

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE SOUTH NEWTON AND STOFORD PARISH COUNCIL
Held in the Village Hall on Wednesday 7th November 2018 at 7.30 pm

Present: Cllr D. Blake (Chair), Cllr M. Pont, Cllr R. Botten, Cllr. Cllr. N. Blake

Also present: Mrs C. Webb (Clerk)

Apologies: Cllr. Bryans, Cllr. C. Swanton, Cllr H. Swanton, Cllr. K. Norman,
Wiltshire Cllr. P. Church

1. Apologies: -

Apologies were received from Cllr. H. Bryans, Cllr. C. Swanton, Cllr K. Norman and Cllr. H. Swanton who were unable to attend.

2. Minutes of Previous meeting:

Minutes of meeting held on Wednesday 3rd October 2018 were approved and signed by the Chairman Cllr. D. Blake.

3. Any matters arising:

- a. Parking lines Oak Close and Jubilee Close, South Newton – Clerk has emailed S. Harris W.C.C. the request has been passed to Environmental Works.
- b. Football pitch and basketball net – Vale View Road Play area – Cllr. N. Blake and Cllr D. Blake to organize installation.
- c. Community Speed Indicator device – Cllr. R. Botten reported that there were issues with the model relating to the solar battery. We are awaiting time slots for our Parish.
- d. Signage on A 36 - Glenside Manor – Clerk confirmed Highways to pass to 3rd party schemes team on a list for future consideration. Area Councillor P. Church to investigate. Clerk to chase.
- e. New Bins and gravel for pathway – Cllr. D. Blake will source new bins.
- f. Quotations for work Vale View Road Play area – Cllr. N. Blake investigating funding of work.
- g. Cutting of hedge – Pembroke Cottages/Bus Stop - Clerk has emailed Wilton Estate.
- h. Broken signpost, Forge Close Car Park – Clerk to report to Wiltshire Council via App.
- i. New Councillor – Clerk to advertise in the Parish Magazine and on the Website.

4. Wiltshire Councillor's Report – Area Councillor P. Church was not present at the meeting, so no report was put forward.

5. Area Board – Wednesday 21st November 2018, at 6.30pm

6. Standing Agenda items.

- a. **Accidents** – None
- b. i) **Declaration of interests** - None
- ii) **Planning Matters.** –
 - Application 18/09489 FUL 2 Bungalow, Highland View, South Newton. Councillors discussed and agreed to respond with “No Comment”
 - 18/00032/REM – Landscaping Phase E Land north west of Fugglestone Red Salisbury. Councillors discussed and agreed to respond, “No Comment”.
- c. **Rights of way** – None

d. **Environmental/amenities** – Air Ambulance Bin South Newton – Clerk to ring to ask for this to be emptied.

e. **Website** – Clerk read the report reference “https” concerns. In order to secure our website, it will cost £49 per annum. Councillors agreed to make the necessary changes.

Website visitors October 2018 – 4,882.

f. **A36/C283**. – Cllr R. Botten reported that the C.A.T.G. discussed C283 and were still awaiting Freight Assessment Report. Cllr. Botten will discuss situation further with Area Councillor P. Church. Both Cllr. Botten and Cllr. Pont raised concerns over the continued use by coaches and delivery lorries emphasising the risk to pedestrians.

g. **Parish Steward** – A list of jobs were discussed and agreed. This month we will concentrate on Potholes both in South Newton and Stoford.

7. **Finance.** -

a. Clerk’s wages October 2018 approved.

b. Schedule of Payment was read out and agreed by Councillors.

c. Precept Review – Councillors agreed to discuss this at the January 2019 meeting.

8. **Correspondence** -

a. Fly-tipping – A report from Wilton Council was read out. The Councillors agreed to assess the Parish for any problems but felt that we were not affected in this area generally.

b. Salisbury Medical Practice – Open Day 26th November 14.00 p.m. to 18.30 p.m.

9. **Village Hall** - Cllr H. Bryans expressed disappointment that there were only 24 people at the recent Quiz Night and Harvest Festival. It was also confirmed that the Breakfast mornings continued to be very successful. The Bingo events held each Tuesday are still running and the Christmas Bingo has been confirmed for Tuesday 17th December at 7.30 p.m. The Hall lettings continue to good but the committee would like to see more local support with fundraising.

All events are detailed on the website www.southnewtonpc.org.uk.

10. **10.Councillor’s Reports.**

- **Cllr R. Botten** reported that at the recent C.A.T.G. meeting funds were available for white lining. It was agreed to ask if the line marking from the A36 to the bridge to Great Wishford, the top of Stoford Cut, and St. Andrews Road, South Newton be renewed.
- **Cllr. M. Pont** reported that the drains in the bus stop on A36 Stoford were blocked with silt. Clerk will report to Highways.

Date of Next Meeting

Wednesday 9th January 2018

at 7.30pm, South Newton and Wishford Village Hall.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.30 p.m.

Chairman _____

Date _____