

West Haddlesey Parish Meeting

Minutes of West Haddlesey Parish Meeting held at The George & Dragon
Public House, West Haddlesey

23rd November 2009

1. Present

Glen Williams (Chair), Mark Asquith (Treasurer) Late arrived at 8.15pm, Nikki Keep (Sec), Liz Wetherell, Mike Wetherell, Tom Foster, Giles Bennett, Richard Scrafton

2. Apologies for Absence.

Robert Wood (Vice Chair), Tony Snowden, Tracey Scrafton

3. Minutes of the Last Meeting (8/9/2008) minutes from Wind Turbine Meeting 16/2/2009 are missing

The minutes were circulated for comments and agreed as a true representation, proposed by Tom Foster seconded by Elizabeth Wetherell.

4. Matters Arising from last meeting	Action
<i>All Items from matters arising are covered in the agenda</i>	

Agenda Items	
<p>5. Financial Position Nikki read out Mark Asquith's explanation of the current financial position. Due to increases in insurance and electricity, another 10% increase in the precept will be required. The meeting agreed this proposition.</p>	<p>Mark to complete precept return with agreed 10% increase</p>
<p>5.1 <u>Wind Farm Update</u>– SDC have asked an independent consultancy to review the plans submitted by Prowind. It could be early in the new year before a planning meeting is scheduled. They have received over a thousand letters against the proposed development. The MOD have submitted there own objections to this scheme</p>	<p>Watch this space.....</p>
<p>5.2 <u>Planning application Garth View</u> – No objections where raised to this development.</p>	<p>Mark to send village response</p>

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<p>5.3 Election of Parish Meeting Committee – Current members, i.e Glen Williams, Rob Wood, Mark Asquith and Nikki Keep agreed to stay on in their current positions. Giles Bennett will take up the role of clerk, with Mark and Nikki relinquishing the clerk aspects of there roles. Giles was proposed by Tom Foster and Seconded by Elizabeth Wetherell</p>	<p>No further action</p>
<p>6. AOB</p>	
<p>6.1 Poppies for War Memorial – Elizabeth Wetherell asked if the committee would consider purchasing a wreath for next Remembrance Day. Those at the meeting agreed this proposal.</p>	<p>Nikki to contact Sam (01757705913) and arrange this next year</p>
<p>6.2 Christmas Tree – It was agreed once again to erect a Christmas Tree.</p>	<p>Rob Wood to source</p>
<p>6.3 Hedges – Glen Williams had been asked to look at the hedges along particularly Pale Lane, as they are very overgrown.</p>	<p>Glen to discuss with Rob Wood and seek advice from SDC</p>
<p>6.4 Trees – Glen informed the meeting that he would be dealing with the overgrown trees near the park as soon as he is able.</p>	<p>Glen to prune overgrown trees</p>
<p>6.5 New Bench – The bench at the end of the village has been damaged. It is not repairable however the Wood family would like to donate one in memory of the late Mrs Wood who regularly sat on the bench.</p>	<p>Rob to arrange.</p>

The meeting closed at 8.30pm

Date and Time of next meeting date and venue to be arranged

Chairman.....Date.....