

HORTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 16th DECEMBER 2013 IN HORTON VILLAGE HALL AT 7.30 pm.

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1335 Present

Those present were: Cllrs. Ian Dunford, Laurence Whitlock, Simon Moulding
Cllr. Simon Moulding, as Vice Chair, took the chair in the absence of cllr Christian Guppy.

1336 Apologies

Apologies were received from cllrs Christian Guppy, Ray Warner, David Johnson and Tree Warden Mr Guy Grafton. CC & DCllr. Linda Vjeh.

1337 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest made.

1338 To Approve minutes of last meeting

The minutes of the meeting of November 2013 having been previously circulated were duly approved as a correct record of the meeting. Proposed by Cllr. Ian Dunford, seconded by Cllr. Laurence Whitlock with all in agreement.

1339 Matters arising

There were no matters arising.

1340 Co-option

Mrs Ann Richards of Shave Lane, Horton had put herself forward for co-option. She gave a short resume of her life stating that her interests were to give time to the village. She fulfilled all requirements i.e. resident in the village for most of her life It was proposed by Cllr. Laurence Whitlock and seconded by Cllr. Ian Dunford with all in agreement

1341 Acceptance of Office

The Forms for acceptance of office were duly signed and witnessed

1342 Planning Applications

- a) 13/04931/FUL Erection of single storey rear and side extension and the erection of a front entrance porch. 10 St Peters Close, Horton, TA19 9RW
It was proposed by Cllr. Ian Dunford, seconded by Cllr. Laurence with all in Agreement to support this application.
- b) 13/04851/FUL Alterations and conversion of garage to habitable accommodation 17 Broadoak, Horton, Ilminster TA19 9SE. Cllr Laurence Whitlock proposed and cllr. Ian Dunford seconded with all in approval to support this application.

1343 SSSC Decisions

The following decisions were received from South Somerset District Council
13/03982/LBC The Granary adjacent to Horton House, Puddlebridge – approved
13/03981/FUL The Granary adjacent to Horton House, Puddlebridge – approved
13/03677/FUL The Myrtles, Pottery Road, Horton – approved
13/04288/FUL 1 Yew Tree Cottage, Ivy Farm, Lower Horton – approved
13/04289/FUL Land adjacent 2 Yew Tree Cottage, Ivy Farm, Lower Horton,
approved.

1344 Matters of Report

The subject of rents payable to the Horton Village Hall and it was questioned as to the Parish Council should be paying any rent as this was being seen as double rating as the Parish Council is repaying the loan, and will be for several more years, and at the same time being requested to pay rent. It was felt that this item should be put to Cllr. Ray Warner as he is the Council's representative.

No other matters were raised.

1345 Date of next meeting

The date of the next meeting is set for Monday 20th January, 2014.

The meeting closed at 8.08 pm.