

West Haddlesey Parish Meeting

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

10th May 2010

1. **Present**

Glen Williams (Chair), Rob Wood (Vice Chair), Mark Asquith (Treasurer), Giles Bennett (Clerk), Nikki Keep (Sec), Peter and Janet Jackson, Liz & Mike Wetherell, Wendy Ormsby, Paul Broadbent, Emma Woodhead.

Also in attendance from Highways – Sharon Fox and Paul Shepherd

Apologies for Absence.

Tom Foster

2. **Minutes of the Last Meeting (23/11/2009)**

The minutes were circulated for comments and agreed as a true representation, proposed by Elizabeth Wetherell. No one else was present from the previous meeting

4. Matters Arising from last meeting	Action
<i>Poppies for War Memorial</i>	Nikki will order in time for Remembrance Sunday
<i>Bench</i>	Rob has a bench and will erect shortly
<i>Tree's adjacent to the playground</i>	Work is well underway with these and hopes to be completed soon. Thanks to all those who have helped out

Agenda Items	
<u>5.Wind Farm Update</u> External consultants have been brought in to assist SDC with decisions. Some speculation about repeating the noise survey as there could be a problem with the data. WHPM have asked for further information regarding the anemometer as it has been up for 18months now we will report back with any further news	Mark to complete precept return with agreed 10% increase
<u>5.1 Speeding in the village</u> – Sharon Fox and Paul Shepherd informed the	Watch this space.....

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<p>meeting of their respective roles and what if any assistance they can offer. Sharon is new to her role and has been appointed as a liaison with parish meetings / councils and the highways department.</p> <p>Many at the meeting felt that the repeater signs had not helped. Paul Shepherd described the speed matrix which would calculate the average speed of vehicles and then demonstrate if there is a problem this can also look at particular times of the day which are worse / better. If a problem is identified then speed traps may follow timed to correspond with the data collected. The major problem facing the village is funding which works on a points system with villages needing to score a minimum of 15 points to gain funding. These points are awarded for personal injury. The options discussed include warning signs costing approx. £400, and vehicle activated signs costing approx. £4000. Police also operate a simple sid which is a village held speed camera which is not enforceable but can be used as a further discussion point.</p> <p>Speeding concerns forms need to be completed which are available from WHPM website or from any member of the committee. These forms will provide the evidence for a speed matrix the first step needed to assess the issue.</p>	
<p>5.2 <u>Neighbourhood Watch</u> – The local police are inviting new applications for neighbourhood watch schemes. Wendy Ormsby volunteered to collate information and coordinate the villages’ application. Any further volunteers please speak to Glen or Wendy.</p>	<p>Mark to send village response</p>
<p>5.3 <u>Website</u> – Giles has put together a website for the village with lots of useful information it can be found at www.westhaddlesey.org.uk</p>	<p>No further action</p>
<p>AOB 6.Christmas Tree Paul and Shirley Torkington from the</p>	<p>Rob Wood to source tree</p>

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George and Dragon have kindly donated £200 for the tree which will be planted later in the year	

The meeting closed at 9.00pm

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

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