	1/D/09/001801 7 Henley Council Houses Demolish Chimney Approval of Planning Permission					
4.	1/D/09/001834 Brockhampton Cottage New garage/store Withdrawn Application					
5.	1/D/09/000596 Lyons Head Farm, Cosmore Relief of condition 4 of P.P. 1/D/09/000133 – removal of permitted development rights <i>Appeal Dismissed</i>					

6.	CA/10/00026 Buckland Newton Place				
	To fell 1 Ash tree and 1 Thuja, to perform 10% crown thin to 1 Beech tree and 1 Horse				
	Chestnut and to perform a 25% weight reduction on crossing limbs of 1 Beech tree. Comments by 20 Feb 2010 – No comments from Parish Council				
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6.	Financial Matters				
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7.	Affordable Housing Scheme				
7.1	The new planning application to be submitted this month.				
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7.2	The removal of a section of hedge and the construction of the entrance is due to be carried out later this month prior to the expiry of the current planning permission.				
8.	Play Area & Recreation Group				
8.1	The second stage application has been submitted.				
9.	Highways				
9.1	Concerns were raised regarding the number of pot holes on parish roads following	* /** /			
	recent weather conditions. Clerk to contact highways	VW			
9.2	The drain by the Duntish crossroads is blocked. Clerk to contact highways				
9.3	Flooding is still a problem in Locketts Lane. Clerk to speak to Cllr Morse for latest situation				
10.	Correspondence				
10.1	DAPTC Circular 01/10				
10.2	WDDC – Conservation Area Appraisal – Clerk to request more copies	VW			
10.3	West Dorset Partnership – Draft Community Plan				
10.5	West Dorset Farthership – Draft Community Flan				
10.4	DCC – C12 Cosmore Traffic Regulation Order – see item 3.1				
11.	Other Matters				
11.1	Parish clerk to write letter to United Charities Committee supporting nomination of	VW			
11.1	Geoff Lewis as new trustee.				
11.2	Parish clerk to contact PCSO Vickie Hedges of the Safer Neighbourhood Team to	VW			
	request whether she could attend a future Parish meeting.				
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Next meeting on the 9th March 2010 at 7.30pm in the Parish Room

The meeting was concluded at 8.40 pm

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